

PRESS RELEASE

Shareholder Reports Change in Equity Interests Below 10% in Top Exploration Inc.

Vancouver, British Columbia, October 9, 2020 – Further to the news releases of Top Exploration Inc. (the "**Issuer**") (CSE: TE) dated September 25 and October 7, 2020, Barry Hartley, of North Vancouver, BC (the "**Acquiror**") announces that as a result of the private placement completed by the Issuer on October 7, 2020 (the "**Private Placement**") the percentage of the common shares of the Issuer controlled by the Acquiror fell below 10%.

Pursuant to the Private Placement, on September 7, 2020, the Issuer issued 14,500,000 common shares of the Issuer at \$0.05 per common share.

The Acquiror did not purchase any additional common shares pursuant to the Private Placement.

Prior to the Private Placement, the Acquiror beneficially owned an aggregate of 2,121,891 common shares of the Issuer, representing 26.66% of the issued and outstanding common shares of the Issuer on a non-diluted basis and on a fully diluted basis.

After the Private Placement, the Acquiror has beneficial ownership or control over 2,121,891 common shares of the Issuer, representing 9.45% of the Issuer's issued and outstanding common shares on a non-diluted and on a fully-diluted basis.

The Acquiror intends to evaluate his investment in the Issuer and to increase or decrease his beneficial shareholdings from time to time as he may determine appropriate for investment purposes.

This press release is being issued pursuant to National Instrument 62-103 – *The Early Warning System and Related Take-Over Bid and Insider Reporting Issuers* which requires the issuance of this news release and the filing of an early warning report under the Issuer's profile on SEDAR (www.sedar.com) containing additional information respecting the forgoing matters. A copy of the early warning reports of each Acquiror may be obtained from the Issuer, at Suite 1080, 789 West Pender Street Vancouver, BC V6C 1H2, or under the Issuer's profile on SEDAR (www.sedar.com).

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