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FURTHER HOLES COMPLETED AT PRAIRIE CREEK

Canadian Zinc Corporation is pleased to report further positive results of drilling recently completed on its 100% owned Prairie Creek Property in the Northwest Territories. The drill program continues to successfully outline and confirm the Company's geological interpretations of this high grade deposit, thus increasing the confidence level within the mineral resource at depth.

Diamond drill hole PC-01-131 successfully intercepted the projected fringe of the main Stratabound deposit some 40 meters from the last known intercept:

<u>Drill Hole PC-01-131</u>	True						
	From (m)	To (m)	Width (m)	Pb %	Zn %	Ag g/t	Cu %
<i>Stratabound fringe</i>							
Composite A	287.3	293.0	5.6	3.14	6.22	25.8	0.01
Including Composite B	287.3	289.1	1.8	5.49	11.52	45.1	0.01

Step out Hole PC-01-132, drilled approximately 90 meters from PC-01-131, intercepted further Stratabound extensions and a thick section of the main vein. In addition to the main vein a second parallel vein was intersected at depth. Composites are as follows:

<u>Drill Hole PC-01-132</u>	True						
	From (m)	To (m)	Width (m)	Pb %	Zn %	Ag g/t	Cu %
<i>Main Vein</i>							
Composite A	286.1	304.8	7.0	12.21	4.84	172.7	0.34
Including Composite B	289.9	299.9	3.7	19.47	7.79	278.3	0.58
<i>Stratabound</i>							
Composite A	319.4	326.9	7.4	3.18	6.40	28.1	0.01
Including Composite B	320.4	326.9	6.5	2.29	7.34	20.1	0.01
<i>2<sup>nd</sup> Vein</i>							
Composite A	336.6	342.3	2.1	20.25	3.21	194.8	0.14
Including Composite B	336.6	340.3	1.4	30.98	3.37	295.6	0.21

Individual assay data is available from the Company upon request. Assay processing was completed by Acme Analytical Laboratories Ltd. of Vancouver, utilizing ICP-ES techniques, which include standard re-run checks and reject re-run checks along with calibration standards. Alan Taylor, P.Geo., Vice President of Exploration, is the Qualified Person reporting for the Company.

The drilling program, which was designed to both infill and test for further potential within the previously defined mineral resource, is now completed. Results of the final two holes of this campaign are forthcoming pending completion of analysis.

For more information on the Company, the Prairie Creek Mine, the recent Scoping Study and the current work, please visit our web site at: [www.canadianzinc.com](http://www.canadianzinc.com).

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