



LEADING EDGE MATERIALS CORP.

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NEWS RELEASE

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LEADING EDGE MATERIALS ANNOUNCES GRANT OF STOCK OPTIONS

Vancouver, August 11, 2020– Leading Edge Materials Corp. (“**Leading Edge Materials**” or the “**Company**”) (TSXV: LEM) (Nasdaq First North: LEMSE) (OTCQB: LEMIF) announces the granting of stock options (the “Options”) to directors, officers and consultants to purchase an aggregate of 3,500,000 common shares (the “Optioned Shares”) of the Company, at exercise price of C\$0.155 per Optioned Share, expiring on the date that is three years from the date of grant. The Options were issued pursuant to the terms of the Company’s Option Plan.

**On behalf of the Board of Directors,
Leading Edge Materials Corp.**

Filip Kozlowski, CEO

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About Leading Edge Materials

Leading Edge Materials is a Canadian public company focused on developing a portfolio of critical raw material projects located in the European Union. Critical raw materials are determined as such by the European Union based on their economic importance and supply risk. They are directly linked to high growth technologies such as lithium-ion batteries and permanent magnets for electric motors and wind power that underpin the sustainability transition of society. The portfolio of projects includes the 100% owned Woxna Graphite mine (Sweden), Norra Kärr HREE project (Sweden), Bergby lithium project (Sweden) and the 51% owned Bihor Sud Nickel Cobalt exploration alliance (Romania).

Additional Information

The Company's consolidated financial statements and related management's discussion and analysis are available on the Company's website at www.leadingedgematerials.com or under its profile on SEDAR at www.sedar.com

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Leading Edge Materials is listed on the TSXV under the symbol “LEM”, OTCQB under the symbol “LEMIF” and Nasdaq First North Stockholm under the symbol “LEMSE”. Mangold Fondkommission AB is the Company’s Certified Adviser on Nasdaq First North and may be contacted via email CA@mangold.se or by phone +46 (0) 8 5030 1550.

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