

Quebec Silica Resources Corp. Announces Closing of Its Previously Announced Private Placement

Vancouver, British Columbia--(Newsfile Corp. - December 30, 2022) - Quebec Silica Resources Corp. (CSE: QTZ) ("**Quebec Silica**" or the "**Company**") is pleased to announce that it has completed the closing of its non-brokered private placement (the "**Offering**") by issuing a total of: (i) 4,850,000 National flow-through units (each, a "**FT Unit**"), at a price of \$0.05 FT Unit, and (ii) 14,700,000 Québec flow-through units (each, a "**Québec FT Unit**"), at a price of \$0.05 per Québec FT Unit. The aggregate gross proceeds raised from the Offering is \$977,500. The securities issued in the private placement are subject to a four-month hold period expiring on May 1, 2023.

Each of the FT Units and Québec FT Units is comprised of one common share ("**Common Share**") and one-half (1/2) of a Common Share purchase warrant ("**Warrant**"). Each whole Warrant comprised in the FT Units and Québec FT Units entitles the holder thereof to acquire one additional Common Share at a price of \$0.075 for a period of two (2) years from the closing date of the Offering. The Common Shares comprising each of the FT Units and Québec FT Units will qualify as "flow-through shares" within the meaning of subsection 66(15) of the *Income Tax Act* (Canada). The Common Shares underlying the Warrants are not "flow-through shares".

The Company will use the private placement proceeds from the FT Units and Québec FT Units to fund exploration work on its properties.

The private placement was carried out pursuant to prospectus exemptions of applicable securities laws and is subject to final acceptance by the Canadian Securities Exchange. In connection with the Closing, finder's fees equal to an aggregate amount of \$77,750 were paid, 977,500 compensation shares and 777,500 finder's warrants were issued to arm's length third parties of the Company. Each finder's warrant entitles the holder to acquire one common share of the Company for the price of \$0.075 per common share for a period of two years following the closing. As a result of the closing of the private placement, there are now 73,909,001 common shares of the Company issued and outstanding.

Two of the Company's directors (the "**Insiders**") participated directly or indirectly in the private placement by subscribing for an aggregate of 200,000 FT Units at \$0.05 per FT Unit and an aggregate of 200,000 Québec FT Units at \$0.05 per Québec FT Unit for aggregate proceeds to Quebec Silica of \$20,000. The issuance of shares to the Insiders constitutes a related party transaction but is exempt from the formal valuation and minority approval requirements of Multilateral Instrument 61-101 - *Protection of Minority Security Holders in Special Transactions* as the fair market value of the shares acquired, directly or indirectly, by the Insiders does not exceed 25% of the Company's market capitalization. Quebec Silica did not file a material change report with respect to the participation of the Insiders at least 21 days prior to the closing date of the private placement as their participation was only recently determined.

About Quebec Silica Resources Corp.

Québec Silica Resources Corp. is a mineral exploration and development company focused on exploring, developing, and acquiring industrial mineral resources in Québec, Canada. The Company is currently focused on its wholly-owned Charlevoix Silica Project near St. Urbain, Québec, Canada, and has a portfolio of multiple silica properties, and hydrogen and helium properties in Québec.

Additional information on Québec Silica is available at www.QuebecSilica.com.

On Behalf of the Board of Directors,

QUÉBEC SILICA RESOURCES CORP.

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Although Quebec Silica believes the forward-looking information contained in this news release is reasonable based on information available on the date hereof, by their nature, forward-looking statements involve assumptions, known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause our actual results, performance or achievements, or other future events, to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by such forward-looking statements.

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