



NEWS RELEASE

CHAKANA COPPER ANNOUNCES DTC ELIGIBILITY of COMMON SHARES

Vancouver, B.C., April 9, 2018 – Chakana Copper Corp. (TSX-V: PERU; OTC: CHKKF; FWB: 1ZX) (the “Company” or “Chakana”), is pleased to announce it has received approval from The Depository Trust Company (“DTC”) making the Company's shares DTC eligible.

DTC provides depository and book entry services for eligible stocks, as well as a settlement system. This means shares can trade electronically. Electronic clearing speeds up the delivery of stock and cash settlements, thereby accelerating trading for investors. DTC is the world's settlement organization for equities across the USA and in 131 other countries. In the USA, DTC handles some 1.4 million settlement transactions daily, valued at approximately \$600 billion.

“We expect that being DTC eligible will greatly simplify the process of trading our common shares in the United States,” stated Chakana Copper CEO, David Kelley. We look forward to keeping our shareholders up to date with progress at the Soledad Project in the weeks and months ahead.”

About Chakana Copper

Chakana Copper Corp. is a Canadian based minerals exploration company and through its wholly owned Peruvian subsidiary, Chakana Resources S.A.C., is currently advancing the Soledad project near Aija, in the Ancash region of the highly prolific Cordillera Negra mountain range of Peru.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

(signed) “David Kelley”

David Kelley

President and CEO

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