



**CALLINEX**  
MINES INC.

**MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS**

**FOR THE YEAR ENDED SEPTEMBER 30, 2017**

**Management's Discussion and Analysis for the year ended September 30, 2017**

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The information contained in this Management's Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations for the year ended September 30, 2017 ("MD&A") has been prepared as of December 15, 2017. It should be read in conjunction with the audited financial statements of Callinex Mines Inc. for the year ended September 30, 2017.

The referenced financial statements have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS"). All amounts are expressed in the Company's presentational currency of Canadian dollars unless otherwise indicated.

**CORPORATE SUMMARY**

Callinex Mines Inc. (the "Company" or "Callinex") is principally engaged in the acquisition, exploration and development of mineral properties within established Canadian mining jurisdictions with its head office located in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada. The Company is a reporting issuer in British Columbia and Alberta and trades its common shares on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol CNX.

**Business Strategy**

Callinex Mines Inc. is focused on advancing its portfolio of zinc rich deposits located in established Canadian mining jurisdictions. The portfolio is highlighted by its Nash Creek and Superjack deposits in the Bathurst Mining District of New Brunswick.

Additionally, Callinex is actively exploring its projects in the Flin Flon Mining District of Manitoba which notably includes the Pine Bay and Big Island Projects. These projects are located within 25 km to an operating processing facility that requires additional ore within four years.

**Operational Highlights**

- Completed over 18,000m of diamond drilling at the Company's projects in the Bathurst and Flin Flon mining districts;
- Announced plans to complete a Preliminary Economic Assessment ("PEA") at the Nash Creek and Superjack Projects in 2018;
- Completed a maiden drilling campaign in the Bathurst Mining District that led to a material expansion of the Nash Creek Deposit while subsequent drilling at the nearby Superjack Project led to the discovery of a new high-grade zinc zone (See News Releases dated September 5 and November 16, 2017);
- Completed and filed three National Instrument 43-101 technical reports supporting the Mineral Resource Estimates on its Nash Creek, Superjack and Point Leamington zinc projects;
- Announced a significant new zinc and gold VMS discovery with 10.3m grading 13.1% Zn Eq. including 4.2m of 20.8% Zn Eq. at the Pine Bay Project;
- Entered into an option agreement to acquire a 100% interest in the Big Island Project located near Flin Flon, Manitoba that contains the Tara Lake Deposit, one of the highest-grade VMS discoveries within the Flin Flon Mining District;
- Announced key appointments to the management team including J.J. O'Donnell as Vice President, Exploration, Jordan Butler as Vice President, Corporate Development and Matthew Anderson as Chief Financial Officer; and
- Raised total gross proceeds of \$7.4 million at share prices ranging from \$0.45 to \$0.55 to advance the Company's business objectives.

**EXPLORATION PROGRAMS AND EXPENDITURES**

During the year ended September 30, 2017, the Company incurred deferred acquisition and exploration expenditures of \$3,763,387 (2016 - \$2,633,809). The majority of the expenditures relate to the Pine Bay project, the Nash Creek project and the Superjack project.

