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Orca Commences Follow-Up Drilling of High-Grade Shoots with Results up to 14m at 65.79 g/t Au at its Block 14 Gold Project in The Sudan and Commences Core Drilling at the Morondo Permit in Côte d'Ivoire

Vancouver, Canada, March 5, 2018 – Orca Gold Inc. (TSX.V:ORG) (“Orca” or the “Company”) is pleased to announce that exploration drilling has resumed at the Block 14 Gold Project in The Sudan and on the Morondo Permit in Côte d'Ivoire.

Highlights

- **New drill programme at Wadi Doum targeting four high-grade structures** with drill results including:
 - **GSRC341:** 21m at 19.35g/t Au
 - **GSRC339:** 14m at 65.79g/t Au, including 1m at 691g/t Au
 - **GSRC542:** 13m at 13.09g/t Au
 - **GSRC691:** 14m at 13.37g/t Au
- **Resource expansion drilling** continues at Galat Sufar South
- Diamond drilling in progress at Morondo in Côte d'Ivoire

Block 14 Gold Project

Orca’s ongoing 25,000-metre drill programme resumed at Block 14 in early February, with two rigs targeting further expansion of the Mineral Resource announced in late January (See Company News Release on January 29, 2018) reporting an Indicated resource of **72.7 Mt grading 1.30g/t Au for 3.05 Moz of gold and an Inferred resource of 19.8 Mt grading 1.2g/t Au for 0.75 Moz of gold.**

A parallel programme will look to extend mineralization to depth at Wadi Doum, convert Inferred resources to Indicated and follow up high-grade structures identified in previous drilling. Wadi Doum is located 65 km east of Galat Sufar South (GSS).

Highlights of intercepts from the previous drilling at Wadi Doum are shown below:

Table 1: Wadi Doum Drill Intercepts

Hole	From	To	Metres	Au g/t Uncut
GSRC339	9	23	14	65.79
	28	34	6	1.22
	55	63	8	1.61
	70	79	9	6.76
	82	86	4	1.37
GSRC340	42	46	4	0.62

	68	73	5	1.97
	77	94	17	1.56
	97	126	29	1.26
	134	138	4	0.55
GSRC341	29	50	21	19.35
	56	59	3	3.31
	92	96	4	1.34
GSRC342	6	13	7	7.07
	19	80	61	1.12
GSRC384	25	28	3	7.20
	36	43	7	0.93
	47	50	3	8.23
GSRC386	16	23	7	0.79
	46	49	3	6.33
GSRC390	5	25	20	1.09
	40	44	4	1.73
	104	107	3	2.99
	113	120	7	1.34
GSRC391	2	7	5	1.03
	35	41	6	1.40
	44	57	13	2.13
	70	101	31	1.51
GSRC400	88	92	4	0.61
	110	120	10	0.78
GSRC401	1	4	3	1.08
	8	31	23	1.75
	35	57	22	7.17
	66	73	7	0.95
	77	85	8	0.89
GSRC402	1	7	6	0.72
	17	28	11	1.54
	34	57	23	0.65
	68	79	11	1.11
	84	103	19	2.63
	106	109	3	1.00
GSRC403	97	102	5	0.57
	122	130	8	1.12
GSRC409	4	10	6	1.05
GSRC412	96	108	12	1.04
GSRC413	32	49	17	12.19
	104	110	6	1.07
GSRC414	96	125	29	0.60
GSRC416	13	19	6	0.65
	67	72	5	0.65
GSRC421	22	25	3	3.72
GSRC422	2	7	5	0.94
GSRC423	45	49	4	0.96
	77	98	21	1.99
	101	107	6	1.08
	137	142	5	0.77
GSRC424	39	49	10	3.09

	72	77	5	1.84
	83	92	9	1.85
GSRC526A	44	51	7	1.22
	155	166	11	1.00
	173	182	9	0.66
	190	195	5	0.68
GSRC527	37	45	8	3.48
	54	59	5	0.82
	124	131	7	0.67
	135	142	7	1.06
	262	271	9	1.18
GSRC528	13	17	4	0.94
GSRC529	31	36	5	1.30
	44	49	5	0.68
	52	56	4	0.66
	63	66	3	3.88
	94	100	6	0.51
	105	112	7	1.92
	115	143	28	16.52
	148	151	3	0.97
GSRC531	155	166	11	2.58
	11	14	3	23.28
	142	149	7	1.13
	204	207	3	0.74
GSRC532	227	230	3	0.78
	57	75	18	8.06
	107	118	11	1.30
GSRC533	122	131	9	1.93
	159	170	11	4.35
GSRC535	0	6	6	5.12
GSRC536	50	62	12	1.06
GSRC537	54	58	4	0.64
	93	99	6	0.67
GSRC540	33	42	9	4.58
	49	54	5	0.84
GSRC541	58	62	4	0.72
	90	103	13	0.99
	122	130	8	1.02
GSRC542	90	103	13	13.09
	107	120	13	5.46
GSRC543	55	73	18	6.10
	85	91	6	1.61
	97	101	4	1.06
	107	116	9	0.59
	136	140	4	0.84
GSRC544	51	57	6	1.49
GSRC545	40	47	7	13.45
	59	93	34	0.89
GSRC546	37	46	9	1.72
	52	66	14	1.13
	83	109	26	1.44

