VANCOUVER, BC / ACCESSWIRE / April 19, 2016 / <u>Midnight Sun Mining Corp.</u> (TSXV: MMA) (the "Company" or "Midnight Sun") announces that a major mining group has shown interest in exploring the Company's optioned Solwezi copper-cobalt property, which is located in Zambia. This major mining group will be conducting due diligence studies and exploration over the next quarter.

No obligation is created between Midnight Sun and the major mining group as a result of this due diligence and exploration work. Midnight Sun will publicly disclose any material results of this exploration work or any material change in the relationship with the major mining group.

"The interest shown by this major mining entity further underlines our excitement and positive outlook on the high potential zones that have been confirmed in the Solwezi area" commented Bob Sibthorpe, President and CEO. "We expect the data derived from this due diligence work to be of considerable value to Midnight Sun and help to guide the next phase of work on the property."

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