	<b>Flin Flon</b>	<b>Point Leamington</b>	<b>Nash Creek</b>	<b>Superjack</b>	<b>Other</b>	<b>Total</b>
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
<b>September 30, 2015</b>	<b>8,438,986</b>	-	-	-	<b>1,366,183</b>	<b>9,805,169</b>
Acquisition	-	525,000	114,800	114,800	-	754,600
Assaying	25,237	-	-	-	-	25,237
Camp costs	60,643	-	-	-	-	60,643
Consulting	36,682	4,898	5,617	4,898	-	52,095
Drilling	1,145,213	-	-	-	-	1,145,213
Geologists	99,200	2,700	-	-	-	101,900
Geochemical	24,687	-	-	-	-	24,687
Geophysical	255,862	6,692	1,243	18,117	-	281,914
Other	22,068	4,865	-	-	-	26,933
Permitting	13,672	6,673	1,980	1,916	1,781	26,022
Recovery	-	-	-	(14,000)	-	(14,000)
Share-based compensation	64,997	27,856	27,856	27,856	-	148,565
	<u>1,748,261</u>	<u>578,684</u>	<u>151,496</u>	<u>153,587</u>	<u>1,781</u>	<u>2,633,809</u>
<b>September 30, 2016</b>	<b>10,187,247</b>	<b>578,684</b>	<b>151,496</b>	<b>153,587</b>	<b>1,367,964</b>	<b>12,438,978</b>
Acquisition	83,044	-	73,750	73,750	-	230,544
Assaying	11,788	18,745	90,432	15,773	-	136,738
Camp costs	130,482	-	9,890	11,471	-	151,843
Consulting	10,292	-	17,670	-	-	27,962
Drilling	1,973,716	-	405,677	344,928	-	2,724,321
Geologists	146,458	-	56,151	38,121	-	240,730
Geochemical	77,061	-	-	-	-	77,061
Geophysical	241,295	1,000	53,154	46,895	212	342,556
Other	22,329	300	20,475	21,677	-	64,781
Permitting	12,310	-	25,345	6,390	902	44,947
Recovery	(360,000)	-	(12,000)	437	(11,362)	(382,925)
Share-based compensation	73,380	-	18,869	12,580	-	104,829
	<u>2,422,155</u>	<u>20,045</u>	<u>759,413</u>	<u>572,022</u>	<u>(10,248)</u>	<u>3,763,387</u>
<b>September 30, 2017</b>	<b>12,609,402</b>	<b>598,729</b>	<b>910,909</b>	<b>725,609</b>	<b>1,357,716</b>	<b>16,202,365</b>

The following are the exploration and evaluation assets held by the Company:

**Superjack and Nash Creek properties**

The Nash Creek and Superjack projects are located within the Bathurst Mining Camp ("BMC") of New Brunswick, Canada, and benefit from excellent infrastructure including road access to a concentrate operating processing facility approximately 90km and 50km away by road. The BMC has been one of the most productive and economically significant base metal mining districts in the world. In total, more than 130 million tonnes of zinc sulphide rich material have been extracted from at least ten mines, nearly all of which has been mined since the 1950s.

The Company has commenced a summer drilling campaign at its Superjack and Nash Creek projects. It is anticipated that additional drilling program may occur in late 2017 and 2018. The objective of the 2017 summer drilling program is to test for expansion potential to the north of the Nash Creek Deposit while the drilling program at the Superjack project will test for expansion of the A Zone at depth.

**Pine Bay**

Callinex owns a 100% interest, subject to a 1% Net Smelter Return ("NSR") royalty and a 5.12% Net Profits Interest, in the 6,000ha Pine Bay Project. The project is located 16km east of Flin Flon, MB and covers the Baker Patton Felsic Complex, one of the largest and most highly altered accumulations of felsic rocks within the Flin Flon Greenstone Belt. The project hosts four past producing VMS mines and historic resources. Additionally, high-grade copper and zinc mineralization is contained within a mineral lease that allows for the right to operate a mine and covers a 212m vertical shaft with 760m of underground development.

In October, 2016 Callinex announced that hole 284-3-93-DPN intersected 10.3m grading 13.1% zinc equivalent mineralization ("Zn Eq.") containing 6.0% Zn, 1.8 g/t Au, 60.4 g/t Ag, 0.7% Cu and 0.4% Pb including a higher grade interval over 4.2m grading 20.8% Zn Eq. containing 11.8% Zn, 2.4 g/t Au, 73.8 g/t Ag, 0.7% Cu and 0.7% Pb (See News Release dated October 18, 2016). The discovery was made by extending a historic Placer Dome drill hole by an additional 38 meters. The historic drill hole was initially drilled as part of their mandate to discover a 30 million ton Volcanogenic Massive Sulphide ("VMS") deposit at the Pine Bay Project.

Callinex has completed over 15,000m of drilling with the objective to discover additional high-grade VMS mineralization within the project area. The Company anticipates completing further drill programs in 2017 and 2018.

**Big Island**

Callinex has an option to acquire a 100% interest in the Big Island Project located 10 km east from HudBay's processing facilities in Flin Flon, Manitoba. The project includes the Tara Lake Deposit, which is one of the highest-grade VMS discoveries within the Flin Flon Mining District. Interestingly, no follow-up exploration has occurred at the Tara Lake Deposit since the initial discovery and subsequent exploration that was conducted between 1987 and 1991. Callinex believes this represents a compelling exploration opportunity given the tenor of mineralization combined with modern geological and geophysical advancements over the last 25 years.

