



# **GOLDQUEST MINING CORP.**

# **Condensed Consolidated Interim Financial Statements**

FOR THE THREE MONTHS ENDED MARCH 31, 2015

(unaudited)

#### NOTICE OF NO AUDITOR REVIEW OF INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS

Under National Instrument 51-102, Part 4, subsection 4.3(3) (a), if an auditor has not performed a review of the interim financial statements, they must be accompanied by a notice indicating that the financial statements have not been reviewed by an auditor. The Company's independent auditor has not performed a review of these financial statements in accordance with standards established by the Canadian Institute of Chartered Accountants for a review of interim financial statements by an entity's auditor.

The accompanying unaudited interim financial statements of GoldQuest Mining Corp. for the three months ended March 31, 2015 have been prepared by the management of the Company and approved by the Company's Audit Committee and the Company's Board of Directors.

The accompanying unaudited interim financial statements of the Company have been prepared by and are the responsibility of the Company's management.

As at	March 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
ASSETS		
Current assets		
Cash and cash equivalents (note 4)	\$ 4,799,524	\$ 5,624,051
Amounts receivable (note 5)	29,232	24,336
Prepaid expenses	128,859	129,773
Deposits	107,670	98,659
Total current assets	5,065,285	5,876,819
Non-current assets		
Long-term investment (note 6)	-	75,756
Equipment (note 7)	145,846	165,195
Evaluation and exploration assets (note 8)	1,247,000	1,247,000
Total non-current assets	1,392,846	1,487,951
TOTAL ASSETS	\$ 6,458,131	\$ 7,364,770
LIABILITIES		
Current liabilities		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities (notes 10 and 12(b))	\$ 812,606	\$ 241,136
TOTAL LIABILITIES	812,606	241,136
EQUITY		
Share capital (note 11)	\$ 37,571,448	\$ 37,571,448
Other reserve	8,357,754	8,357,754
Stock options reserve	4,433,335	4,355,843
Deficit	(44,717,012)	(43,161,411)
TOTAL EQUITY	5,645,525	7,123,634
TOTAL EQUITY AND LIABILITIES	\$ 6,458,131	\$ 7,364,770

Corporate information and continuance of operations (note 1) Commitments and contingencies (note 13) Subsequent event (note 11(d))

See accompanying notes to these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

#### APPROVED BY THE BOARD: /s/ Julio Espaillat\_Director

<u>/s/ Florian Siegfried</u> Director

## GoldQuest Mining Corp. Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Loss and Comprehensive Loss (unaudited) (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

		For the three mon	ths ended
		March 31, 2015	March 31, 2014
EXPENSES			
Depreciation	\$	<b>15,301</b> \$	31,151
Directors' fees and management remuneration		152,000	152,000
Evaluation and exploration costs (note 9)		1,191,074	1,173,366
Foreign exchange gain		(202,543)	(154,286)
General and administrative		69,490	108,807
Investor relations and promotion		44,984	62,821
Professional fees		23,138	26,995
Regulatory and transfer agents		17,031	23,963
Rent		13,045	11,045
Salaries and wages		65,695	78,988
Share-based payments (note 11(d))		77,492	279,707
Travel		20,878	31,407
TOTAL EXPENSES		1,487,585	1,825,964
OTHER ITEMS			
Interest income		(7,740)	(18,592)
Fair value loss on available-for-sale investments (note 6)		75,756	-
NET LOSS FOR THE PERIOD	\$	<b>1,555,601</b> \$	1,807,372
OTHER COMPREHENSIVE LOSS			
Unrealized loss on available-for-sale assets (note 6)		-	303,025
TOTAL LOSS AND COMPREHENSIVE LOSS FOR THE PERIOD	\$	<b>1,555,601</b> \$	2,110,397
Basic and diluted loss per share for the period attributable			
to common shareholders (warrants and options not	\$	<b>0.01</b> \$	0.01
included as the impact would be anti-dilutive)	Ŧ	+	
Weighted average number of common			
shares outstanding - basic and diluted		145,755,044	145,058,655

See accompanying notes to these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

