Argonaut Gold Announces Release Date For First Quarter 2018 Operational and Financial Results

Toronto, Ontario – (April 16, 2018) **Argonaut Gold Inc. (TSX: AR)** (the "Company", "Argonaut Gold" or "Argonaut") plans to release its first quarter 2018 operating results, financial statements and the related management's discussion and analysis after market close on April 30, 2018. The Company will host a conference call and webcast to discuss its first quarter operating and financial results at 8:30 am EDT on May 1, 2018.

Argonaut Gold First Quarter Operational and Financial Results Conference Call and Webcast:

Q1 Conference Call Information

Toll Free (North America):	1-888-231-8191
International:	1-647-427-7450
Conference ID:	6651219
Webcast:	**www.argonautgold.com**

Q1 Conference Call Replay:

Toll Free Replay Call (North America):	1-855-859-2056
International Replay Call:	1-416-849-0833

The conference call replay will be available from 11:30 am EDT on May 1, 2018 until 11:59 pm EST on May 8, 2019.

About Argonaut Gold

Argonaut Gold is a Canadian gold company engaged in exploration, mine development and production activities. Its primary assets are the production stage El Castillo mine and San Agustin mine, which together form the El Castillo Complex in Durango, Mexico and the production stage La Colorada mine in Sonora, Mexico. Advanced exploration stage projects include the San Antonio project in Baja California Sur, Mexico, the Cerro del Gallo project in Guanajuato, Mexico and the Magino project in Ontario, Canada. The Company also has several exploration stage projects, all of which are located in North America.

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