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MANNING VENTURES CLOSES PRIVATE PLACEMENT

Vancouver, British Columbia, December 23, 2022 – Manning Ventures Inc. (the "**Company**" or "**Manning**") (CSE: MANN; Frankfurt: 1H5) is pleased to announce that it has closed a private placement of 10,400,000 common shares in the capital of the Company which will be designated as a flow-through shares ("**FT Shares**") pursuant to the *Income Tax Act* (Canada) at a price of \$0.075 per FT Share for aggregate gross proceeds of \$780,000 (the "**Private Placement**").

In connection with the Private Placement, the Company paid finder's fees totaling \$62,400 and issued an aggregate of 832,000 non-transferable finders' warrants (the "Finders' Warrants"). Each Finders' Warrant entitles the holder thereof to purchase one common share in the capital of the Company (a "Finders' Warrant Share") at a price of \$0.075 per Finders' Warrant Share for a period of 36 months from the date of issuance.

The Company intends to allocate the net proceeds of the Private Placement for the advancement of its Canadian exploration projects.

All of the securities issued in the Private Placement are subject to a hold period of 4 months and a day pursuant to applicable securities laws which expires on April 23, 2023.

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About Manning

Manning is a broad-based mineral exploration and development company with a focus in Canada. Manning holds a 100% interest in the Bounty Lithium Project, located in Quebec, and the Dipole Lithium Project, in Newfoundland. The Company also retains interest in six Iron Ore properties located in the Province of Quebec, and a portfolio of polymetallic projects in Newfoundland.

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