Callinex has initiated a geological and geophysical review of the project area in order to identify drill-ready targets. The Company anticipates completing drill programs in 2017 and 2018.

**Flin Flon**

Callinex owns a 100% interest, subject to a 2% NSR royalty of which 1% of the NSR royalty may be purchased for \$1,000,000, in the Flin Flon Project. The project is located 3 km southeast of Flin Flon, MB and covers 2,455 ha with similar geological strata to the main mine horizon that hosts Hudbay's 777 mine. The project was acquired based on the presence of these favourable geological strata, known mineral occurrences and close proximity to more than ten former producing VMS mines.

Callinex has completed interpretation of an airborne geophysical survey that led to the identification of several prospective drill targets. Additionally, the Company entered into an option agreement with HudBay Minerals Inc. to acquire land adjacent to its Hook Lake target. Callinex anticipates this target could be tested as part of an upcoming drilling program in 2017 or 2018.

**Pt. Leamington property**

The Pt. Leamington Project, consisting of Mining Lease 136(2655), is located approximately 37km by road and trails from the city of Grand-Falls Windsor, Newfoundland, and approximately 20km from the provincial power grid. The deposit is a large, felsic-hosted zinc rich VMS deposit that dips 70 degrees to the west, has a strike length of 500m and a maximum thickness of 85m. Massive sulphides have been intercepted to a depth of 360m below surface from a total of approximately 21,714m of drilling in 72 drill holes. Regional government mapping and lithogeochemical sampling has indicated that the Pt. Leamington Project's host volcanic stratigraphy extends well beyond the vicinity of the deposit.

The Company has completed preliminary metallurgical work to characterize the nature of mineralization. Callinex will assess opportunities for further metallurgical testing and preliminary engineering work.

**Other**

The Company has an interest in other properties. The other properties are in good standing and do not require any further commitments. These include the Neuron property, Gossan Gold, Sneath Lake property, Coles Creek property, Fox River property, Moak Lake property, Norris Lake property, the Herblet Lake property and the Island Lake properties.

**SELECTED ANNUAL INFORMATION**

The following is a summary of certain selected audited financial information of the Company as at and for the years ended September 30, 2017, 2016 and 2015.

	<b>2017</b> <b>(\$)</b>	<b>2016</b> <b>(\$)</b>	<b>2015</b> <b>(\$)</b>
Total Revenues	-	-	-
Loss	(2,021,142)	(1,983,638)	(4,389,963)
Loss Per Share (basic and diluted) <sup>(1)</sup>	(0.03)	(0.04)	(0.12)
Total Assets	22,760,732	16,911,561	13,822,017
Long Term Debt	-	-	-
Dividends Declared	-	-	-

<sup>(1)</sup> The basic and diluted loss per share amounts are the same amount due to the anti-dilutive effect of outstanding stock options and warrants.

The loss was higher in the year ended September 30, 2015 due to exploration and evaluation assets write downs of \$3,536,375.

The loss (normalized for the removal of asset write downs) was higher in the years ended September 30, 2017 and September 30, 2016 due to the increased activity of the Company.

The total assets were higher in the years ended September 30, 2017 and September 30, 2016 due to net proceeds received from the equity financings of \$7,435,001 and \$4,308,000, respectively.

**QUARTERLY INFORMATION**

The following is selected financial data from the Company's unaudited quarterly financial statements for the last eight quarters ending with the most recently completed quarter, being the three months ended September 30, 2017.

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	<b>September 30 2017 (\$)</b>	<b>June 30 2017 (\$)</b>	<b>March 31 2017 (\$)</b>	<b>December 31 2016 (\$)</b>
<b>Three months ended</b>				
Revenues	-	-	-	-
Loss	(498,146)	(403,663)	(339,031)	(780,302)
Loss per share (basic and diluted)	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)

	<b>September 30 2016 (\$)</b>	<b>June 30 2016 (\$)</b>	<b>March 31 2016 (\$)</b>	<b>December 31 2015 (\$)</b>
<b>Three months ended</b>				
Revenues	-	-	-	-
Loss	(593,356)	(554,469)	(425,562)	(410,251)
Loss per share (basic and diluted)	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)	(0.01)

(1) The basic and diluted loss per share amounts are the same amount due to the anti-dilutive effect of outstanding stock options and warrants.

