

NEWS RELEASE

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BRIAN CRAWFORD APPOINTED CFO AND MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE BOARD

January 13th, 2023. Vancouver, B.C. – Carmanah Minerals Corp. (CSE: CARM), (“Carmanah” or the “Company”) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Brian Crawford as Chief Financial officer, Corporate Secretary and to the Board of Directors. Mr. Crawford replaces Jonathan Yan. The Company thanks Mr. Yan for his time and contributions to the Company.

Mr. Crawford is a Chartered Professional Accountant, holds a Bachelor of Commerce degree from the University of Toronto and has extensive experience as a senior financial executive. He was formerly a partner in a national firm of Chartered Professional Accountants. Brian currently serves as a Director, Corporate Secretary, and or Chief Financial Officer of several Toronto Venture Exchange (“TSX.V”) and Canadian Securities Exchange (“CSE”) listed issuers.

Latika Prasad, Chief Executive Office stated, “We are very pleased to welcome Brian Crawford to the Board of Directors and as our Chief Financial Officer. His extensive experience and network will be of great benefit to Carmanah. We also thank Jonathan Yan for his valuable contribution to the company during his tenure.”

About Carmanah Minerals Corp.

Carmanah is focused on mineral exploration in Canada. It is currently actively exploring the Loljuh project, located in the Omineca mining division in British Columbia.

For further information, please view the Company’s filings at www.sedar.com.

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