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SHARES-FOR-DEBT SETTLEMENT COMPLETED

SAMEX Mining Corp. has settled debt totaling CDN \$140,890.00 with six creditors by issuing 1,408,900 common shares at a deemed price of \$0.10 per share (originally announced in News Release No. 23-01 dated November 14, 2001). An \$89,540.00 portion of the settlement involved debt owed to certain directors of SAMEX. The 1,408,900 shares were issued on January 4, 2002 and are subject to a hold period until May 4, 2002.

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