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NuLegacy Provides Guidance on 2016 Exploration & Corporate Plans

~ Reviews 2015/16 Progress ~

March 15, 2016 - Reno, NV - NuLegacy Gold Corporation reviews 2015 progress and provides guidance on its 2016 exploration and corporate objectives.

2015-16 Progress:

Jan 20, 2015 - American Assay Labs confirms Iceberg gold deposits demonstrate high average leaching recoveries of 74.5% (within a range of 64.4% to 89.2%) in industry standard preliminary leach test.

Jan 27, 2015 - NuLegacy reports first sniff of high-grade gold mineralization (assay of 12.7 grams/t. over 1.5 meters) from the last of 2014 drilling. As it turned out there were quite a number of high grade intercepts drilled and reported during the balance of 2015 (such as 25.2 grams/t over 4.6 metres within 41.2 meters of 3.9 grams/t. – see news release of May 7, 2015) as the new 'North zone' in the Iceberg developed and expanded.

Feb 18, **2015** – NuLegacy receives BLM approval for Plan of Operations; the significance being that we are now permitted and bonded to significantly expand drilling within an area of up to 100 acres (at any one time) within a designated 1760 acres, the approximately 3 sq. miles or 7 sq. km covering the Iceberg deposit and surrounds. This allows for a multi-drill rig exploration program, whereas drilling of NuLegacy's initial 70 holes into the Iceberg was under a Notice of Intent limiting maximum disturbance to 5 acres at any one time.

May 7, 2015 - Assays from first phase of 2015 multiphase drilling program confirm more high-grade gold mineralization in the North Zone - for example hole RHB-40 returned 10.9 grams/t. over 12.2 meters within a longer interval of 3.9 grams/t. over 41.2 meters.

<u>May 26</u> & <u>Jun 3, 2015</u> - During what was likely the nadir of the last 5-year bear market in gold we announced a C\$1.8 million dollar financing on May 26th and because of tremendous ongoing support from our long-patient shareholders, we closed it at C\$2.2 million on June 3^{rd} , 2015.

Jun 11, Jul 23, Aug 26 & Sept 30, 2015 – NuLegacy continues to report long intervals of good to high grade assays expanding the new North zone while discovering new zones of mineralization in the Central and South zones.

<u>Oct 13, 2015</u> - NuLegacy completes US\$5.0 million of direct exploration expenditures to earn 70% of the Iceberg gold deposit with Barrick Gold retaining a 30% minority working interest.

Dec 23, 2015 - Barrick Gold confirms NuLegacy has earned 70% of the Iceberg.

Mar 3, 2016 - Barrick Gold becomes NuLegacy's largest shareholder through the exchange of Barrick's 30% working interest in the Iceberg deposit for 32 million shares of NuLegacy (16.7% of outstanding shares) and a 2% net profits interest.

2016 Exploration objectives:

1. Starting in early May, when we expect that ground conditions will be economically optimum, we will commence a multiphase 10,000-meter (33,000 ft.) drilling program ("2016 Drill Program") to continue the delineation of the Iceberg gold deposit.

As has been our practice, we will drill eight to ten holes and then use the assays from these to confirm our selection of the next eight to ten holes. We are scheduling completion of the 10,000 meters (approximately 40 holes) in five phases by late August.

The majority of the drilling will focus on expanding the extent of the high-grade zones in the Iceberg deposit, with a sizable portion directed towards exploring other prospective Carlin-type gold systems on the property, principally the Avocado, VIO and Jasperoid Basin gold anomalies.

2. Having secured 100% of the Iceberg gold deposit (news release dated Mar 3, 2016), NuLegacy will now proceed to commission the preparation of its maiden NI 43-101 estimate of resources.

From the outset, NuLegacy spent its exploration budget (US5.0 million to date) focusing on near-surface oxides and has established an exploration target of 90 - 110 million tonnes grading 0.9 to 1.1 grams of gold/tonne (figures are conceptual – see endnote iii).

The exploration target is a 3,000-meter structural corridor (on trend with the other three large Carlin-type gold deposits in the Cortez), with the classic northwest-southeast strike of the Cortez "Carlin-style gold systems".

To date, there are two concentrations of gold mineralization; the North zone, (covering circa 350 meters of strike) and the larger Central zone (covering circa 650 meters of strike) where drill density is sufficient to support the planned NI 43-101 resource calculation.

Corporate objectives for 2016 and beyond:

- 1. NuLegacy has sufficient funds to begin the multi-phase 2016 Drill Program and will be financing to complete it and provide further funds to advance the project towards development in 2017 and beyond.
- 2. Increase our IP/PR efforts and enroll sponsoring broker coverage to assist in financing and value recognition programs through ongoing research and sales coverage and dialogue with investors, supporting endorsements and trading desk support.
- 3. Ultimately, capitalize on the value of the Iceberg and adjacent deposits by selling to or merging with a capable gold producer.

The Iceberg gold deposit, located in the Cortez gold trend of Nevada, is adjacentⁱ to <u>three of</u> <u>Barrick's multi-million ounce</u> Carlin-type gold deposits that are its lowest cost and politically safest gold assetsⁱⁱ, and has **an established exploration target of 90-110 million tonnes of 0.9 to 1.1 grams of gold per tonneⁱⁱⁱ**.

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Dr. Roger Steininger, NuLegacy's chief operating officer is a Certified Professional Geologist (CPG 7417) and the qualified person as defined by NI 43-101, *Standards of Disclosure for Mineral Projects* responsible for preparing and reviewing the scientific and technical information contained in this news release

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ⁱ The similarity and close proximity of these deposits in the Cortez Trend is not necessarily indicative of the gold mineralization in the Iceberg deposit.

ⁱⁱ As extracted from Barrick's Q4-2013 and Q1-2014 reports.

ⁱⁱⁱ These figures are conceptual in nature and derived from a compilation of 149 historic and 34 NuLegacy drill holes in and around the Iceberg deposit. To date, there has been insufficient exploration to define a mineral resource and it is uncertain if further exploration will result in the target being delineated as a mineral resource.