	Share	capital				Reserves						
	Number of shares		Amount	Oth	er reserve	Stock options reserve	W	Narrants reserve	compr	lated other ehensive come	Deficit	Total
Balance at December 31, 2014	145,755,044	\$	37,571,448		8,357,754	\$ 4,355,843	\$	-	\$	-	\$ (43,161,411)	\$ 7,123,634
Share-based payments	-		-		-	77,492		-		-	-	77,492
Other comprehensive loss	-		-		-	-		-		-	-	-
Net loss for the period	-		-		-	-		-		-	 (1,555,601)	(1,555,601)
Balance at March 31, 2015	145,755,044	\$	37,571,448	\$	8,357,754	\$ 4,433,335	\$	-	\$	-	\$ (44,717,012)	\$ 5,645,525
Balance at December 31, 2013	143,980,044	\$	37,253,320	\$	6,828,681	\$ 3,674,115	\$	1,557,439	\$	151,513	\$ (36,126,858)	\$ 13,338,210
Shares issued for cash - warrant exercise	1,700,000		255,000		-	-		-		-	-	255,000
Shares issued for cash - stock option exercise	75,000		7,500		-	-		-		-	-	7,500
Reclassification of grant-date fair value on exercise of warrants	-		49,266		-	-		(49,266)		-	-	-
Reclassification of grant-date fair value on exercise of stock options	-		6,362		-	(6,362)		-		-	-	-
Reclassification of grant-date fair value on expired warrants	-		-		3,623	-		(3,623)		-	-	-
Reclassification of grant-date fair value on expired stock options	-		-		20,900	(20,900)		-		-	-	-
Share-based payments	-		-		-	279,707		-		-	-	279,707
Fair value adjustment on available-for-sale										(202 025)		(202 025)
investments	-		-		-	-		-		(303,025)	-	(303,025)
Net loss for the period	-		-		-	-		-		-	 (1,807,372)	(1,807,372)
Balance at March 31, 2014	145,755,044	\$	37,571,448	\$	6,853,204	\$ 3,926,560	\$	1,504,550	\$	(151,512)	\$ (37,934,230)	\$ 11,770,020

See accompanying notes to these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

## GoldQuest Mining Corp. Condensed Consolidated Interim Statements of Cash Flows (unaudited) (Expressed in Canadian Dollars)

		For the three mor	onths ended		
	P	/larch 31, 2015	March 31, 2014		
Cash flows provided from (used by):					
OPERATING ACTIVITIES					
Net loss for the period	\$	<b>(1,555,601)</b> \$	(1,807,372)		
Adjustments for items not affecting cash:					
Depreciation		19,349	37,300		
Share-based payments		77,492	279,707		
Fair value loss on available-for-sale investments		75,756	-		
		(1,383,004)	(1,490,365)		
Net changes in non-cash working capital items:					
Amounts receivable		47,443	31,618		
Prepaid expenses		(51,425)	(59,737)		
Deposits		(9,011)	(7,479)		
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		571,470	34,381		
Net cash flows used in operating activities		(824,527)	(1,491,582)		
FINANCING ACTIVITIES					
Proceeds from common shares issued on exercise of					
warrants and optons		-	262,500		
Net cash flows from financing activities		-	262,500		
INVESTING ACTIVITIES					
Purchase of equipment		-	(6,923)		
Net cash flows used in investing activities		-	(6,923)		
Net decrease in cash and cash equivalents		(824,527)	(1,236,005)		
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period		5,624,051	10,901,946		
Cash and cash equivalents, end of period	\$	<b>4,799,524</b> \$	9,665,941		
Cash received during the period from interest	Ś	<b>7,740</b> \$	18,592		

There were no significant non-cash transactions for the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014.

See accompanying notes to these condensed consolidated interim financial statements.

#### **1. CORPORATE INFORMATION AND CONTINUANCE OF OPERATIONS**

GoldQuest Mining Corp. (the "Company" or "GoldQuest") is a publicly listed company incorporated in British Columbia on July 12, 1989 and its shares are listed on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol "GQC". The Company together with its subsidiaries (collectively referred to as the "Company") is engaged in the identification, acquisition and exploration of mineral properties in the Dominican Republic. The Company's registered office is located at Suite 2600, 595 Burrard Street, Vancouver, British Columbia, V7X 1L3.

The business of mining and exploring for minerals involves a high degree of risk and there can be no assurance that current exploration programs will result in profitable mining operations. The recoverability of the carrying value of evaluation and exploration properties and the Company's continued existence is dependent upon the preservation of its interest in the underlying properties, the discovery of economically recoverable reserves, the achievement of profitable operations, or the ability of the Company to raise alternative financing, if necessary, or alternatively upon the Company's ability to dispose of its interests on an advantageous basis. Changes in future conditions could require material write-downs of the carrying values. The Company's exploration assets are located outside of Canada and are subject to the risk of foreign investment, including political uncertainty, increases in taxes and royalties, renegotiation of contracts and currency exchange fluctuations.

