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## **Canterra Minerals Engages Atrium Research to Enhance Investor Visibility and Institutional Reach**

**Vancouver, B.C. (March 20, 2026) – Canterra Minerals Corporation (TSXV:CTM) (OTCQB: CTMCF) (FSE:DXZB)** ("Canterra" or the "Company") is pleased to announce it has engaged Atrium Research Corporation ("Atrium"), a prominent firm specializing in company-sponsored research, to support broader market awareness of Canterra's exploration portfolio and ongoing 2026 drill programs.

Atrium will be responsible for publishing various research reports on Canterra. These reports will be based on publicly available information, industry data, and direct discussions with the Company's management and are expected to provide investors with detailed, third-party analysis of Canterra's assets and exploration strategy. Additionally, Atrium will conduct and host two recorded interviews with Canterra's management team to present the investment case and upcoming exploration catalysts to a broader audience.

For these research services, Atrium will receive a cash compensation of C\$12,000 per quarter, payable quarterly in advance. The agreement is for a period of 12 months, commencing on March 15th, 2026. Following this initial term, the agreement will automatically extend on a quarter-to-quarter basis at the same compensation rate, unless otherwise mutually agreed upon or terminated by either party. This engagement is contingent upon the approval of the TSX Venture Exchange.

Canterra and Atrium are independent entities. Neither Atrium nor its insiders currently hold any shares or options to acquire shares in the issued and outstanding capital of the Company. Atrium is an arm's-length party to the Company.

### **About Atrium Research**

Atrium Research is dedicated to providing institutional-quality, company-sponsored research for publicly traded equities in North America. Their investment philosophy focuses on identifying equities that are currently undervalued by the market, with a 3-5 year investment horizon. The firm's research methodology emphasizes key performance metrics, the integrity of management teams, and thorough valuation analysis. Atrium Research is co-founded, wholly owned, and operated by Ben Pirie and Nicholas Cortellucci.

### **Newfoundland and Labrador Junior Exploration Assistance**

Canterra would like to acknowledge financial support it may receive from the government of Newfoundland and Labrador's Junior Exploration Assistance Program related to completion of its 2025 and 2026 exploration programs at Buchans.

### **About Canterra Minerals**

Canterra is a diversified minerals exploration company focused on critical minerals and gold in central Newfoundland. The Company's projects include seven mineral deposits located in close proximity to the world-renowned, past producing Buchans Mine and Teck Resources' Duck Pond Mine, which collectively produced copper, zinc, lead, silver and gold. Several of Canterra's deposits support current and historical Mineral Resource Estimates prepared in accordance with National Instrument 43-101 and the Canadian Institute of Mining, Metallurgy, and Petroleum Definition Standards for Mineral Resources and Mineral Reserves. Canterra's gold projects are located on trend of Equinox Gold's Valentine Mine and cover a ~55 km extension of the same structural corridor that hosts gold mineralization within Equinox Gold's mine. Past drilling by Canterra and others within the Company's gold projects intersected multiple occurrences of orogenic-style gold mineralization within a large land position that remains underexplored.

**ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF CANTERRA MINERALS CORPORATION**

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