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### **Andean American Appoints Andrew Gourlay as President**

VANCOUVER, BRITISH COLUMBIA-Andean American Mining Corp. (TSX.V-AAG)(FWB-AQN)

Andean American Mining (“the Company”) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Andrew Gourlay, P.Geol., as President and Director.

Mr. Gourlay brings many years of successful international exploration and technical background experience to the Company. Mr. Gourlay is an accomplished mineral exploration geologist who has worked for nearly three decades as a Professional Geologist, Qualified Person and author of numerous NI 43-101 reports. A graduate of the University of British Columbia in 1977, Mr. Gourlay has extensive exploration and management experience throughout Asia, North America and South America. Mr. Gourlay is a Professional Geologist registered with The Association of Professional Engineers, Geologists and Geophysicists of Alberta and a Fellow of the Geological Association of Canada. Mr. Gourlay is the President of Sinchao Metals Corp., of which Andean American owns 67%.

The Company would also like to announce the granting of 1,700,000 options to its directors and officers. The options will have a term of five years. The options will vest over 12 months and have an exercise price of \$0.70 Canadian.

On behalf of Andean American Mining Corp.,

“John Huguet”  
John Huguet  
Chairman & CEO

Andean American Mining Corp. (TSX.V:AAG)(FWB:AQN) is an international mining and exploration company focused on growth both organically and through acquisitions. The Company is actively pursuing new targets of potential early stage gold and silver prospects in Peru and currently has three key assets: the 16,900 hectare Invicta gold-silver-copper advanced exploration stage project; 67% of Sinchao Metals Corp., owner of the Sinchao zinc-copper-silver-gold-lead mineralization project; and the 9,000 hectare Santa Rosa property, which is a small producing open-pit mine.

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