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JOEL SCODNICK

I, Joel Scodnick, P.Geo., as an author of this Technical Report entitled "Technical Report on the Zamora Silver-Gold Property, Sinaloa, Mexico", prepared for Auxico Resources Canada Inc. and dated March 25, 2016, and amended August 16, 2017, do hereby certify that:

- 1. I am an independent minerals consultant and Principal Geologist with sierra GEOLOGICAL CONSULTANTS INC. of 106 Eclipse Street, Sudbury, ON P3B 0E6;
- 2. I am the President and CEO of sierra GEOLOGICAL CONSULTANTS INC.;
- 3. I am a practicing member of the Association of Professional Geoscientists of Ontario (member# 1065). I have worked as a geologist for a total of 34 years since my graduation. My relevant experience for the purpose of this Technical Report is:
 - Review and report as a consultant on several exploration, development, and mining operations around the world for due diligence, feasibility studies, and resource/reserve estimation;
 - b. Chief Geologist at the Velardena Polymetallic Mine (now the Terneras Mine). Responsible for commissioning the mine and putting it into production at an initial pre-production rate of 500 tpd in 1993;
- 4. I have read the definition of "qualified person" set out in National Instrument 43-101 ("NI 43-101"), Form 43-101 F1, and the Companion Policy to NI 43-101 (43-101 CP), and certify that by reason of my education, affiliation with a professional association (as defined by NI 43-101) and past relevant work experience, I fulfill the requirements to be a "qualified person" for the purposes of NI 43-101, and the Technical Report has been prepared in compliance with NI 43-101, Form 43-101 F1, and 43-101 CP;
- 5. As of the amended date of the Technical Report, August 16, 2017, to the best of my knowledge, information and belief, the entire Technical Report for which I am responsible contain all scientific and technical information required to be disclosed to make the Technical Report not misleading in any way;
- 6. I graduated in 1982 from Concordia University in Montreal, Quebec, Canada with a B.Sc. in Geology;
- 7. I graduated in 1978 from Algonquin College in Ottawa, Ontario, Canada with Honors Distinction in Electro-Mechanical Engineering Technology-Drafting;
- 8. I conducted exploration activities on the Zamora Silver Property from May to August, 2014;





- 9. I am responsible for the overall preparation of the Technical Report;
- 10. I am independent of Auxico Resources Inc. applying the test set out in Section 1.4 of National Instrument 43-101;
- 11. I have no prior involvement with the Property that is the subject of the Technical Report;
- 12. I consent to the filing of the Technical Report with any stock exchanges or other regulatory authority and any publication by them, including electronic publication in the public company files on the websites accessible by the public, of the Technical Report.

Dated this 28th day of August, 2017

"Joel Scodnick, QP" - signed
Signature of Qualified Person

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Print name of Qualified Person