The loss for the quarter ended December 31, 2016 was higher compared to other quarters, due to the increase in corporate development expense of \$371,490 for promoting the Company and increase in share-based compensation of \$177,657 as a result of stock options granted during the period and vesting of previously granted options. The losses reflected for the other quarters are comparable.

**RESULTS OF OPERATIONS**

During the year ended September 30, 2017, the Company reported a loss of \$2,021,142 and a loss per share of \$0.03 (2016 - \$1,983,638 and \$0.04 loss per share)

	<b>2017 (\$)</b>	<b>2016 (\$)</b>
General and administrative expenses	(1,732,861)	(1,670,494)
Share-based payments	(311,559)	(461,539)
Finance income	23,278	6,195
Gain on settlement of account payable	-	142,200
Loss for the period	(2,021,142)	(1,983,638)

With respect to general and administrative expenses, the 2017 expenditures were generally higher than those of 2016 primarily because of the Company's increased activity levels. The most significant general and administrative expenses were with respect to the following:

Corporate development - \$825,252 (2016 - \$792,296)

These costs relate to corporate development matters. The increase is as a result of increased activity in relation to corporate development, project acquisitions and capital raising efforts during the period.

Management and consulting fees - \$333,329 (2016 - \$383,074)

These include fees paid to the Company's senior executives and employees. The decrease in the current year is due a reduction in consulting fees and bonuses to management.

Office and administration - \$354,387 (2016 - \$266,616)

These costs relate to general corporate matters. The increase in fees were general due to the increases in travel and administrative salaries resulting from the increased corporate activities.

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Professional fees - \$130,982 (2016 - \$114,352)

These include fees paid for legal of \$44,969 (2016 - \$34,809) and accounting and audit fees of \$86,013 (2016 - \$79,543). The increase in fees was due to an increase in activities.

Share-based compensation expense of \$311,559 (2016 - \$461,539)

Relates to options granted to executives, directors and consultants. The expense in the current period was based on 2,125,000 (2016 - 3,400,000) newly granted options and vesting terms of options granted in previous years. In the current period, there was also \$104,829 (2016 - \$148,565) of share-based compensation that was capitalized to exploration and evaluation assets.

**Three months ended September 30, 2017**

During the three months ended September 30, 2017, the Company reported a loss of \$498,146 and a loss per share of \$0.01 (2016 - \$593,356 and \$0.01 loss per share)

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	(\$)	(\$)
General and administrative expenses	(494,467)	(566,430)
Share-based payments	(10,947)	(33,121)
Finance income	7,268	6,195
Loss for the period	(498,146)	(593,356)

The general and administrative expenses decreased during the three months ended September 30, 2017 compared to the comparable period mainly due to the decrease in corporate development costs of \$267,453 (2016 - \$327,970). Other significant general and administrative expenses were with respect to the following:

Management and consulting fees - \$78,908 (2016 - \$74,204)

These include fees paid to the Company's senior executives and employees.

Office and administration - \$86,261 (2016 - \$71,076)

These costs relate to general corporate matters. The increase is generally due to the increases in travel and administrative salaries resulting from the increased corporate activities.

Share-based compensation expense of \$10,947 (2016 - \$33,121)

Relates to options granted to executives, directors and consultants. The expense in the current period was based on vesting terms of options granted in previous periods.

**FINANCING ACTIVITIES**

During the years ended September 30, 2017 and 2016, the Company completed the following financing activities:

Pursuant to the terms of the warrants issued under the Company's private placement financings completed on July 30, 2015 and May 11, 2016, if the average volume weighted average trading price of the Company's shares on the TSX Venture Exchange is above \$0.60 per share for a period of any fifteen trading days, the Company is entitled to accelerate the expiry date of the warrants. On December 5, 2016 the Company elected to provide such notice and a total of 5,246,336 warrants were exercised for gross proceeds of \$2,360,851.

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On November 22, 2016 the Company closed a private placement consisting of 8,050,000 non-flow through units at \$0.50 per unit and 1,820,000 flow through shares at \$0.55 per share for aggregate gross proceeds of \$5,026,000. Each non-flow through unit consists of one non-flow through common share and one-half of one share purchase warrant. Each warrant entitles the holder to acquire one non-flow through common share at a price of \$0.75 for a period of three years.

