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NEWS RELEASE

Volcanic proposes debt settlement

March 4, 2019 – Vancouver, British Columbia – Volcanic Gold Mines Inc. (TSXV: VG) announces that in order to preserve the Company’s current cash position, management proposes to issue up to 4,000,000 common shares at a deemed price of \$0.05 per share to settle up to \$200,000 owing to creditors.

The completion of the debt settlement is subject to stock exchange approval.

About Volcanic

Volcanic brings together an experienced and successful mining, exploration and capital markets team focused on building multi-million ounce gold resources in underexplored countries. Through the strategic acquisition of mineral properties with demonstrated potential for hosting gold resources, and by undertaking effective exploration and drill programs, Volcanic intends to become a leading gold company.

For further information, visit our website at www.volgold.com.

Volcanic Gold Mines Inc.

Simon Ridgway, Executive Chairman

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Forward-looking statements contained herein are based on the assumptions, beliefs, expectations and opinions of management, including but not limited to: that the proposed debt settlement will be completed as intended; that the Company's stated goals and planned exploration and development activities will be achieved; that there will be no material adverse change affecting the Company or its properties; and such other assumptions as set out herein. Forward-looking statements are made as of the date hereof and the Company disclaims any obligation to update any forward-looking statements, whether as a result of new information, future events or results or otherwise, except as required by law. There can be no assurance that forward-looking statements will prove to be accurate, as actual results and future events could differ materially from those anticipated in such statements. Accordingly, investors should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements.