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SCANDIUM INTERNATIONAL RECEIVES ROYALTY PAY-OUT

Reno, Nevada, January 24, 2020 – Scandium International Mining Corp. (**TSX:SCY**) (**"Scandium International" or the "Company"**) advises that it completed a NSR royalty buyback arrangement with Osisko Mining Inc. on interests related to the Windfall Lake gold property in Quebec, Canada. The C\$1,000,000 royalty buyback amount was received by the Company, and subsequently divided amongst several unrelated entities with interests in the royalty asset. The net amount retained by Scandium International, after distributions, was C\$500,000 (US\$ 383,330).

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