On May 11, 2016 and May 13, 2016 the Company closed private placements consisting of 7,000,000 non-flow-through units at \$0.30 per unit and 7,000,000 flow-through shares at \$0.30 per flow-through share for gross proceeds of \$4,200,000. The non-flow-through units consists of one common share and one half of one share purchase warrant. Each whole warrant entitles the holder to acquire one common share at a price of \$0.45 for a period of two years.

**LIQUIDITY AND CAPITAL RESOURCES**

As at September 30, 2017 the Company had cash on hand of \$5,711,751 compared to \$4,259,785 as at September 30, 2016. The net increase in cash for the period is due to the Company raising \$7,062,432 of net proceeds through a private placement and exercise of warrants and options, offset by cash used in operating activities (\$1,874,425) and investing activities (\$3,736,041).

As at September 30, 2017 the Company had working capital of \$5,896,802 (September 30, 2016 - \$4,170,807) and no long term debt.

**FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

The Company's financial instruments consist of cash and cash equivalents, receivables, deposits, and accounts payable and accrued liabilities. The Company designated its cash and cash equivalents, receivables and deposits as loans and receivables. The accounts payable and accrued liabilities are designated as other financial liabilities.

The Company is exposed in varying degrees to a variety of financial instrument related risks.

**Credit risk**

Credit risk is the risk of an unexpected loss if a customer or third party to a financial instrument fails to meet its contractual obligations.

The Company's cash and cash equivalents are held at large Canadian financial institutions in interest bearing accounts. The Company's receivables consist mainly of input tax credits receivable due from the Government of Canada and mineral exploration assistance program receivable from the Government of Manitoba. The Company does not believe it is exposed to significant credit risk.

**Liquidity risk**

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Company will not be able to meet its financial obligations as they fall due. The Company manages liquidity risk through its capital management as outlined in Note 12 to the financial statements. Accounts payable relating to exploration and evaluation assets and other accounts payable and accrued liabilities have contractual maturities of 30 days or are payable on demand, and are subject to normal trade terms. As at September 30, 2017, the Company had a cash balance of \$5,711,751 to settle current liabilities of \$509,718 which is sufficient to cover funding requirements for administrative operations as currently planned for at least the next twelve months.

**Market risk**

Market risk is the risk of loss that may arise from changes in market factors such as interest rates and foreign exchange rates.

a) Interest rate risk

The Company has cash balances and no interest-bearing debt liabilities. The Company's current policy is to invest excess cash in short-term deposit certificates issued by its banking institutions. The period to maturity of these short-term deposit certificates is less than 90 days.

The Company monitors the investments in short term deposits and is satisfied with the credit ratings of its banks. The Company has no investments in asset backed commercial paper or similar investments.

b) Foreign currency risk

The Company conducts the majority of its business in Canada, and is therefore not exposed to significant foreign currency risk.

**RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS**

Compensation paid or payable to the Company's Board of Directors and corporate officers for services provided during the years ended September 30, 2017 and 2016 was as follows:

	<b>2017</b>	<b>2016</b>
	<b>\$</b>	<b>\$</b>
Professional fees <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>26,840</b>	23,651
Management and consulting <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>268,500</b>	260,643
Share-based compensation	<b>200,607</b>	341,053
	<b>495,947</b>	625,347

(1) Includes fees earned by the Chief Financial Officer, Matt Anderson, and the former Chief Financial Officer, Rebecca Moriarty. The business purpose of the transactions was to compensate the individual for administration and management services provided. The Company has a consulting agreement with Malaspina Consultants Inc., a company that employs Mr. Anderson and Ms. Moriarty. The consulting agreement can be terminated with sixty days' notice.

(2) Includes salary earned by the Chief Executive Officer, Max Porterfield, the VP of Corporate Development, Jordan Butler, and a Director, Mike Muzylowski. The business purpose of the transactions was to compensate the individuals for administration and management services provided. The Company has an employment agreement with Mr. Porterfield that includes a change of control provision calling for a severance payment of two years of annual salary.

As at September 30, 2017 a total of \$3,000 (September 30, 2016 - \$3,000) from related parties is included in accounts receivables and \$9,000 (September 30, 2016 - \$9,000) was owed to related parties and is included in accounts payable and accrued liabilities.

