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VSE Symbol: DML

Issue of Stock Options

The Company announces the granting of incentive stock options to certain of its employees entitling them to purchase up to 800,000 shares of the Company at a price of \$1.12 per share exercisable for a period of two years. The granting of the stock options is subject to the approval of the Vancouver Stock Exchange.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DONNER MINERALS LTD.

"David Patterson"
Chief Executive Officer

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