

VANCOUVER, Nov. 24, 2015 /CNW/ - [Orex Minerals Inc.](#) – (TSX-V: REX) ("Orex"), has awarded an initial 2,000 metres diamond drilling contract to Kluane Mexico S.A. de C.V., a subsidiary of Kluane Drilling Ltd. for the Sandra Escobar Silver Project in northern Durango State, Mexico. Sandra Escobar Project is being advanced by Orex under an option agreement with [Canasil Resources Inc.](#) – (TSX.V: CLZ) ("Canasil"), as announced on September 15, 2015.

The service provider, Kluane Drilling Ltd. ("KDL") is an experienced diamond drilling company, with a service and supply office in Durango, Mexico. A KD-1000 man-portable drill rig will be used for HTW and NTW sized wireline core diamond drilling. This portable rig design minimizes the social and environmental impact of the planned drilling program. The drilling program is expected to start immediately following approval of the necessary permits.

Orex's President, Gary Cope says, "We are very pleased to start our first drilling program on the Sandra Escobar Project, targeting a highly promising region of the property not previously tested."

Sandra Escobar Silver-Gold Project, Durango, Mexico

Sandra Escobar is situated north of the town of Tepehuanes, Durango, in the heart of the "Mexican Silver Trend", midway between the mining districts of Tovar and Guanaceví and is 75 km west of Silver Standard's La Pitarrilla. This prolific trend hosts some of the world's largest silver camps and deposits, including Fresnillo, Guanajuato, La Pitarrilla, La Preciosa, Real de Angeles, and Zacatecas.

The project consists of over 8,100 hectares of mineral concessions and covers multiple mineralized epithermal quartz veins and breccia structures. These veins form a high level silver-gold-base metals system, hosted in andesitic and rhyolitic rocks, centered on a large rhyolite dome complex in the north and silver systems in smaller rhyolite dome complexes to the southeast. Intense alteration zones and fluid flooding in permeable formations may also indicate the presence of bulk tonnage targets.

Excellent infrastructure exists in the Sandra Escobar area, including paved road access, electrical power, water and manpower from nearby communities.

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ABOUT OREX MINERALS INC.

Orex is a Canadian-based junior exploration company comprised of highly qualified mining professionals. Orex has several current projects: the Coneto Gold-Silver Project in Durango, Mexico, a joint venture with [Fresnillo Plc](#), Los Crestones Gold-Silver-Copper Project in Sinaloa, Mexico, the Jumping Josephine Gold-Silver Project in British Columbia, Canada, plus this newest Sandra Escobar Silver Project in Durango, Mexico, with [Canasil Resources Inc.](#)

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President

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