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PACIFIC RIDGE ANNOUNCES INVESTOR RELATIONS AGREEMENT

Vancouver, B.C. – **September 15, 2025** - Pacific Ridge Exploration Ltd. (PEX: TSX Venture; PEXZF: OTCQB; FSE: PQW) ("Pacific Ridge" or the "Company") has entered into an agreement with Triomphe Holdings Ltd. (dba Capital Analytica) ("Capital Analytica") for investor relations and communications services (the "Capital Analytica Agreement").

The Capital Analytica Agreement has an initial term of six months, commencing September 15, 2025, under which the Company will pay Capital Analytica an aggregate of CAD\$120,000 in cash at a rate of CAD\$20,000 per month, with the option to renew for an additional six months at a rate of CAD\$10,000 per month, unless terminated earlier in accordance with the terms of the Capital Analytica Agreement. Pacific Ridge is also required to grant 100,000 incentive stock options to Capital Analytica at a later date. The Capital Analytica Agreement is subject to TSX Venture Exchange approval.

About Pacific Ridge

A Fiore Group company, Pacific Ridge's goal is to become British Columbia's leading copper exploration company. The Kliyul copper-gold project, located in the prolific Quesnel terrane close to existing infrastructure, is the Company's flagship project. In addition to Kliyul, Pacific Ridge's project portfolio includes the RDP copper-gold project, the Chuchi copper-gold project, the Onjo copper-gold project, and the Redton copper-gold project, all located in B.C. The Company would like to acknowledge that its B.C. projects are in the traditional, ancestral and unceded territories of the Gitxsan Nation, McLeod Lake Indian Band, Nak'azdli Whut'en, Takla Nation, and Tsay Keh Dene Nation.

On behalf of the Board of Directors,

"Blaine Monaghan"

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conditions. These statements are based on a number of assumptions including, among other things, assumptions regarding general business and economic conditions, that one of the options will be exercised, the ability of Pacific Ridge and other parties to satisfy stock exchange and other regulatory requirements in a timely manner, the availability of financing for Pacific Ridge's proposed programs on reasonable terms, and the ability of third party service providers to deliver services in a timely manner. Investors are cautioned that any such statements are not guarantees of future performance and actual results or developments may differ materially from those projected in the forward-looking statements. Pacific Ridge does not assume any obligation to update or revise its forward-looking statements, whether because of new information, future events or otherwise, except as required by applicable law.