

# Mariana Resources Ltd: Updated Combination Timetable

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22 June 2017 - Recommended Combination of [Mariana Resources Ltd.](#) ("Mariana") and [Sandstorm Gold Ltd.](#) ("Sandstorm"). Further to the announcement by the Company on 16 June 2017 regarding the expected timetable of events and next steps for the implementation of the Combination, Mariana announces that the Guernsey Court Hearing will be held on or around 26 June 2017 and that, subject to the sanction of the Scheme by the Guernsey Court, it is anticipated that the Scheme will become effective on or before 3 July 2017.

If the Guernsey Court sanctions the Scheme it is intended that Sandstorm will procure that Mariana makes an application to cancel the admission to trading of Mariana Shares on AIM, to take effect on or around 4 July 2017, and it is anticipated that the Mariana Shares will be delisted from TSXV as soon as practicable on or after 4 July 2017.

The expected timetable of remaining principal events is attached as an appendix to this announcement. Mariana will announce any changes to these dates through a Regulatory Information Service.

All references to time in this announcement are to London time unless otherwise stated. Capitalised terms in this announcement, unless otherwise defined, have the meaning given to them in the Scheme Document

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The New Sandstorm Shares to be received by Mariana Shareholders in exchange for their Mariana Shares pursuant to the Combination have not been, and will not be, registered under the Securities Act or the securities laws of any state, district or other jurisdiction of the United States, and such securities are intended to be issued in reliance upon the exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act set forth in Section 3(a)(10) thereof on the basis of the approval of the Guernsey Court, which will be informed of the intention to rely upon such exemption, and similar exemptions under applicable state securities laws.

Following the Combination, Mariana Options and Mariana Warrants will remain outstanding under their terms and any securities issuable upon exercise thereof have not been and will not be registered under the U.S. Securities Act or applicable state securities laws. As a result, Mariana Options and Mariana Warrants may not be exercised in the United States or by or on behalf of a US Optionholder or US Warrantholder, as applicable, nor may any New Sandstorm Shares issued upon such exercise be offered or resold in the United States or to or for the account of such a US holder, except pursuant to the terms of such security and pursuant to a registration statement under the U.S. Securities Act or an exemption from applicable registration requirements or in a transaction not subject to the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act and applicable state securities laws.

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The enforcement by investors of civil liabilities under the United States federal and state securities laws may be affected adversely by the fact that Sandstorm and Mariana are incorporated or organized under the laws of a jurisdiction other than the United States, that some or all of their officers and directors are and will be residents of countries other than the United States and that all or a substantial portion of the assets of Sandstorm and Mariana are and will be located outside the United States. As a result, it may be difficult or impossible for US Holders (including US Optionholders and US Warrantholders) to effect service of process within the United States upon Sandstorm or Mariana, as applicable, or their respective officers or directors or to realize, against them, upon judgments of courts of the United States predicated upon civil liabilities under the federal securities laws of the United States or applicable securities laws of any state within the United States. In addition, US Holders (including US Optionholders and US Warrantholders) should not assume that the courts of Guernsey: (a) would enforce judgments of United States courts obtained in actions against such persons predicated upon civil liabilities under the federal securities laws of the United States or applicable securities laws of any state within the United States; or (b) would enforce, in original actions, liabilities against such persons predicated upon civil liabilities under the federal securities laws of the United States or applicable securities laws of any state within the United States.

#### Notice to Canadian Holders

The enforcement by investors of civil liabilities under the Canadian securities laws may be affected adversely by the fact that Mariana is incorporated or organized under the laws of a jurisdiction other than Canada, that some or all of Sandstorm's and Mariana's officers and directors are and will be residents of countries other than Canada and that all or a substantial portion of the assets of Sandstorm and Mariana are and will be located outside Canada. As a result, it may be difficult or impossible for Canadian Holders to effect service of

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The New Sandstorm Shares to be issued pursuant to the Combination will be issued in reliance upon exemptions from the prospectus requirements of securities legislation in each province of Canada. Subject to certain disclosure and regulatory requirements and to customary restrictions applicable to distributions of shares that constitute "control distributions", New Sandstorm Shares may be resold in each province and territory in Canada, subject in certain circumstances, to the usual conditions that no unusual effort has been made to prepare the market or to create demand, no extraordinary commission or consideration is paid and, if the selling shareholder is an insider or officer of Sandstorm, such shareholder has no reasonable grounds to believe that Sandstorm is in default of securities legislation.

Canadian Holders should be aware that the Combination described in this announcement may have tax consequences in Canada and should consult their own tax advisors to determine the particular Canadian tax consequences to them of the Combination in light of their particular circumstances, as well as any tax consequences that may arise under the laws of any other relevant foreign, state, local, or other taxing jurisdiction.

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In accordance with Rule 26.1 of the Code, a copy of this announcement will be made available, subject to certain restrictions relating to persons resident in Restricted Jurisdictions, on Sandstorm's website at <http://www.sandstormgold.com> and Mariana's website at <http://www.marianaresources.com> by no later than 12 noon (London time) on the Business Day following this announcement. For the avoidance of doubt, the contents of these websites are not incorporated by reference and do not form part of this announcement.

This announcement will also be available on SEDAR under Mariana's profile at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

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The issuance of the New Sandstorm Shares, including those issuable on exercise of any Mariana Warrants and the Mariana Options on a post-closing basis, is subject to approval by the TSX and the NYSE MKT.

#### APPENDIX

#### EXPECTED TIMETABLE OF PRINCIPAL EVENTS

The following dates are indicative only and are subject to change:<sup>(1)</sup>

Guernsey Court Hearing	10.00 a.m.
Last day of dealings in Mariana	23 June 20
Shares Dealings in Mariana Shares suspended on AIM	7.30 a.m. o
Halt of trading of Mariana Shares on TSXV	26 June 20
Scheme Record Time	5.00 p.m. o
Effective Date <sup>(2)</sup>	on or befor
Delisting of Mariana Shares from TSXV	on or arou
Cancellation of admission of Mariana Shares to trading on AIM	7.00 a.m. o
Listing of New Sandstorm Shares on TSX and NYSE MKT	Within 14 d
Crediting of the New Sandstorm Shares in uncertificated form to CDS accounts	Within 14 d
Crediting of Sandstorm CDIs in uncertificated form in CREST	Within 14 d
Despatch of definitive share certificates for New Sandstorm Shares in certificated form	Within 14 d
Latest date for despatch of cheques and crediting of CREST and CDS accounts for cash consideration due under the Scheme	Within 14 d
Long Stop Date <sup>(3)</sup>	31 August
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