

GOLDEN STAR FIRST QUARTER 2017 RESULTS CONFERENCE CALL

Toronto, ON – April 20, 2017- Golden Star Resources (NYSE MKT: GSS; TSX: GSC; GSE: GSR) ("Golden Star" or the "Company") will be releasing its results for the quarter ended March 31, 2017 after market close on May 3, 2017.

The Company will conduct a conference call and webcast to discuss these results on Thursday, May 4, 2017 at 9:00 am ET. The access details are as follows:

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Webcast: www.gsr.com

A recording and webcast replay of the call will be available at www.gsr.com following the call.

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Company Profile:

Golden Star is an established gold mining company that owns and operates the Wassa and Prestea mines situated on the prolific Ashanti Gold Belt in Ghana, West Africa. Listed on the NYSE MKT, the TSX, and the GSE, Golden Star is strategically focused on increasing operating margins and cash flow through the development of its two high grade, low cost underground mines both in conjunction with existing open pit operations. The Wassa Underground Gold Mine commenced commercial production in January 2017 and the Prestea Underground Gold Mine is expected to achieve commercial production in mid-2017. Gold production in 2017 is expected to be 255,000-280,000 ounces with cash operating costs of US\$780-860 per ounce.

Source: Golden Star Resources Ltd.