Canada Cobalt Underground Drilling Targets Cobalt-Rich Veins

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COQUITLAM, BC, May 23, 2018 /CNW/ - <u>Canada Cobalt Works Inc.</u> (TSX-V: CCW) (OTCPK: TAKRF) (Frankfurt: 4T9I "Company" or "Canada Cobalt") is pleased to announce significant new progress at the Company's 100%-owned Castl the Northern Ontario Cobalt Camp:

Highlights:

- Rehabilitation of the first level workings has prepared this very prospective area of the mine for first-ever cobalt-for underground drilling targeting cobalt-rich veins discovered through extensive sampling – drill crews mobiliz the week of May 28;
- A high performance Scooptram that can remove as much as two tonnes of rock every six minutes in the Castle m hauling out broken mineralized material from the stopes above the first level;
- Composite samples of this material, visually well-mineralized with cobalt, have been delivered to an assay lab for and will also be put through the Company's proprietary Re-2OX process to create cobalt sulfate test products for battery sector clients according to specifications received by Canada Cobalt.

Jacques Monette, Director of Canada Cobalt and mine consultant, commented: "The first level of the mine is being con trackless system from the historic track system that has been used throughout the Cobalt mining camp. New water pipe air pipe lines have been put into the adit. A ventilation system has been installed with flexible mine vent tubing. Replace timbers in the drifts is ongoing.

"We're impressed with the visual evidence of cobalt mineralization in the extensive stope material and in the vein syste first level," Monette continued. "In a very cost-effective manner we have prepared the first level for immediate drilling, a new development for Canada Cobalt which will contribute also to the understanding of the broader district."

Castle was mined for high-grade Silver in the 1980's by Agnico Eagle and features 11 levels covering 18 kilometers of underground workings.

Re-2OX Progresses Toward Pilot Plant Stage

Canada Cobalt's 100%-owned Re-2OX hydrometallurgical process for cobalt battery metals, which will ultimately allow Company to bypass the expensive smelting process, continues to be optimized. Part of the process involves the effecti of arsenic from the cobalt though leaching prior to creating a cobalt sulfate solution.

Dr. Ron Molnar, Canada Cobalt adviser, has designed, built and operated over 60 pilot plant circuits extracting, separa purifying a wide range of metallic elements from cobalt to rare earths, and he will be one of the key individuals who will Canada Cobalt in taking Re-20X to the full pilot plant stage with client specific cobalt formulations for the battery sector

With its Re-20X process, unique underground access and other initiatives, Canada Cobalt is strategically and uniquely in the northern Ontario Cobalt Camp to benefit from the electric vehicle super-cycle and the continuing uptrend in cobalt

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About Canada Cobalt Works Inc.

Canada Cobalt is a pure play cobalt company focused exclusively on the Northern Ontario Cobalt Camp, Canada's mo cobalt district. With three 100%-owned past producing mines, a proprietary hydrometallurgical process known as Re-20 plans for a 600-tonne-per-day mill at its flagship Castle Property near Gowganda, Canada Cobalt is well positioned to b vertically integrated North American leader in cobalt extraction and recovery.

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