#### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

# FORM 8-K

#### CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): August 20, 2019

# RISE GOLD CORP.

(Exact Name of Registrant as Specified in Charter)

<u>Nevada</u>

(State or other jurisdiction of incorporation)

000-53848 (Commission File Number) <u>30-0692325</u>

(IRS Employer Identification No.)

<u>650 – 669 Howe Street</u> <u>Vancouver, British Columbia</u>

<u>Canada</u>

(Address of principal executive offices)

## <u>V6C 0B4</u>

(Zip Code)

Registrant's telephone number, including area code: (604) 260-4577

Check the appropriate box below if the Form 8-K filing is intended to simultaneously satisfy the filing obligation of the registrant under any of the following provisions:

[] Written communications pursuant to Rule 425 under the Securities Act (17 CFR 230.425)

[] Soliciting material pursuant to Rule 14a-12 under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14a -12)

[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 14d-2(b) under the Exchange Act (17 CFR 240.14d -2(b))

[] Pre-commencement communications pursuant to Rule 13e-4(c) under the exchange Act (17 CFR 240.13e -4)

#### Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act:

		Name of exchange on which
Title of each class	Trading Symbol(s)	registered
N/A	N/A	N/A

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is an emerging growth company as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act of 1933 (17 CFR §230.405) or Rule 12b-2 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 (17 CFR §240.12b-2).

Emerging growth company  $\square$ 

If an emerging growth company, indicate by check mark if the registrant has elected not to use the extended transition period for complying with any new or revised financial accounting standards provided pursuant to Section 13(a) of the Exchange Act.  $\Box$ 

## Item 3.02 Unregistered Sales of Equity Securities

On August 20, 2019, we announced the closing of the second tranche of the non-brokered private placement (the "Placement") that we previously announced on July 3, 2019, having increased the size of the Placement from C\$1,750,000 to C\$4,500,000 through the issuance of up to 64,285,714 units (each a "Unit") at a price of C\$0.07 per Unit. Each Unit consists of one share of common stock (a "Share") and one-half of one share purchase warrant. Each whole warrant entitles the holder to acquire one additional Share at an exercise price of C\$0.10 until August 20, 2022.

We previously announced the first closing of the Placement on July 11 for a total of C\$725,769 through the sale of 10,368,131 Units.

The Company has closed a second tranche of the Private Placement for a total of C\$3,207,850 through the sale of 45,826,435 Units. Warrants issued in the second tranche may be exercised until August 19, 2022. The Company has paid finders fees in accordance with CSE policies of C\$7,837 and issued a total of 111,960 finder's warrants, each finder's warrant entitling the holder to acquire one Share at a price of C\$0.10 until August 19, 2022.

We issued the shares and warrants underlying the Units in reliance on the exclusion from registration provided by Rule 903 of Regulation S under the Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "Securities Act") for offers and sales outside of the United States and on Section 4(a)(2) of the Securities Act and Rule 506(b) of Regulation D thereunder for offers and sales in the United States and to U.S. persons. We issued the finders' warrants in reliance on the exclusion from registration provided by Rule 903 of Regulation S. Our reliance on Rule 903 was based on the fact that the securities were sold in offshore transactions. We did not engage in any directed selling efforts in the United States in connection with the sale of the securities. Our reliance on Section 4(a)(2) and Rule 506(b) was based on the fact that the U.S. investors provided us with written representations regarding their investment intent and status as an accredited investor and that neither we nor anyone acting on our behalf engaged in any general advertising or general solicitation.

#### Item 8.01 Other Events

On August 20, 2019, we issued a news release announcing the closing of the second tranche of the Placement. A copy of the news release is included with this report as Exhibit 99.1

#### Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits

Exhibit <u>No.</u>	Description
99.1	Press release dated August 20, 2019

#### SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned hereunto duly authorized.

Date: August 20, 2019

# **RISE GOLD CORP.**

<u>/s/ Benjamin Mossman</u> Benjamin Mossman Chief Executive Officer



# Rise Gold Increases Equity Financing to C\$4.5 M and Negotiates US\$1.0 M in Debt Financing

August 20, 2019 – Vancouver, British Columbia – Rise Gold Corp. (CSE: RISE, OTCQB: RYES) (the "Company") announces that it has increased the size of the non-brokered private placement previously announced in its July 3, 2019 news release from C1,750,000 to C4,500,000 through the issuance of up to 64,285,714 units (each a "Unit") at a price of C0.07 per Unit, with each Unit comprising one share of common stock (a "Share") and one-half of one share purchase warrant (the "Private Placement"). Each whole warrant (a "Warrant") entitles the holder to acquire one Share at an exercise price of C0.10 for a period of three years from the date of issuance.