**FUTURE ACCOUNTING STANDARDS AND PRONOUNCEMENTS**

At the date of approval of the financial statements the following standards, which are applicable to the Company, were issued but not yet effective. The Company is currently evaluating the impact of the standards on its financial statements. The following is a brief summary of the principal new or amended standards:

**IFRS 9 - Financial instruments**

In July 2014, the IASB issued the final version of IFRS 9 Financial Instruments bringing together the classification and measurement, impairment and hedge accounting phases of the IASB's project to replace IAS 39 Financial Instruments: Recognition and Measurement. IFRS 9 retains but simplifies the mixed measurement model and establishes two primary measurement categories for

financial assets: amortized cost and fair value. IFRS 9 also amends some of the requirements of IFRS 7 Financial Instruments: Disclosures, including added disclosures about investments in equity instruments measured at fair value in OCI, and guidance on financial liabilities and derecognition of financial instruments. IFRS 9 will be effective for the Company for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2018. Adoption of this standard is expected to have minimal impact on the Company's financial statements.

**IFRS 16 - Leases**

This standard specifies how an issuer will recognize, measure, present and disclose leases. The standard provides a single lessee accounting model, requiring lessees to recognize assets and liabilities for all leases unless the lease term is 12 months or less, or the underlying asset has an insignificant value. Lessors continue to classify leases as operating or finance, with IFRS 16's approach to lessor accounting substantially unchanged from its predecessor, IAS 17. IFRS 16 was issued in January 2016 and will be effective for the Company for the fiscal year beginning October 1, 2019. The adoption of IFRS 16 is expected to increase the leased assets and liabilities of the Company.

**OFF BALANCE SHEET ARRANGEMENTS**

The Company has no off-balance sheet arrangements.

**SUBSEQUENT EVENTS***Neuron Graphite Project*

On October 27, 2017, the Company signed an option agreement with Global Li-Ion Graphite Corp. ("LION") (CSE: LION) whereby LION can acquire a 100% interest in the Neuron property located in Northern Manitoba by paying \$200,000 in cash and issuing 2,000,000 LION common shares. Callinex has received the initial considerations of \$200,000 cash and 1,000,000 common shares of LION.

LION has the option to acquire a 100% interest in the Neuron property by making the balance of the agreed payment of 1,000,000 common shares of LION within 24 months from the date of the option agreement. Callinex will receive an additional milestone payment of 3,000,000 shares if an economic study is completed on the Neuron property or any claims within a 20km area of interest.

*Annual General Meeting*

On October 18, 2017, the shareholders approved resolutions relating to fixing the number of directors at five, appointing PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors, amended the previous "rolling" stock option plan to a "fixed" stock option plan and adopted a restricted share unit ("RSU") plan. The total number of shares issuable under the RSU plan and the Amended Stock Option Plan cannot exceed 15,659,741 shares of the Company. The RSU plan provides for the grant of RSUs to directors, officers, consultants and employees of the Company. Upon vesting, the RSUs provide for the issuance of common shares to the participants.

After a detailed review of compensation payable to executive officers of other junior exploration and development companies, Callinex's compensation committee approved the grant of 7,285,000 restricted share units to its directors, officers, consultants, and employees. Of the grants, 6,700,000 restricted share units vest over a 10 year period and 585,000 vest over a three year period. Due to the 10 year vesting period, Callinex's board believes that these grants align the interests of management with the long term success of the Company.

*Stock options*

On November 10, 2017, the Company granted 300,000 stock options to consultants of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.37 per share up to November 10, 2022.

**OUTSTANDING SHARE DATA AND DILUTION CALCULATION**

The Company has authorized share capital consisting of common shares without par value. The number of shares authorized is unlimited. The Company has issued warrants for the purchase of common shares and also a stock option plan. The table below summarizes the Company's common shares and stock options and warrants that are convertible into common shares as of December 15, 2017:

Issued and outstanding common shares	78,298,708
Restricted share units	7,285,000
Share options with a weighted average exercise price of \$0.34	7,680,000
Share purchase warrants with a weighted average exercise price of \$0.75	4,025,000
<b>Fully Diluted</b>	<b>97,288,708</b>

**RISKS AND UNCERTAINTIES**

Natural resources exploration, development, production and processing involve a number of business risks, some of which are beyond the Company's control. These can be categorized as operational, financial and regulatory risks.