Although the Company has taken steps to verify title to the properties on which it is conducting exploration and in which it has an interest, in accordance with industry standards for the current stage of exploration of such properties, these procedures do not guarantee the Company's title. Property title may be subject to unregistered prior agreements, unregistered claims, other land claims and non-compliance with regulatory and environmental requirements.

These unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements have been prepared on the assumption that the Company and its subsidiaries will continue as a going concern, meaning it will continue in operation for the foreseeable future and will be able to realize assets and discharge liabilities in the ordinary course of operations. Different bases of measurement may be appropriate if the Company is not expected to continue operations for the foreseeable future. As at March 31, 2015, the Company had not advanced its property to commercial production and is not able to finance day to day activities through operations. The Company's continuation as a going concern is dependent upon the successful results from its mineral property exploration activities and its ability to attain profitable operations and generate funds there from and/or raise equity capital or borrowings sufficient to meet current and future obligations. Management intends to fund operating costs over the next twelve months with cash and cash equivalents and through further equity financings.

The unaudited interim condensed consolidated financial statements of GoldQuest for the three months ended March 31, 2015 were approved by the Board of Directors on May 27, 2015.

#### 2. SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES AND BASIS OF PREPARATION

#### Statement of compliance to International Financial Reporting Standards

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements of the Company have been prepared in accordance with International Financial Reporting Standards ("IFRS") issued by the International Accounting Standards Board ("IASB") and interpretations of the International Financial Reporting Interpretations Committee ("IFRIC"). These financial statements comply with International Accounting Standard 34, Interim Financial Reporting.

#### **Basis of presentation**

These unaudited condensed consolidated interim financial statements include the accounts of GoldQuest and its subsidiaries. This interim financial report does not include all of the information required of a full annual financial report and is intended to provide users with an update in relation to events and transactions that are significant to an understanding of the changes in financial position and performance of the Company since the end of the last annual reporting period. It is therefore recommended that this financial report be read in conjunction with the annual financial statements of the Company for the year ended December 31, 2014. Certain amounts in prior periods have been reclassified to conform to the current period presentation.

#### 3. ACCOUNTING STANDARDS ISSUED BUT NOT YET EFFECTIVE

#### New standards adopted during the year

Effective January 1, 2015, the following standards were adopted but did not have a material impact on the financial statements.

• IFRS 7: Amended to require additional disclosures on transition from IAS 39 and IFRS 9, effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2015.

#### New standards and interpretations not yet adopted

Certain new standards, interpretations, amendments and improvements to existing standards were issued by the IASB or IFRIC that are mandatory for future accounting periods. The following have not yet been adopted by the Company and are being evaluated to determine their impact.

• IFRS 9: New standard that replaced IAS 39 for classification and measurement, tentatively effective for annual periods beginning on or after January 1, 2018.

#### 4. CASH AND CASH EQUIVALENTS

The Company's cash and cash equivalents are broken down as follows:

	March 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
Cash	\$ <b>4,764,524</b> \$	5,589,051
Term deposits	35,000	35,000
	\$ <b>4,799,524</b> \$	5,624,051

#### 5. AMOUNTS RECEIVABLE

The Company's amounts receivable are broken down as follows:

	March 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
Harmonized sales tax receivable and value-added tax receivable	\$ 25,429	\$ 20,840
Other receivables	3,803	3,496
	\$ 29,232	\$ 24,336

#### **6. LONG-TERM INVESTMENT**

On April 30, 2012, the Company received 15,151,273 shares of Portex with a fair value of \$909,076 in exchange for the sale of its wholly owned entities with business interests in Spain.

During the year ended December 31, 2014, management determined that there was objective evidence that 15,151,273 shares of Portex were impaired and accordingly, the cumulative losses previously recognized in other comprehensive loss were reclassified to net loss and the Company recognized an impairment loss of \$833,320.

During the three months ended March 31, 2015, the Company further impaired the carrying value of the 15,151,273 shares of Portex to \$nil; as a result, a fair value loss on available-for-sale investments of \$75,756 was recognized in the statement of loss and comprehensive (March 31, 2014 – \$nil).

As at March 31, 2015, the carrying value of the 15,151,273 common shares received from Portex is \$nil (December 31, 2014 – \$75,756).

