

Royal Road Minerals Announces Drilling Due to Commence at Its Gomec Gold Project in Balıkesir Province of Western Turkey

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TORONTO, June 9, 2015 - [Royal Road Minerals Ltd.](#) (TSXV: RYR) ("Royal Road Minerals" or the "Company"), a gold and copper focused mineral exploration and development company, is pleased to provide an operating update from its Gömeç gold project in Balıkesir province of Western Turkey.

The Gömeç project comprises five contiguous exploration licenses and is an early-stage gold exploration project located in the hinterland of Balıkesir province, immediately adjacent to Koza Gold's Kubaçlı gold project and 5km north of Bilfer's Ayazmant copper-iron skarn deposit. Gold extends discontinuously over an approximately 10km long, northeast trending ridge comprised of Oligocene age volcanic and intrusive rocks. Gold mineralization is dominantly low-sulfidation epithermal in style and is both stratabound and structurally controlled.

In late 2014, the Company conducted an exploratory reverse circulation drilling program at the Gömeç project, notable results from that program include GRC-014, 76 meters at 1.0g/t (including 24 meters at 2.0g/t gold and 18.7g/t silver), GRC-013, 56 meters at 1.0g/t (including 22 meters at 2.0g/t gold and 15.6g/t silver) and GRC-015, 40 meters at 1.0g/t gold in contiguous drill holes located 100 meters away from each other.

Drilling permits have now been received and follow-up drilling is due to commence this week. The program is expected to total approximately 3000 meters and will be comprised of a combination of infill holes to close-up the 100 meter spaced drill holes from the 2014 program, step out holes along and across strike of the previous drilling and exploratory holes on newly identified and previously undrilled targets along and adjacent to the 10km long gold mineralized ridge.

In areas of known gold mineralization drill holes will be pushed deeper to test newly identified IP anomalies (see Figure 1) and to test underlying crystalline basement rocks where evidence from nearby occurrences suggests higher gold grades may occur.

"We have learned a lot from our recent field work at Gömeç and hope that this new knowledge will translate into some promising subsurface results" said Tim Coughlin, Royal Road Mineral's President and CEO "Results from the IP coupled with what we are hoping to find in crystalline basement rocks underlying the mineralized volcanic sequence have added some particular excitement to this program. We expect the drill rig to commence work later this week."

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To view an enhanced version of Figure 1, please visit:
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The information in this news release was compiled, reviewed and verified by Dr. Tim Coughlin, BSc (Geology), MSc (Exploration and Mining), PhD (Structural Geology), FAusIMM, President and CEO of [Royal Road Minerals Ltd.](#) and a qualified person as defined by National Instrument 43-101. Royal Road Minerals employees are instructed to follow standard operating and quality assurance procedures intended to ensure that all sampling techniques and sample results meet international reporting standards. All assay work for released results are carried out by ALS-Chemex analytical laboratory in Izmir, Turkey. More information can be found on Royal Road Minerals web site at www.royalroadminerals.com.

About Royal Road Minerals:

Royal Road Minerals is a gold and copper focused exploration and development company. The Company has projects in Western and Southeast Turkey. In the West the Company is advancing gold and copper projects under an earn-in agreement whereas in the East it is conducting early-stage exploration in a remote, under-explored and highly prospective gold and copper mineralized magmatic belt.

About the Oremine Option Agreement:

The Oremine agreement covers the Gömeç, Ügür Tepe and Ispir license areas. Royal Road Minerals has been granted the option to earn a 50% interest in the JV Companies holding the license rights over these projects. In order to earn this interest, the Company must spend an aggregate of US\$2,000,000 on exploration and development work at these projects to earn a 20% interest in the JV Companies and a further US\$2,000,000 of such expenditures to earn an additional 30% interest in the JV Companies, in each case, before December 31, 2016. In addition, on or before December 31, 2016, the Company must pay an amount equal to US\$3,000,000 to the sole shareholder of the companies as consideration for the waiver or agreement not to participate in a capital increase or in connection with any applicable share transfer transactions, which would result in the Company or RRM Turkey acquiring a 50% shareholding in each of the JV Companies.

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