GSRC547	66	97	31	6.08
	Incl 70	82	12	11.53
	119	125	6	3.79
GSRC548	6	22	16	13.88
	Incl 13	18	5	36.77
	35	53	18	5.04
	45	52	7	10.44
	72	100	28	3.38
	Incl 77	82	5	10.45
GSRC549	82	88	6	2.51
	94	100	6	1.54
	104	111	7	0.89
	114	124	10	7.40
GSRC550	11	38	27	5.30
	47	62	15	5.54
	83	121	38	5.30
GSRC601	67	74	7	5.00
	96	108	12	2.87
	116	120	4	2.62
GSRC602	37	53	16	20.11
	57	67	10	22.40
	75	83	8	11.71
	88	95	7	1.92
	99	104	5	0.75
GSRC603	68	74	6	0.85
	83	105	22	2.86
	108	112	4	0.79
GSRC604	37	42	5	1.32
	105	120	15	2.67
GSRC607	21	27	6	7.30
	32	36	4	5.37
GSRC613	80	87	7	1.64
	93	104	11	0.78
	113	129	16	1.97
	143	149	6	1.60
GSRC614	72	82	10	0.80
	124	141	17	1.83
GSRC615	125	155	30	5.03
	Incl 138	152	14	8.56
	169	176	7	0.93
	181	194	13	0.70
GSRC616	59	62	3	0.63
	74	80	6	0.57
	84	117	33	4.66
	128	140	12	2.47
GSRC618	13	16	3	1.84
	74	88	14	0.99
	100	104	4	1.88
	109	119	10	1.67
	126	131	5	0.95
	134	139	5	0.76

GSRC619	85	88	3	2.43
GSRC687	19	52	33	2.57
	65	77	12	2.40
GSRC690	32	45	13	0.62
	81	94	13	12.69
GSRC691	103	117	14	13.37
GSRC692	43	54	11	1.69
GSRC693	8	24	16	1.00
GSRC694	24	31	7	1.37
GSRC695	5	23	18	2.01
GSRC697	11	32	21	0.98
GSRC698	73	135	62	0.98
GSRC700	88	114	26	1.00
MET004DD	40	50	10	0.68
	74	104.80	30.8	14.99
MET005DD	17	45	28	5.50
	57	65	8	3.84
	71	81	10.00	1.18
	86	102	16	1.86
	105	130	25	1.18
MET014DD	65	74.2	9.2	2.12
	83	112	29	7.59

True widths are between 50% and 70% of intercept width

Cote d'Ivoire - Morondo Drilling

Following the success of the drill programme at Morondo in December 2017 (See Company News Release on January 31, 2018), the Company has recently completed two diamond drill holes to provide sample material for detailed metallurgical test work. Initial metallurgical testing demonstrated an average of 96% recovery in fresh rock. This new programme will investigate both the heap leach and CIL/CIP potential ahead of a decision to drill out a maiden resource at Morondo.

Rick Clark, CEO and Director of Orca, commented, "In January we announced a significant increase in the Mineral Resource at Block 14. This new Resource provides the base for the Feasibility Study scheduled for completion in May, however it does not represent the full potential at Block 14. Drilling is ongoing at GSS and Wadi Doum adding more ounces to our exciting story. In particular, the high-grade structures at Wadi Doum could represent a significant further expansion opportunity for the Project.

In Côte d'Ivoire, our recent drilling at the Morondo project has confirmed the historical discovery and expanded the area of mineralization. Core samples are now being processed for further metallurgical testing to assess processing options. With positive results from this new test work a resource expansion and conversion programme will be commenced at Morondo towards preparation of a Preliminary Economic Assessment study."

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currently focused on completing a Feasibility Study on its 70%-owned Block 14 gold project in the Republic of the Sudan and is actively conducting exploration on its strategic portfolio of highly prospective gold properties in Côte d'Ivoire.

The technical contents of this release have been approved by Hugh Stuart, BSc, MSc, a Qualified Person pursuant to NI 43-101. Mr. Stuart is President of the Company and a Chartered Geologist and Fellow of the Geological Society of London. Samples used for the results described herein are prepared and analyzed by fire assay using a 50 gram charge at the ALS Chemex facility at Rosia Montana in Romania in compliance with industry standards. Field duplicate samples are taken and blanks and standards are added to every batch submitted.

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