#### 7. EQUIPMENT

The Company's equipment is broken down as follows:

	Computer			Office			
	equipment	Fie	eld equipment	equipment	Software	Vehicles	Total
Cost							
As at December 31, 2014	\$ 121,809	\$	172,110	\$ 13,791	\$ 117,930	\$ 277,723	\$ 703,363
Balance as at March 31, 2015	\$ 121,809	\$	172,110	\$ 13,791	\$ 117,930	\$ 277,723	\$ 703,363
Depreciation							
As at December 31, 2014	\$ (37,971)	\$	(148,506)	\$ (12,057)	\$ (115,642)	\$ (223,992)	\$ (538,168)
Charged for the period	(4,058)		(4,048)	(345)	(624)	(10,274)	(19,349)
Balance as at March 31, 2015	\$ (42,029)	\$	(152,554)	\$ (12,402)	\$ (116,266)	\$ (234,266)	\$ (557,517)
Net book value							
As at December 31, 2014	\$ 83,838	\$	23,604	\$ 1,734	\$ 2,288	\$ 53,731	\$ 165,195
As at March 31, 2015	\$ 79,780	\$	19,556	\$ 1,389	\$ 1,664	\$ 43,457	\$ 145,846

#### 8. EVALUATION AND EXPLORATION ASSETS

The Company's evaluation and exploration assets are broken down as follows:

	Balance as at Balance as at								Balance as at
	Dece	mber 31, 2013	Additions		Dece	ember 31, 2014	Additions		March 31, 2015
Dominican Republic	\$	<b>1,247,000</b> \$		-	\$	<b>1,247,000</b> \$		- \$	1,247,000

#### Dominican Republic – 100% owned

On August 5, 2009, the Company entered into a purchase agreement with Gold Fields Dominican Republic BVI Limited ("GFL") to regain full ownership of its gold-focused portfolio in the Dominican Republic. As consideration for GFL's interest in the joint venture projects, the Company issued 8,600,000 common shares and granted a 1.5% Net Smelter Royalty ("NSR") on the claims in favour of GFL.

The transaction was completed on November 18, 2009 with the issuance of the shares at an estimated fair value of \$1,247,000.

#### 9. EVALUATION AND EXPLORATION COSTS

The Company's evaluation and exploration costs during the three ended March 31, 2015 and 2014 related to projects in the Dominican Republic are broken down as follows:

	For the three months ended March 31, 2015							
	Tireo		Other		Total			
Access fees	\$ 755	\$	1,056	\$	1,811			
Depreciation	1,633		2,415		4,048			
Drilling	440,293		-		440,293			
Equipment rental	2,380		1,070		3,450			
Field	128,855		24,284		153,139			
Field technicians	139,952		1,041		140,993			
Geological	308,094		10,498		318,592			
Lodging and food	41,715		-		41,715			
Salaries and wages	-		69,120		69,120			
Sample analysis	4,358		-		4,358			
Social responsibility	12,867		-		12,867			
Transportation	688		-		688			
	\$ 1,081,590	\$	109,484	\$	1,191,074			

Cumulative costs, beginning of period21,725,054Cumulative costs, end of period\$22,916,128

For the thre	e months	ended	March	31, 2014
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	Tireo	Other	Total
Access fees	\$ 2,792	\$ 508	\$ 3,300
Depreciation	5,726	423	6,149
Engineering	62,687	-	62,687
Equipment rental	4,204	-	4,204
Field	307,982	9,564	317,546
Field technicians	42,612	-	42,612
Geological	630,132	15,315	645,447
Lodging and food	31,421	1,217	32,638
Salaries and wages	-	49,205	49,205
Social responsibility	8,682	-	8,682
Transportation	896	-	896
	\$ 1,097,134	\$ 76,232	\$ 1,173,366

Cumulative costs, beginning of period17,824,237Cumulative costs, end of period\$18,997,603

#### **10. ACCOUNTS PAYABLE AND ACCRUED LIABILITIES**

The Company's accounts payable and accrued liabilities are broken down as follows:

	March 31, 2015	December 31, 2014
Trade payables	\$ <b>706,811</b> \$	205,600
Accrued liabilities	105,795	35,536
	\$ <b>812,606</b> \$	241,136

#### **11. SHARE CAPITAL**

#### a) Authorized share capital

Unlimited number of common shares without par value.

#### b) Issued share capital

At March 31, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the Company had 145,755,044 common shares issued and outstanding with a value of \$37,571,448.

