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Mr. Pierre Gratton President and CEO The Mining Association of Canada 275 Slater Street, Suite 1100 Ottawa, ON K1P 5H9

RE: Letter of Assurance

Dear Mr. Gratton:

As a member of the Mining Association of Canada, IAMGOLD Corporation (IAMGOLD) has been participating in the Towards Sustainable Mining (TSM) initiative since 2007 in Canada and internationally. IAMGOLD is pleased to confirm that an external verification has been conducted on our 2017 TSM performance in accordance with the Verification Service Provider (VSP) Terms of Reference.

The external verification was conducted by qualified VSPs from *ERM* through a combination of desktop review, interviews, and site visits. The scope of the external verification included:

- Verification of self-assessments of the six (6) TSM Protocols and assessment of the new *TSM Preventing Child and Forced Labour Protocol* at all three IAMGOLD-managed mining operations: Essakane, Rosebel, and Westwood.
- Verification of the self-assessment on the TSM Crisis Management and Communication Planning Protocol at our head office in Toronto.

The external verifier concluded the following:

- 76 out of a total of 80 indicators were considered applicable for the TSM external verification;
- 71 out of 76 indicators were verified to meet or exceed level A (or meet "yes" for the TSM Crisis Management and Communication Planning Protocol);
- 10 criteria were downgraded; and
- Four criteria were upgraded.

Externally verified results were submitted to MAC in June 2018. We agree with the changes and will modify our evaluation of these indicators accordingly.

Should you require further information or have questions regarding this matter, you can contact Steven Woolfenden at 416-594-2884.

Sincerely,

Stephen J. J. Letwin President and CEO IAMGOLD Corporation

CC: Benjamin Little Steven Woolfenden