

## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **Skeena Completes Share Consolidation**

Vancouver, BC (October 20, 2017) Skeena Resources Limited (TSX.V: SKE) ("Skeena" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that the TSX Venture Exchange has approved the consolidation of the Company's common shares on a basis of 10 pre-consolidation common shares for 1 post-consolidation common share effective at the opening of market on October 20, 2017. Outstanding warrants and incentive stock options were also adjusted. The number of common shares of the Company issued and outstanding has now been reduced from 727,941,831 shares to 72,793,978 shares.

Letters of transmittal have been mailed to all registered shareholders holding share certificates with instructions on how to exchange existing share certificate(s) for new share certificate(s). The letter of transmittal is also available through the Company's transfer agent, Computershare Investor Services Inc., on SEDAR and on the Company's website <a href="here">here</a>.

## **About Skeena**

Skeena Resources Limited is a junior Canadian mining exploration company focused on developing prospective precious and base metal properties in the Golden Triangle region of northwest British Columbia, Canada. The Company's primary activities are the exploration and development of the past-producing Snip gold mine, acquired from Barrick Gold, and the past-producing Porter Idaho silver mine. The Company also recently announced Preliminary Economic Assessment results for the Spectrum-GJ copper-gold porphyry project.

On behalf of the Board of Directors of Skeena Resources Limited,

Walter Coles Jr. President & CEO

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