#### c) Warrants

The changes in warrants during the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014 are as follows:

_	March 31, 2015			March 3	1, 2014		
_	Number outstanding	w	eighted average exercise price	Number outstanding		ghted average exercise price	
Balance, beginning of period	-	\$	-	3,289,855	\$	0.46	
Expired	-		-	(125,000)		0.15	
Exercised	-		-	(1,700,000)		0.15	
Balance, end of period	-	\$	-	1,464,855	\$	0.85	

#### **11. SHARE CAPITAL (continued)**

#### d) Stock options

Under the Company's stock option plan, the Board of Directors may grant options for the purchase of up to a total of 10% of the total number of issued and outstanding common shares of the Company. Options granted under the plan may vest over a period of time at the discretion of the board of directors. Under the plan, the exercise price of each option equals the market price of the Company's stock as determined on the date of grant. The options can be granted for a maximum term of 10 years and vest at the discretion of the Board of Directors.

Options to purchase common shares have been granted to directors, employees and consultants at exercise prices determined by reference to the market value of the Company's common shares on the date of the grant. The changes in options during the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014 are as follows:

	March 31, 2015			March 3	1, 2014		
	Number outstanding	W	eighted average exercise price	Number outstanding	W	eighted average/ exercise price/	
Balance, beginning of year	12,856,163	\$	0.40	12,828,330	\$	0.40	
Granted	1,700,000		0.15	-		-	
Expired	-		-	(41,667)		0.59	
Forfeited	-		-	(75,000)		0.10	
Balance, end of year	14,556,163	\$	0.37	12,711,663	\$	0.40	

#### During the three months ended March 31, 2015:

- On January 20, 2015, the Company granted 1,650,000 options with an exercise price of \$0.15 to certain officers, directors and employees. The options are exercisable for a period of five years. One-third vest six months from the date of grant and one-third will vest every six months thereafter.
- On January 20, 2015, the Company granted 50,000 options with an exercise price of \$0.15 to an employee. The options are exercisable for a period of five years. A quarter vest three months from the date of grant and a quarter will vest every three months thereafter.

#### Subsequent to March 31, 2015:

• 200,000 options were exercised for proceeds of \$28,000.

#### **11. SHARE CAPITAL (continued)**

#### d) Stock options (continued)

The following summarizes information about stock options outstanding and exercisable at March 31, 2015:

						Weighted average
		Options	Options		Estimated grant ren	naining contractual
Grant date	Expiry date	outstanding	exercisable	Exercise price	date fair value	life (in years)
June 1, 2010	June 1, 2015	200,000	200,000 \$	0.140	\$ 21,522	0.17
July 16, 2010	July 16, 2015	400,000	400,000 \$	0.140	\$ 54,233	0.29
September 24, 2010	September 24, 2015	300,000	300,000 \$	0.145	\$ 45,874	0.48
January 20, 2011	January 20, 2016	200,000	200,000 \$	0.360	\$ 61,700	0.81
March 1, 2011	March 1, 2016	1,000,000	1,000,000 \$	0.420	\$ 359,521	0.92
August 24, 2011	August 24, 2016	2,225,000	2,225,000 \$	0.200	\$ 299,775	1.40
May 31, 2012	May 31, 2017	2,623,335	2,623,335 \$	0.560	\$ 1,594,038	2.17
June 1, 2012	June 1, 2017	93,334	93,334 \$	0.680	\$ 61,377	2.17
September 11, 2012	September 4, 2017	250,000	250,000 \$	1.560	\$ 376,726	2.43
March 8, 2013	March 8, 2018	2,500,000	2,500,000 \$	0.500	\$ 893,958	2.94
May 22, 2013	May 22, 2018	500,000	500,000 \$	0.350	\$ 131,412	3.15
December 19, 2013	December 19, 2018	2,399,494	1,599,664 \$	0.250	\$ 499,011	3.72
May 14, 2014	May 14, 2019	165,000	55,000 \$	0.310	\$ 43,920	4.12
January 20, 2015	January 20, 2020	1,700,000	-	0.150	\$ 187,727	4.81
		14,556,163	11,946,333		\$ 4,630,794	2.59

The estimated grant date fair value of the options granted during the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014 was calculated using the Black-Scholes option pricing model with the following weighted average assumptions:

	For the three months ended				
		March 31, 2015	March 31, 2014		
Number of options granted		1,700,000	N/A		
Risk-free interest rate		0.95%	N/A		
Expected annual volatility		131%	N/A		
Expected life		5.00	N/A		
Expected dividend yield		0.00%	N/A		
Grant date fair value per option	\$	0.11	N/A		
Share price at grant date	\$	0.13	N/A		

