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### **Samaranta Cleans House to Build a Stronger, Better Company**

**February 22, 2013 - Vancouver, British Columbia – Samaranta Mining Corporation (TSXV – SAX)** (the “**Company**”) announces that as set out in our previous news release of February 19, 2013, we confirm that the Board received Volkmar Hable’s resignation as a director of the Company on February 12, 2013. At this time, the Company wishes to advise that Mr. Hable has been terminated as the Company’s Executive Vice-President, Mining and Exploration effective immediately.

“As the new board members slowly take charge of Samaranta and get the projects moving, we are making significant changes to add shareholder value,” commented Interim CEO, Dan Fish. “We are interviewing new candidates for the Board and new technical people to fill the VP role, as well as reviewing new potential business ideas to diversify the Company and add shareholder value moving forward.”

#### **About Samaranta Mining Corporation**

Samaranta is a mineral exploration and development company actively exploring for gold and precious metals in Colombia. The Company's primary focus is the Guadalupe gold property that is contiguous with the Frontino Gold Mine ("Frontino"). Frontino is currently the largest gold mine in Colombia and has been in operation for over 150 years with historic production estimated at 7 million ounces. Samaranta is the first company to explore the Guadalupe property using modern exploration techniques.

#### **SAMARANTA MINING CORPORATION**

per: “*Dan Fish*”  
Interim CEO

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