



LIONS GATE METALS

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## Lions Gate Metals Inc. Announces Director and Management Changes

Vancouver, BC Canada, September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2012 – Lions Gate Metals Inc. (TSX-V: LGM) (“Lions Gate” or the “Company”) today announces a number of changes to its senior management and board of directors:

- Paul Sarjeant has been appointed Chief Operating Officer from the position of President and Chief Executive Officer;
- Company Chairman, Arni Johannson, will assume the role of Interim President and Chief Executive Officer;
- David McAdam has been appointed Chief Financial Officer of the Company;
- Michael Sweatman has stepped down as the Chief Financial Officer, but will remain a director of the Company;
- Andrew Gourlay has ceased to act as the Company’s VP of Exploration; and
- Gordon Keevil has resigned from the Company’s Board of Directors.

The Board of Directors would like to thank Gordon Keevil for his input and service to the Company. “A number of changes to the team today reflect current market conditions, and the one common thread amongst all directors and management is the belief in our assets and maintaining the capital structure. We will continue to advance and add value to our properties this fall and winter through drilling, as we fully recognize that drill data is the best way to enhance enterprise value”, stated Arni Johannson, Interim President and CEO.

### About Lions Gate Metals

Lions Gate Metals Inc. is a Canadian based, junior resource company focused on the exploration, development, and acquisition of copper and copper-focused multi-mineral projects. The Company boasts one of the largest consolidated property portfolios of any Canadian junior resource company, including the 77,705 hectare Poplar copper-gold-silver porphyry property located 35km northeast of the operating Huckleberry Mine. (proven/probable 39.7 million tonnes grading 0.343% copper: aggregate production to Dec 31, 2010 approximately 870.0 million pounds copper, 8.0 million pounds molybdenum, 105,000 ounces gold and 3.4 million ounces silver) in west-central British Columbia, and the 6,900 hectare ROK-Coyote copper-gold porphyry property contiguous with Imperial Metals’ Red Chris copper-gold project in northwestern British Columbia. Poplar and ROK-Coyote are the primary focus of the 2012 Exploration Program.

For further information on the Company and its projects please visit the web site at [www.lionsgatemetals.com](http://www.lionsgatemetals.com) or contact Blair McIntyre, VP of Operations, at 604.328.8156

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