Operational risks include finding and developing reserves economically, marketing production and services, product deliverability uncertainties, changing governmental law and regulation, First Nations consultation, hiring and retaining skilled employees and contractors and conducting operations in a cost effective and safe manner. The Company continuously monitors and responds to changes in these factors and adheres to all regulations governing its operations. Insurance may be maintained at levels consistent with prudent industry practices to minimize risks, but the Company is not fully insured against all risks, nor are all such risks insurable.

Financial risks include commodity prices and interest rates all of which are beyond the Company's control. Additional financial risks are the Company's ability to raise capital and to repay indebtedness it incurs.

Regulatory risks include the possible delays in getting regulatory approval to the transactions that the Board of Directors believe to be in the best interest of the Company, and include increased fees for filings, the introduction of ever more complex reporting requirements the cost of which the Company must meet in order to maintain its exchange listing.

**DISCLOSURE CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES**

Management is responsible for the preparation and integrity of the financial statements and MD&A, including the maintenance of appropriate information systems, procedures and internal controls and to ensure that information used internally or disclosed externally, including the financial statements and MD&A, is complete and reliable. The Company's board of directors follows recommended corporate governance guidelines for public companies to ensure transparency and accountability to shareholders. The board's audit committee meets with management quarterly to review the financial statements including the MD&A and to discuss other financial, operating and internal control matters.

In connection with National Instrument 52-109 (Certificate of Disclosure in Issuer's Annual and Interim Filings) ("NI 52-109"), the Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer of the Company have filed a Venture Issuer Basic Certificate with respect to the financial information contained in the financial statements for the year ended September 30, 2017 and this accompanying MD&A (together, the "Filings").

In contrast to the full certificate under NI 52-109, the Venture Issuer Basic Certificate does not include representations relating to the establishment and maintenance of disclosure controls and procedures and internal control over financial reporting, as defined in NI 52-109. For further information the reader should refer to the Venture Issuer Basic Certificates filed by the Company with its filings on SEDAR at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

## **FORWARD LOOKING STATEMENTS**

Certain of the statements made herein may constitute "forward-looking statements" or contain "forward-looking information" within the meaning of applicable Canadian securities laws. In this context, forward-looking statements often address expected future business and financial performance, and often contain words such as "anticipate", "believe", "plan", "estimate", "expect", and "intend", statements that an action or event "may", "might", "could", "should", or "will" be taken or occur, or other similar expressions. All statements, other than statements of historical fact, included herein including, without limitation; statements about the potential for additional mineralization at the Company's properties, the timelines to complete the Company's exploration programs, timing for permit applications, timing for new resource estimates, timing to complete technical reports, forecasts for exploration expenditures, estimates of future administrative costs and statements about the Company's future development of its properties. Forward-looking statements are subject to a variety of risks and uncertainties which could cause actual events or results to differ from those reflected in the forward-looking statements, including, without limitation, risks and uncertainties relating to foreign currency fluctuations; risks inherent in mine exploration and development including environmental hazards, industrial accidents, unusual or unexpected geological formations, ground control problems and flooding; risks associated with the estimation of mineral resources and reserves and the geology, grade and continuity of mineral deposits; the possibility that future exploration, development or mining results will not be consistent with the Company's expectations; the potential for and effects of labour disputes or other unanticipated difficulties with or shortages of labour or interruptions in production; the potential for unexpected costs and expenses and commodity price; uncertain political and economic environments; changes in laws or policies, delays or the inability to obtain necessary governmental permits; and other risks and uncertainties, including those described under Risk Factors Relating to the Company's Business in the MD&A.

Forward-looking information is in addition based on various assumptions including, without limitation, the expectations and beliefs of management, the assumed long term price of commodities; that the Company can access financing, appropriate equipment and sufficient labour and that the political environment will continue to support the development and operation of mining projects. Should one or more of these risks and uncertainties materialize, or should underlying assumptions prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those described in forward-looking statements. Accordingly, readers are advised not to place undue reliance on forward-looking statements. The Company does not intend to update forward-looking statements or information, except as may be required by applicable law.

## **OTHER INFORMATION**

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