

Cortus Closes Initial Public Offering

Edmonton, Alberta--(Newsfile Corp. - November 5, 2019) - **Cortus Metals Inc.** (TSXV: CRTS.P) (the "**Company**"), a capital pool company pursuant to Policy 2.4 of the TSX Venture Exchange (the "**TSX-V**"), is pleased to announce that on November 5, 2019, it completed its initial public offering of 2,200,000 common shares issued at a price of \$0.10 per share pursuant to an amended and restated prospectus dated August 30, 2019 (the "**Prospectus**").

A cash commission of 8% of the gross proceeds of the offering was paid to the Company's agent, Haywood Securities Inc. ("**Haywood**"), as well as a corporate finance fee of \$8,000 plus applicable taxes. In addition, Haywood received 110,000 non-transferable warrants to acquire up to 110,000 shares at a price of \$0.10 per Share for a period of 24 months.

The Company will use the net proceeds from the offering for examination and possible participation in, or acquisition of, assets or businesses with a view to completing a "Qualifying Transaction" under the capital pool company program of the TSX-V.

As a result of this issuance, the Company has 4,800,000 shares issued and outstanding, of which 2,800,000 shares have been placed in escrow. The Company's common shares were listed for trading and immediately halted from trading on the TSX Venture Exchange under the trading symbol "CRTS.P" on November 5, 2019 and are expected to commence trading upon further notice from the TSX Venture Exchange.

The Company has also granted an aggregate of 440,000 incentive stock options to its directors, officers and certain technical consultants, as outlined in the Prospectus, each such option exercisable at a price of \$0.10 per share for a period of five years, vesting immediately.

On behalf of the Board of Directors

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