

TORONTO, Nov. 10, 2016 /CNW/ - [Uranium One Inc.](#) ("Uranium One") today reported quarterly headline revenue of \$97.4 million for Q3 2016. Attributable revenue was \$115.8 million for Q3 2016 based on sales of 3.7 million pounds of produced material at an average realized sales price of \$30 per pound sold of produced material, with an average cash cost per pound sold of produced material at \$7 per pound. Attributable production for the quarter was 3.2 million pounds.

Q3 2016 Highlights

Operational

- Total attributable production during Q3 2016 was 3.2 million pounds, compared with the total attributable production of 3.1 million pounds during Q3 2015.
- The average total cash cost per pound sold of produced material reduced to \$7 per pound during Q3 2016, compared to \$10 per pound during Q3 2015.

Financial

- Attributable sales volumes of produced material for Q3 2016 were 3.7 million pounds sold from the Corporation's operations and equity accounted investees compared to 2.9 million pounds sold during Q3 2015.
- Headline revenue was \$97.4 million in Q3 2016, compared to \$84.1 million in Q3 2015.
- Attributable revenues consistent with the Corporation's segment reporting, which includes revenues from its interests in equity accounted investees, amounted to \$115.8 million in Q3 2016, compared to \$120.3 million in Q3 2015.
- The average realized sales price of produced material during Q3 2016 was \$30 per pound, compared to \$36 per pound in Q3 2015. The average spot price in Q3 2016 was \$25 per pound compared to \$36 per pound in Q3 2015.
- Gross profit was \$33.0 million in Q3 2016, compared to gross profit of \$2.7 million in Q3 2015.
- Gross profit, including the Corporation's share of gross profit from equity accounted investees, totaled \$56.6 million in Q3 2016, a 11% increase compared to \$51.2 million in Q3 2015, mainly due to increase of 28% in the sales volume, partly offset by a decrease of 17% in average realized sales price.
- The net earnings for Q3 2016 were \$29.5 million or \$0.03 per share, compared to net earnings of \$0.6 million or \$0.00 per share for Q3 2015.
- The adjusted net earnings for Q3 2016 were \$28.5 million or \$0.03 per share after exclusion of impairment of non-current assets of \$5.0 million, loss on disposal of certain non-material US mineral claims and leases of \$2.6 million, other expenses of \$0.4 million, Ruble bond non-hedge derivative gains of \$6.5 million and net foreign exchange gains of \$2.5 million, compared to an adjusted net earnings of \$13.2 million or \$0.01 per share for Q3 2015.
- In addition to the increase in sales volume during the quarter, improved profitability resulted from a reduction in operating expenses.

Corporate Matters

- On June 29, 2016, the Corporation closed the tender offer for, and accepted for purchase, \$60.5 million of the principal amount of the Senior Secured Notes at a price of \$1,000 per \$1,000 of face value. The total amount of the transaction was \$60.8 million including \$0.3 million of accrued interest, as well as legal fees and transaction costs. The Senior Secured Notes so purchased have not been retired and remain outstanding. The settlement of the tender offer was completed on July 7, 2016.
- On July 12, 2016, the Corporation entered into a loan facility agreement under which it may borrow up to \$81.0 million from an affiliate, at an interest rate of up to 5.5% per annum with a maturity date of up to May 15, 2021, for the purpose of purchasing, redeeming or settling (respectively) the Senior Secured Notes, Series 1 Ruble Bonds, and/or any related currency exchange swap agreements. The Corporation has not yet drawn down any amounts under this loan facility. On October 28, 2016, the Corporation and the affiliate increased the facility to \$95 million.
- On September 14, 2016, the Corporation's US subsidiary completed the sale of certain non-material mineral leases and claims in Wyoming. The aggregate consideration was \$6.6 million: \$0.5 million paid on execution of the transaction agreement on August 23, 2016, and the remaining \$6.1 million is payable in instalments from 2017 to 2021. The fair value of the total consideration was \$3.5 million; the loss on disposal was \$2.6 million.

Q3 2016 Operations

During Q3 2016, Uranium One achieved total attributable production of 3.2 million pounds, compared to 3.1 million pounds during Q3 2015.

Operational results for Uranium One's assets for Q3 2016 were:

Asset	Q3 2016 Attributable Production	Q3 2016 Total Cash Costs (per lb sold U ₃ O ₈)
	(millions lbs U ₃ O ₈)	
Akdala	0.4	\$7
South Inkai	0.9	\$8
Karatau	0.7	\$4
Akbastau	0.6	\$5
Zarechnoye	0.3	\$12
Kharasan	0.3	\$8
Willow Creek -	-	-
Total	3.2	\$7

The following table provides a summary of key financial results:

FINANCIAL	Q3 2016	Q3 2015	YTD	YTD
			Q3 2016	Q3 2015
Attributable production (lbs) ⁽¹⁾	3,219,200	3,067,100	9,350,800	9,285,900
Attributable sales (lbs) ⁽¹⁾ – Produced material	3,719,800	2,890,100	8,950,000	7,784,600
Average realized sales price (\$ per lb) ⁽²⁾ – Produced material	30	36	31	37
Average total cash cost per pound sold (\$ per lb) ⁽²⁾ – Produced material	7	10	9	13
Revenues (\$ millions) – as reported on consolidated income statement	97.4	84.1	238.6	252.9
Attributable revenues (\$ millions) ⁽²⁾	115.8	120.3	291.5	362.8
Gross profit (loss) (\$ millions) – as reported on consolidated income statement	33.0	2.7	49.8	1.3
Attributable gross profit (\$ millions) ⁽²⁾	56.6	51.2	117.6	113.7
Net earnings (\$ millions)	29.5	0.6	209.6	9.9
Net earnings per share – basic and diluted (\$ per share)	0.03	0.00	0.22	0.01
Adjusted net earnings (\$ millions) ⁽²⁾	28.5	13.2	79.0	2.5
Adjusted net earnings per share – basic (\$ per share) ⁽²⁾	0.03	0.01	0.08	0.00

Notes:

- (1) Attributable production pounds and attributable sales pounds are from assets owned and from joint ventures in commercial production during the period. All figures are rounded to reflect appropriate levels of confidence. Columns may not add up correctly due to rounding.
- (2) The Corporation has included the following non-GAAP performance measures: average realized sales price per pound – produced material, average total cash cost per pound sold – produced material, attributable revenues, attributable gross profit, adjusted net earnings (loss) and adjusted net earnings (loss) per share. See the section on "Non-GAAP Measures" in the Operating and Financial Review".

The financial statements, as well as the accompanying Operating and Financial Review, are available for review at www.uranium1.com and should be read in conjunction with this news release. All figures are in U.S. dollars unless otherwise indicated. All references to pounds sold or pounds purchased are to pounds of U₃O₈.

About Uranium One

Uranium One is one of the world's largest uranium producers, with a globally diversified portfolio of assets located in Kazakhstan, the United States and Tanzania. ROSATOM State Atomic Energy Corporation, through its affiliates, is the main shareholder of Uranium One.

For more precise information about Uranium One, please visit www.uranium1.com

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