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### Annual General Meeting Voting Results

Vancouver, British Columbia May 15, 2017; Pretium Resources Inc. (TSX/NYSE:PVG) (“Pretium” or the “Company”) announces the voting results from its Annual General Meeting of Shareholders held on May 12, 2017 (the “Meeting”).

A total of 121,908,040 (67.43%) of Pretium’s common shares were represented at the meeting.

The eight nominees listed in the management proxy circular were elected as directors of Pretium. Detailed results of the vote for the election of directors are set out below:

#### Number of Directors

Setting the number of Directors at eight

| Votes for   | % For  | Votes Against | % Against |
|-------------|--------|---------------|-----------|
| 121,083,101 | 99.41% | 721,718       | 0.59%     |

#### Election of Directors

| Nominee               | Votes for   | % For  | Votes Withheld | % Withheld |
|-----------------------|-------------|--------|----------------|------------|
| Robert A. Quartermain | 102,668,473 | 99.71% | 300,424        | 0.29%      |
| C. Noel Dunn          | 102,695,684 | 99.73% | 273,213        | 0.27%      |
| Joseph J. Ovsenek     | 102,737,813 | 99.78% | 231,084        | 0.22%      |
| George Paspalas       | 102,693,846 | 99.73% | 275,051        | 0.27%      |
| Peter Birkey          | 102,702,099 | 99.74% | 266,798        | 0.26%      |
| Shaoyang Shen         | 102,688,276 | 99.73% | 280,621        | 0.27%      |
| Nicole Adshead-Bell   | 102,695,220 | 99.73% | 273,677        | 0.27%      |
| David Smith           | 102,647,738 | 99.69% | 321,159        | 0.31%      |

Voting results at the meeting approving the appointment of auditors and an advisory resolution on executive compensation were as follows:

#### Appointment of auditors

The appointment of PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP as auditors of the Company and authorising the auditors to set their remuneration.

| Votes for   | % For  | Votes Withheld | % Withheld |
|-------------|--------|----------------|------------|
| 121,305,012 | 99.59% | 499,806        | 0.41%      |

## Say on Pay Advisory Vote

To authorize and approve a non-binding resolution accepting the Company's approach to executive compensation.

| Votes for  | % For  | Votes Against | % Against |
|------------|--------|---------------|-----------|
| 99,674,398 | 96.80% | 3,294,499     | 3.20%     |

## About Pretivm

Pretivm is commissioning the high-grade underground Brucejack gold mine in northern British Columbia with commercial production targeted for 2017.

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