ESSEX MINERALS INC.

Vancouver, British Columbia

ESSEX CLOSES A NON-BROKERED PRIVATE PLACEMENT FOR C\$1.5 MILLION

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April 6, 2020 – Vancouver, BC – Essex Minerals Inc. (the "Company") (TSX-V: ESX) is pleased to announce, further to its new release dated March 16, 2020, it has closed the non-brokered private placement offering (the "Offering"). The Company issued an aggregate of 15,000,000 shares (the "Shares") at a price of \$0.10 per Share for total gross proceeds of \$1,500,000.

The net proceeds of the Offering will be used for general working capital and project evaluation expenses.

In connection with the Offering, the Company paid to eligible persons shares totalling 1,451,500 (the "Finder shares").

Pursuant to applicable Canadian securities laws, all Shares issued by the Company pursuant to the Offering will have a fourmonth hold period in Canada ending on July 19, 2020.

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