#### **11. SHARE CAPITAL (continued)**

#### d) Stock options (continued)

During the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, the Company recognized share-based payments expense of \$77,492 and \$279,707, respectively. For the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014, share-based payments expense consists of the following:

		For the three months ended					
	Ma	rch 31, 2015	Ma	rch 31, 2014			
For services in respect of:							
Directors' fees	\$	22,129	\$	104,417			
Management fees		40,416		150,062			
Salaries and wages		14,947		25,228			
	\$	77,492	\$	279,707			

#### e) Earnings (loss) per share

The Company calculated the basic earnings (loss) per share by using the weighted-average number of shares outstanding during the period. The diluted earnings per share reflects the potential dilution of common share equivalents, such as outstanding stock options and warrants, in the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period. In determining the weighted average number of common shares outstanding during the period for the diluted loss per share, warrants and options are not included as the impact would be anti-dilutive.

#### **12. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES**

The financial statements include the accounts of GoldQuest Mining Corp. and its subsidiaries listed in the following table:

	Equity Onwership a						
Name	Country of Incorporation	March 31, 2015 Decem	nber 31, 2014				
GoldQuest Mining (BVI) Corp	British Virgin Islands	100%	100%				
Goldquest Dominicana SRL	Dominican Republic	100%	100%				

#### **12. RELATED PARTY TRANSACTIONS AND BALANCES (continued)**

Balances and transactions between the Company and its subsidiaries have been eliminated on consolidation and are not disclosed in this note.

#### a) Related Party Transactions

The Company's related parties as defined by IAS 24, *Related Party Disclosures*, include the Company's subsidiaries (above), and the following directors, executive officers, key management personnel, and enterprises which are controlled by these individuals:

Related Party	Relationship
William Fisher	Executive Chairman
Frank Balint	Director
Patrick Michaels	Director
Florian Siegfried	Director
Julio Espaillat	Director, President and CEO
Paul Robertson	CFO
Quantum Advisory Partners LLP	A partnership in which the CFO is a partner
Jeremy Niemi	Vice President, Exploration
Felix Mercedes	Country Manager, Dominican Republic

The Company considered the executive officers and directors as the key management of the Company.

Total compensation of key company personnel for the three months ended March 31, 2015 and 2014 is as follows:

		For the three months ended					
	March 31, 2015			March 31, 2014			
Directors' fees	\$	21,000	\$	21,000			
Management fees, salaries and wages		204,496		196,300			
Share-based compensation		636,411		254,476			
	\$	861,907	\$	471,776			

During the three months ended March 31, 2015, the Company paid professional fees of \$9,020 (March 31, 2014 – \$14,220) to Quantum Advisory Partners LLP, a partnership in which the CFO is an incorporated partner, for other professional services including corporate secretarial, transaction support and tax compliance.

#### b) Related party balances

The balances due to the Company's directors and officer included in accounts payables and accrued liabilities were \$38,454 as at March 31, 2015 (December 31, 2014 – \$27,020), which were paid subsequent to year end. These amounts are unsecured, non-interest bearing and payable on demand.

#### **13. COMMITMENTS AND CONTINGENCIES**

#### a) Commitments

The Company is a party to certain management contracts. These contracts contain clauses requiring that \$1,434,000 be paid upon a change of control of the Company. As the likelihood of these events taking place is not determinable, the contingent payments have not been reflected in these consolidated financial statements.

#### b) Contingencies

#### Lawsuit

In August 2014, the Company received notice of a civil lawsuit filed with the Commercial and Civil Chamber of the Courts of First Instance in the city of San Juan de La Maguana, Dominican Republic. The lawsuit alleges that the Company entered the claimants' property without authorization, damaged crops, drove out livestock, and extracted gold. The claimants are seeking, amongst other things, damages totaling USD\$5,000,000 relating to the surface damage and the extraction of gold from the property in question. The Company is of the view that any minor surface disturbances were fully remediated and that the Company was in full compliance with the conditions of both its exploration concession and environmental permits issued by the Dominican government. No amount has been provided for in these financial statements for this claim because it is too early to predict the outcome of this lawsuit; however, management's view is that the claim against the Company is without merit.

