

NEWS RELEASE

K2 Gold Corporation Announces Non-Brokered Private Placement to Raise \$750,000

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Vancouver, British Columbia, May 10, 2018 – K2 Gold Corporation. (“K2”) (TSX-V: KTO) is pleased to announce its intention to raise C\$750,000 by way of a non-brokered private placement consisting of both non-flow-through and flow-through unit offerings. The Company will issue up to 2,000,000 NFT Units and 833,333 FT Units for total gross proceeds of up to \$750,000.

Each non-flow-through unit (each, a “NFT Unit”) will be issued at a price of \$0.25 and will consist of one common share of K2 and one common share purchase warrant. Each warrant will be exercisable to acquire one common share of K2 at an exercise price of C\$0.37 for 12 months from the date of the closing of the Private Placement. The common share purchase warrants will be subject to acceleration at K2’s discretion in the event its common shares trade on the TSX Venture Exchange on a volume weighted average price (“VWAP”) basis of C\$0.60 or more for a period of ten consecutive trading days.

Each flow-through unit (each, a “FT Unit”) will be issued at a price of \$0.30 and will consist of one common share of K2 and one half of one common share purchase warrant. Each whole warrant will be exercisable to acquire one common share of K2 at an exercise price of C\$0.45 for 12 months from the date of the closing of the Private Placement. The common share purchase warrants will be subject to acceleration at K2’s discretion in the event its common shares trade on the TSX Venture Exchange on a volume weighted average price (“VWAP”) basis of C\$0.60 or more for a period of ten consecutive trading days.

K2 has agreed (i) to pay a cash finder’s fee of 6% of the aggregate proceeds raised from subscriptions arranged by certain finders and (ii) to issue warrants equal to 6% of the aggregate Units subscribed for pursuant to the subscriptions arranged by such finders. Each warrant shall be exercisable for one common share at a price of C\$0.37 for a period of 12 months following the closing date of the Private Placement.

The closing of the Private Placement is expected to occur on or about June 5th and is subject to the receipt of all necessary regulatory approvals, including the approval of the TSX Venture Exchange. All securities issued pursuant to the Private Placement will be subject to a four month hold period in accordance with applicable Canadian securities laws. There is no material fact or material change regarding K2 that has not been generally disclosed.

K2 intends to use the net proceeds from the Private Placement predominantly for follow up soil sampling and geophysics in the recently discovered gold rich Gunpowder and Chai zones at the Wels property, additional staking of prospective ground outside of the Wels district and working capital for general corporate purposes.

About K2 Gold Corporation

K2 Gold Corporation is a junior mineral exploration company focused on building a portfolio of gold exploration projects in the Yukon, including the Wels Property located approximately 185 km south of Dawson City, Yukon. In addition to Wels the Company is conducting exploration at the Flume, Storck and Ladue properties in the South Klondike district north of Wels. The Company has assembled an experienced management team and board of directors with a track record of discovery success.

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On behalf of the Board of Directors,

“Stephen Swatton”

President and CEO

K2 Gold Corporation

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