

# Drilling Resumes on Berrigan Zinc, Gold, Silver Property under Option from Chibougamau Independent Mines

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ROUYN-NORANDA, Québec, March 31, 2026 -- [Chibougamau Independent Mines Inc.](#) (CBG-TSX-V in Canada, CLL1-Frankfurt, Stuttgart, Berlin and Lang & Schwarz Stock Exchanges in Germany, CMAUF-OTC in the US), herein called Chibougamau, is pleased to report to shareholders that [TomaGold Corp.](#) (LOT-TSXV, TOGOF-OTCPK) has started a drill program to extend 5 recent drill holes in order to intersect a newly recently discovered zinc/gold/silver zone intersected beneath the previously known Berrigan mineralized zone.

The Berrigan property is a part of a large land package under option from Chibougamau Independent Mines as announced in a press release dated August 14, 2023 and accessible [here](#).

The five drill hole extensions are planned to intersect the horizon where previous drill hole TOM-25-015 intersected 5.08% Zn Eq (1.19 g/t Au Eq) over 98.50 m, including 23.20% Zn Eq (5.44 g/t Au Eq) over 4.90 m.

Drilling from the previous phase of Tomagold drilling returned significant mineralized intersections as listed below.

## Summary of Phase 1 drilling results at the Berrigan Mine project

| Hole ID          | From (m) | To (m) | Length (m) | ZnEq (%) | AuEq (g/t) | Au (g/t) | Ag (g/t) | Cu (%) | Zn (%) |
|------------------|----------|--------|------------|----------|------------|----------|----------|--------|--------|
| TOM-25-009       | 156.70   | 204.75 | 48.05      | 5.82     | 1.36       | 1.12     | 7.55     | 0.04   | 1.40   |
| <i>including</i> | 156.70   | 159.60 | 2.90       | 33.97    | 7.96       | 6.76     | 40.24    | 0.19   | 7.57   |
| <i>including</i> | 163.95   | 169.00 | 5.05       | 3.42     | 0.80       | 0.41     | 11.35    | 0.03   | 1.43   |
| <i>including</i> | 181.70   | 182.90 | 1.20       | 12.25    | 2.87       | 2.36     | 19.50    | 0.03   | 2.89   |
| <i>including</i> | 189.20   | 194.60 | 5.40       | 19.07    | 4.47       | 3.75     | 16.35    | 0.08   | 4.81   |
| <i>including</i> | 196.00   | 198.60 | 2.60       | 2.06     | 0.49       | 0.43     | 5.28     | 0.06   | 0.11   |
| <i>including</i> | 204.00   | 204.70 | 0.70       | 37.71    | 8.85       | 8.71     | 9.20     | 0.05   | 6.01   |
|                  | 230.35   | 236.80 | 6.45       | 1.23     | 0.29       | 0.14     | 1.23     | 0.03   | 0.67   |
| <i>including</i> | 235.70   | 236.80 | 1.10       | 5.00     | 1.17       | 0.72     | 2.80     | 0.04   | 2.27   |
|                  | 244.50   | 259.70 | 15.20      | 4.87     | 1.14       | 0.59     | 7.22     | 0.04   | 2.40   |
| <i>including</i> | 254.60   | 257.15 | 2.55       | 22.75    | 5.29       | 2.24     | 32.07    | 0.15   | 13.42  |
| TOM-25-010       | 108.00   | 111.00 | 3.00       | 2.18     | 0.51       | 0.51     | 1.53     | 0.02   | 0.23   |
|                  | 120.65   | 125.00 | 4.35       | 8.03     | 1.87       | 0.95     | 9.11     | 0.05   | 4.26   |
| <i>including</i> | 121.95   | 125.00 | 3.05       | 8.30     | 1.93       | 0.84     | 10.56    | 0.06   | 4.86   |
|                  | 130.70   | 179.00 | 48.30      | 2.38     | 0.56       | 0.30     | 4.11     | 0.04   | 1.06   |
| <i>including</i> | 135.75   | 142.00 | 6.25       | 11.43    | 2.66       | 1.63     | 16.13    | 0.09   | 4.79   |
| <i>including</i> | 144.80   | 149.00 | 4.20       | 2.01     | 0.47       | 0.12     | 4.68     | 0.04   | 1.31   |
| <i>including</i> | 158.30   | 159.35 | 1.05       | 3.73     | 0.87       | 0.16     | 5.93     | 0.10   | 2.73   |
| <i>including</i> | 175.50   | 177.70 | 2.20       | 4.11     | 0.96       | 0.79     | 3.57     | 0.04   | 1.04   |
| TOM-25-011       | 291.00   | 309.50 | 18.50      | 1.81     | 0.42       | 0.31     | 1.97     | 0.01   | 0.60   |
| <i>including</i> | 295.90   | 296.40 | 0.50       | 4.83     | 1.12       | 0.42     | 5.40     | 0.04   | 3.10   |
| <i>including</i> | 307.50   | 309.50 | 2.00       | 16.12    | 3.77       | 2.63     | 9.47     | 0.05   | 4.30   |
|                  | 341.00   | 342.00 | 1.00       | 2.83     | 0.65       | 0.07     | 1.00     | 0.02   | 2.59   |

