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Royal Gold Provides Update on Mt. Milligan Stream Deliveries

DENVER, COLORADO. OCTOBER 14, 2014: ROYAL GOLD, INC. (NASDAQ:RGLD; TSX: RGL) announces that its wholly owned subsidiary, RGLD Gold AG (“Royal Gold” or the “Company”) received approximately 13,600 ounces of gold for the quarter ended September 30, 2014 from the Mt. Milligan mine as part of its purchase and sale agreement with Thompson Creek Metals Company, Inc. (“Thompson Creek”), consisting of approximately 7,000 ounces upon final settlement of Thompson Creek’s third, fourth and fifth shipments from the Mt. Milligan mine and approximately 6,600 ounces upon provisional payment relating to Thompson Creek’s eighth and ninth shipments.

For the quarter ended September 30, 2014, Royal Gold sold approximately 15,300 ounces of gold from Thompson Creek, and had approximately 6,100 ounces remaining in inventory as of September 30, 2014.

The Company notes that Thompson Creek reported production for Mt. Milligan of approximately 60,400 ounces of payable gold and sales of approximately 57,900 ounces of payable gold in the quarter ended September 30, 2014.

Royal Gold receives physical metal within two days of Thompson Creek recording the sale, which can take between five days and several weeks post-shipment. Royal Gold currently sells most of the delivered gold within three weeks of receipt, and recognizes revenue on its streaming transactions when the metal received is sold.

Deliveries of gold to Royal Gold are based on gold ounces shipped in concentrates from Mt. Milligan multiplied by a 97% payable factor. Under the purchase and sale agreement, the first 12 concentrate shipments from Mt. Milligan are subject to gold deliveries based on the receipt of provisional payments under each smelter contract. For shipments 1-4, 75% of the gold ounces delivered to Royal Gold were delivered based on receipt of the provisional payment under each smelter contract, and 25% of the gold ounces were delivered upon final settlement under each contract. For shipments 5-8, those percentages are 50% and 50%, respectively, and for shipments 9-12, the percentages are 25% and 75%, respectively. Thereafter, all deliveries will be based solely on final settlement timing and volumes, subject to Thompson Creek’s smelter contracts.

CORPORATE PROFILE

Royal Gold is a precious metals royalty and stream company engaged in the acquisition and management of precious metal royalties, streams, and similar production based interests. The Company owns interests on 198 properties on six continents, including interests on 37 producing mines and 23 development stage projects. Royal Gold is publicly traded on the NASDAQ Global Select Market under the symbol “RGLD,” and on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol “RGL.” The Company’s website is located at www.royalgold.com.

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