#### **14. SEGMENTED INFORMATION**

The Company has one reportable segment, being the evaluation and exploration of mineral exploration properties in one geographic region: Dominican Republic. The Company's assets and liabilities are as follows:

	Canada	Republic		Total
As at March 31, 2015				
Evaluation and exploration assets	\$ - \$	1,247,000	\$	1,247,000
Equipment	90,911	54,935		145,846
Other assets	4,506,461	558,824		5,065,285
Liabilities	(659,773)	(152,833)		(812,606)
	\$ 3,937,599 \$	1,707,926	\$	5,645,525
As at December 31, 2014				
Evaluation and exploration assets	\$ - \$	1,247,000	\$	1,247,000
Long-term investment	75,756	-		75,756
Equipment	97,795	67,400		165,195
Other assets	5,482,031	394,788		5,876,819
Liabilities	(182,640)	(58,496)		(241,136)
	\$ 5,472,942 \$	1,650,692	\$	7,123,634
Comprehensive loss:				
For the three months ended March 31, 2015	\$ 1,094,366 \$	461,235	\$	1,555,601
For the three months ended March 31, 2014	\$ 1,464,074 \$	646,323	\$	2,110,397

#### **15. CAPITAL MANAGEMENT**

The Company's objectives when managing capital are to safeguard its ability to continue as a going concern in order to pursue the evaluation and exploration of its mineral exploration properties and to maintain a flexible capital structure, which optimizes the costs of capital at an acceptable risk. In the management of capital, the Company includes the components of share capital.

There were no changes to the Company policy for capital management during the three months ended March 31, 2015.

The Company manages the capital structure and makes adjustments to it in light of changes in economic conditions and the risk characteristics of the underlying assets. To maintain or adjust its capital structure, the Company may issue new shares, acquire or dispose of assets, or adjust the amount of cash and cash equivalents and short-term investments. In order to maximize ongoing development efforts, the Company does not pay out dividends. The Company and its subsidiaries are not subject to any externally imposed capital requirements.

The Company's investment policy is to invest its excess cash in very low risk financial instruments such as term deposits or by holding funds in high yield savings accounts with major Canadian banks. By using this strategy the Company preserves its cash resources and is able to marginally increase these resources through the yields on these investments. The Company's financial instruments are exposed to certain financial risks, which include currency risk, credit risk, liquidity risk and interest rate risk.

The Company expects that its current capital resources will be sufficient to fund its present operational commitments and working capital needs for the coming twelve months.

#### **16. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS**

#### a) Fair value

The carrying values of cash and cash equivalents, amounts receivable, and accounts payable and accrued liabilities approximate their fair values due to the relatively short period to maturity of those financial instruments. Long-term investment is determined by the closing market price of the securities held by the Company.

	Loa	ans and receivables		Assets at fair value	Availabe-for-sale	
	i	and other liabilities	t	hrough profit or loss	assets	Total
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	4,764,524	\$	35,000	\$ - \$	4,799,524
Amounts receivable		3,803		-	-	3,803
Long-term investment		-		-	-	-
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities		812,606		-	-	812,606

#### **16. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)**

#### a) Fair value (continued)

Financial instruments recorded at fair value on the consolidated statements of financial position are classified using a fair value hierarchy that reflects the significance of the inputs used in making the measurements. The hierarchy gives the highest priority to unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities and the lowest priority to unobservable inputs. The three levels of the fair value hierarchy are as follows:

Level 1: Unadjusted quoted prices in active markets for identical assets or liabilities;

Level 2: Inputs other than quoted prices included in Level 1 that are observable for the asset or liability either directly (i.e., as prices) or indirectly (i.e., derived from prices); and

Level 3: Inputs that are not based on observable market data.

As at March 31, 2015 and December 31, 2014, the financial instruments recorded at fair value on the consolidated statement of financial position are cash equivalents which are measured using Level 2 of the fair value hierarchy and long term investments measured using Level 1 of the fair value hierarchy.

#### b) Financial risk management

#### <u>Credit risk</u>

The Company is exposed to credit risk with respect to its cash and cash equivalents. Cash and cash equivalents have been placed on deposit with major Canadian and Dominican financial institutions.

The risk arises from the non-performance of counterparties of contractual financial obligations. The Company's cash and cash equivalents are mainly held through large Canadian institutions and at March 31, 2015 are mainly held in savings accounts and accordingly credit risk in minimized.

The Company manages credit risk, in respect of cash and cash equivalents, by purchasing term deposits held at a major Canadian financial institution.