|                      |                             |        |       |       |      |      |       |      |       |
|----------------------|-----------------------------|--------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|------|-------|
|                      | 344.10                      | 345.00 | 0.90  | 4.69  | 1.09 | 0.39 | 3.50  | 0.04 | 3.16  |
| TOM-25-012           | 283.85                      | 285.00 | 1.15  | 5.51  | 1.31 | 0.71 | 4.10  | 0.88 | 0.02  |
| TOM-25-013           | <i>No significant value</i> |        |       |       |      |      |       |      |       |
| TOM-25-014           | 185.00                      | 187.10 | 2.10  | 24.85 | 5.83 | 4.94 | 56.44 | 0.05 | 4.55  |
|                      | 238.70                      | 239.85 | 1.15  | 20.86 | 4.86 | 2.63 | 22.20 | 0.16 | 10.40 |
|                      | 251.20                      | 252.60 | 1.40  | 36.34 | 8.51 | 7.44 | 37.30 | 0.06 | 8.04  |
|                      | 405.30                      | 406.70 | 1.40  | 13.68 | 3.17 | 1.13 | 13.15 | 0.07 | 9.25  |
|                      | 423.30                      | 426.30 | 3.00  | 2.15  | 0.50 | 0.07 | 5.45  | 0.05 | 1.57  |
|                      | 451.50                      | 457.50 | 6.00  | 1.22  | 0.28 | 0.08 | 3.45  | 0.01 | 0.79  |
| TOM-25-015           | 132.55                      | 141.00 | 8.45  | 3.73  | 0.87 | 0.51 | 5.51  | 0.03 | 1.66  |
|                      | 155.70                      | 157.70 | 2.00  | 28.08 | 6.56 | 4.66 | 26.90 | 0.07 | 10.29 |
|                      | 182.10                      | 202.20 | 20.10 | 2.20  | 0.51 | 0.36 | 3.20  | 0.03 | 0.77  |
|                      | 451.20                      | 549.70 | 98.50 | 5.08  | 1.19 | 0.82 | 3.21  | 0.04 | 1.98  |
| <i>including</i>     | 452.20                      | 457.10 | 4.90  | 23.20 | 5.44 | 4.69 | 18.80 | 0.29 | 4.79  |
| <i>and including</i> | 500.35                      | 549.70 | 49.35 | 6.46  | 1.51 | 0.90 | 3.48  | 0.03 | 3.13  |
| <i>including</i>     | 521.00                      | 535.60 | 14.60 | 9.07  | 2.11 | 1.34 | 5.91  | 0.04 | 4.12  |
| <i>including</i>     | 537.85                      | 541.10 | 3.25  | 9.00  | 2.09 | 0.88 | 3.85  | 0.05 | 5.82  |
| <i>including</i>     | 542.00                      | 548.20 | 6.20  | 13.39 | 3.12 | 1.63 | 5.26  | 0.05 | 7.43  |

Notes: (Source Tomagold)

- *The reported widths represent core lengths. True width is estimated to be approximately 80-85% of the core length, depending on the deviation angles.*
- *ZnEq and AuEq are calculated using the Company's standard parameters.*
- *AuEq calculation was based on US\$4,150/oz Au, \$51.34/oz Ag, US\$5.023/lb Cu and \$1.392/lb Zn. AuEq = Au g/t + (Ag g/t × 0.01237) + (Cu ppm × 0.000083) + (Zn ppm × 0.000023), applying metallurgical recovery factors of 95% for zinc, 85% for gold and silver, and 90% for copper, based on a metallurgical report on Berrigan Mine zinc material prepared by Process Research Associates Ltd. in February 2002 and on recoveries from nearby deposits for gold, silver and copper.*
- *ZnEq calculation was based on US\$4,047/oz Au, \$50.22/oz Ag, US\$4.796/lb Cu and \$1.390/lb Zn. ZnEq = Zn ppm + (Ag g/t × 527) + (Au g/t × 42466) + (Cu ppm × 3.45) / 10,000, applying metallurgical recovery factors of 95% for zinc, 85% for gold and silver, and 90% for copper, based on a metallurgical report on Berrigan Mine zinc material prepared by Process Research Associates Ltd. in February 2002 and on recoveries from nearby deposits for gold, silver and copper.*

TomaGold has released two graphics which illustrate the drill target and proposed drill hole extensions.

TomaGold 1,500-metre Phase 2 drilling program aimed at testing the newly discovered Berrigan Deep Zone

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TomaGold's press release Dated March 31, 2026, may be accessed by clicking here.

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