



## **ALMONTY RECEIVES NEW LAND CLASSIFICATION FOR ITS VALTREIXAL PROPERTY IN SPAIN**

**TORONTO--(BUSINESS WIRE)—June 13, 2020**—Almonty Industries Inc. (TSX:AI) (“Almonty”) announces that it has received, from the Municipality of Pedralba de la Paraderia in Spain, a new land classification for its Valtreixal Property whereby the property is now deemed to be suitable for extraction activity. The Company’s Valtreixal Property is located approximately 250 kilometers from the Company’s wholly-owned Los Santos Mine in Spain and 185 kilometers from Salamanca.

This new land classification will now allow the Company to complete the mining permitting process and to move forward with the completion of an open-pit mine plan for the property. We expect this permitting process to now be finished at the end of this summer 2020.

Almonty’s Chairman, President and CEO Lewis Black commented:

“We are very pleased that, after several years of intense geological and metallurgical work performed by our seasoned technical team and by external specialists with respect to assessments of environmental impact, historical heritage and socio-economic issues, as well as restoration plans, the Spanish government has finally given their stamp of approval to move forward towards obtaining a mining licence for our Valtreixal Property. This has significantly increased the value of this project with the re-zoning and we are now preparing the plans to relocate, in part, the plant from Los Santos to its future home in Valtreixal.

I would like to thank the administrative team at the Municipality of Pedralba de la Paraderia in Spain as well as all of the various external experts, including Siemcalsa, The regional Mines department of Castilla y Leon and the Environment department for their collaboration and perseverance in helping to achieve this very important milestone for the Company. I am now looking forward to seeing the chosen successor of Los Santos come into full production supported by the current Los Santos team and a successfully functioning plant from Los Santos.”

## **About Almonty**

The principal business of Toronto, Canada-based Almonty Industries Inc. is the mining, processing and shipping of tungsten concentrate from its Los Santos mine in western Spain and its Panasqueira mine in Portugal as well as the development of its Sangdong tungsten mine in Gangwon Province, South Korea and the development of the Valtreixal tin/tungsten project in north western Spain. The Los Santos mine was acquired by Almonty in September 2011 and is located approximately 50 kilometres from Salamanca in western Spain and produces tungsten concentrate. The Panasqueira mine, which has been in production since 1896, located approximately 260 kilometres northeast of Lisbon, Portugal, was acquired in January 2016 and produces tungsten concentrate. The Sangdong mine, which was historically one of the largest tungsten mines in the world and one of the few long-life, high-grade tungsten deposits outside of China, was acquired in September 2015 through the acquisition of a 100% interest in Woulfe Mining Corp. Almonty owns 100% of the Valtreixal tin-tungsten project in north-western Spain. Further information about Almonty's activities may be found at [www.almonty.com](http://www.almonty.com) and under Almonty's SEDAR profile at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

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