Concentration of credit risk exists with respect to the Company's cash and cash equivalents as the majority of the amounts are held at a single Canadian financial institution. The Company's concentration of credit risk and maximum exposure thereto is as follows:

	Ma	rch 31, 2015
Held at major Canadian financial institution:		
Cash	\$	4,400,224
Short-term money market instruments		35,000
		4,435,224
Held at major Dominican Republic financial institution:		
Cash	\$	364,300
Total cash and cash equivalents	\$	4,799,524

The credit risk associated with cash and cash equivalents is minimized by ensuring the majority of these financial assets are held with major Canadian and Dominican financial institutions with strong investment-grade ratings by a primary rating agency.

#### **16. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)**

#### b) Financial risk management (continued)

#### Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that an entity will encounter difficulty in raising funds to meet commitments associated with financial instruments. The Company manages liquidity by maintaining adequate cash balances to meet liabilities as they become due.

The Company's expected source of cash flow in the upcoming year will be through equity financings.

The Company maintained sufficient cash and cash equivalents at March 31, 2015 in the amount of \$4,799,524, in order to meet short-term business requirements. At March 31, 2015, the Company had accounts payable and accrued liabilities of \$812,606. All accounts payable and accrued liabilities are current.

#### <u>Market risk</u>

The significant market risks to which the Company is exposed are interest rate risk, currency risk and commodity price risk.

#### Interest rate risk

Interest rate risk is the risk that the fair value or the future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market interest rates. The Company's cash and cash equivalents are held mainly in high yield saving accounts and term deposits and therefore there is currently minimal interest rate risk. Because of the short-term nature of these financial instruments, fluctuations in market rates do not have a significant impact on estimated fair values as of March 31, 2015.

The Company's interest rate risk principally arises from the interest rate impact of interest earned on cash and cash equivalents. A 1% change in interest rates on cash and cash equivalents outstanding at March 31, 2015 would result in a \$47,995 change to the Company's net loss for the three months ended March 31, 2015.

#### Currency risk

The Company is exposed to currency risk to the extent that monetary assets and liabilities held by the Company are not denominated in Canadian dollars. The Company has not entered into any foreign currency contracts to mitigate this risk.

The Company's cash and cash equivalents, amounts receivable, accounts payable and accrued liabilities and long-term investment are held in Canadian Dollars ("CAD"), US Dollars ("USD") and Dominican Pesos ("DOP"); therefore, USD and DOP accounts are subject to fluctuation against the Canadian dollar.

#### **16. FINANCIAL INSTRUMENTS (continued)**

#### b) Financial risk management (continued)

#### Currency risk (continued)

The Company had the following balances in foreign currency as at March 31, 2015:

	in CAD	in USD	in DOP
Cash and cash equivalents	1,684,842	2,439,067	1,114,763
Amounts receivable	157	-	130,197
Accounts payable and accrued liabilities	(265,817)	(311,625)	(5,458,317)
	1,419,182	2,127,442	(4,213,357)
Rate to convert to \$1.00 CAD	1.000	0.7910	35.7143
Equivalent to Canadian dollars	1,419,182	2,689,512	(117,974)

Based on the above net exposures as at March 31, 2015, and assuming that all other variables remain constant, a 10% appreciation or depreciation of the CAD against the USD and DOP would have had the following impact:

	Additional foreign exchange gain (loss) (before tax) (in CAD)			
		USD	DOP	Total
For the three months ended March 31, 2015				
If CAD appreciated by 10%	\$	268,951 \$	(11,797) \$	257,154
If CAD depreciated by 10%		(268,951)	11,797	(257,154)

#### Other price risk

Other price risk is the risk that the fair value or future cash flows of a financial instrument will fluctuate because of changes in market prices other than those arising from interest rate risk, financial market risk, or currency risk.

As at March 31, 2015, the Company held 15,151,273 common shares of Portex which is publicly traded on the Canadian National Stock Exchange. During the three months ended March 31, 2015, the Company further impaired the carrying value of the 15,151,273 shares of Portex to \$nil; as a result of the impairment, the Company believe price risk from the investment in Portex is minimal.

Other than this, the Company is not exposed to significant other price risk.

#### Commodity risk

The Company is exposed to price risk with respect to commodity prices, specifically gold. The Company closely monitors commodity prices to determine the appropriate course of action to be taken by the Company. Commodity prices fluctuate on a daily basis and are affected by numerous factors beyond the Company's control. The supply and demand for these commodities, the level of interest rates, the rate of inflation, investment decision by large holders of commodities including governmental reserves and stability of exchange rates can all cause significant fluctuations in prices. Such external economic factors are in turn influenced by changes in international investment patterns and monetary systems and political developments. As the Company does not have production assets, management believes this risk is minimal.