The Company previously announced the first closing of the Private Placement on July 11<sup>th</sup> for a total of C\$725,769 through the sale of 10,368,131 Units.

The Company has closed a second tranche of the Private Placement for a total of C\$3,207,850 through the sale of 45,826,435 Units. Warrants issued in the second tranche may be exercised until August 19, 2022. The Company has paid finders fees in accordance with CSE policies of C\$7,837 and issued a total of 111,960 finder's warrants, each finder's warrant entitling the holder to acquire one Share at a price of C\$0.10 until August 19, 2022.

All securities issued pursuant to the Private Placement are subject to statutory hold periods in accordance with applicable United States and Canadian securities laws. Rise Gold will use the proceeds from the Private Placement for the advancement of its Idaho-Maryland Gold Project and for general working capital.

The Company announces that it has entered into a non-binding letter of intent with Eridanus Capital LLC (the "Lender") for a US\$1,000,000 loan (the "Loan"). The Loan has a term of 4 years and an annual interest rate of 10% for the first two years increasing to 20% in year 3 and to 25% in year 4. Interest will accrue and be paid along with the principal upon the maturity date. The Lender will be issued 11,500,000 bonus share purchase warrants as additional consideration for advancing the Loan. Each warrant entitles the holder to acquire one Share of the Company at an exercise price of C\$0.10 for a period of three years from the date of issuance. The Loan may be repaid prior to the maturity date, in whole or in part, provided that all accrued interest is paid. In addition, if total interest payments are less than \$200,000 (two years' interest), the difference will be paid to the Lender as prepayment compensation. The Loan will be secured against the assets of the Company and its subsidiary and will be used for permitting, engineering and working capital at the Company's Idaho Maryland Gold Project.

The securities offered have not been registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "U.S. Securities Act"), or any state securities laws and may not be offered or sold absent registration or compliance with an applicable exemption from the registration requirements of the U.S. Securities Act and applicable state securities laws.

# About Rise Gold Corp.

Rise Gold is an exploration-stage mining company. The Company's principal asset is the historic past-producing Idaho-Maryland Gold Mine located in Nevada County, California, USA. The Idaho-Maryland Gold Mine is a past producing gold mine with total past production of 2,414,000 oz of gold at an average mill head grade of 17 gpt gold from 1866-1955. Historic production at the Idaho-Maryland Mine is disclosed in the Technical Report on the Idaho-Maryland Project dated June 1st, 2017 and available on <u>www.sedar.com</u>. Rise Gold is incorporated in Nevada, USA and maintains its head office in Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada.

On behalf of the Board of Directors:

Benjamin Mossman President, CEO and Director Rise Gold Corp.

For further information, please contact:

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The CSE has not reviewed, approved or disapproved the contents of this news release.

## **Forward-Looking Statements**

This press release contains certain forward-looking statements within the meaning of applicable securities laws. Forward-looking statements are frequently characterized by words such as "plan", "expect", "project", "intend", "believe", "anticipate", "estimate" and other similar words or statements that certain events or conditions "may" or "will" occur.

Although the Company believes that the expectations reflected in the forward-looking statements are reasonable, there can be no assurance that such expectations will prove to be correct. Such forward-looking statements are subject to risks, uncertainties and assumptions related to certain factors including, without limitation, obtaining all necessary approvals, meeting expenditure and financing requirements, compliance with environmental regulations, title matters, operating hazards, metal prices, political and economic factors, competitive factors, general economic conditions, relationships with vendors and strategic partners, governmental regulation and supervision, seasonality, technological change, industry practices, and one-time events that may cause actual results, performance or developments to differ materially from those contained in the forward-looking statements. Accordingly, readers should not place undue reliance on forward-looking statements and information contained in this release. Rise undertakes no obligation to update forward-looking statements or information except as required by law.