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ACQUISITION OF NAP AND JORDAIN CLAIMS COMPLETED

Empire Metals Corp. ("Empire")(TSX.V-EP) has made cash payments and issued 200,000 common shares at a deemed price of \$0.20 per share to satisfy the cash payments remaining due in connection with Empire's acquisition of the NAP and Jordain Claims. The shares are restricted from trading until June 2, 2018.

Empire has now acquired a 100% interest in and to the NAP and Jordain Claims subject to a 1% net smelter returns royalty.

The Jordain Lake and NAP mineral claims are prospective targets for platinum group metals and gold mineralization situated approximately 30 kilometres southwest of North American Palladium's Lac des Iles mine and 25 kilometres south of Empire's Buck Lake platinum palladium project, west of Thunder Bay in north western Ontario. The Jordain Lake consists of 16 claim units covering an area of approximately 256 hectares. The NAP is comprised of two claim units covering about 41 hectares. The claim areas are believed to be floored by mafic and ultra-mafic rocks of similar composition and age as at the nearby Lac des Iles mine.

The technical content of this news release was reviewed and approved by Dr. Bohumil (Boris) Molak, PhD, P.Geo, the Qualified Person for this project as defined by National Instrument 43-101.

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