Extractive Sector Transparency Measures Act Report

| Reporting Year Reporting Entity Name | From: | 2016-01-01 | To: Marlin Gold Mining Ltd | 2016-12-31 |
|--|-------------------------------------|---------------|--------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Reporting Entity ESTMA Identification Number | | | E209929 | |
| Subsidiary Reporting Entities (if necessary) | | | | |
| Attestation: Please check one of the the boxes below and | provide the require | ed informatio | n | |
| ✓ Attestation (by Reporting Entity) | | | | |
| In accordance with the requirements of the ESTMA, and in particular secti above. Based on my knowledge, and having exercised reasonable diliger purposes of the Act, for the reporting year listed above. | | | | |
| Attestation (through independent audit) In accordance with the requirements of the ESTMA, and in particular section entity(ies) and reporting year listed above. Such an audit was conducted independent attestation of ESTMA reports. | | | | |
| The auditor expressed an unmodified opinion, dated [ENTER DATE: YYY The independent auditor's report can be found at [INSERT WEBLINK TO | | | | |
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 Reporting Year
 From:
 2016-01-01
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 2016-12-31

Reporting Entity Name Marlin Gold Mining Ltd

Reporting Entity ESTMA Identification
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E209929

Subsidiary Reporting Entities (if necessary)

| Payments by Payee | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------------|------------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------|---------|-----------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|--|
| Country | Payee Name | Taxes | Royalties | Fees | Production Entitlements | Bonuses | Dividends | Infrastructure Improvement Payments | Total Amount paid to Payee | Notes |
| Mexico | Secretaria De Economia | \$ 250,000 | | | | | | | \$ 250,000 | 2016 - Impuesto Mineria (Gold and Silver Sales Taxes) |
| Mexico | Secretaria De Economia | | | \$830,000 | | | | | | Concession Fees |
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All payments are reported in Canadian dollars ("CAD") (the reporting currency of the reporting entity). Amounts paid in US dollars ("USD") are coverted to CAD at average CAD/USD exchange rate of 1.3245. Amounts paid in Mexican pesos ("MXN") are coverted to CAD at average CAD/MXN exchange rate of 0.0711.

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| Payments by Project | | | | | | | | | | |
|---------------------|------------------|------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------------|---------|-----------|-------------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| Country | Project Name | Taxes | Royalties | Fees | Production Entitlements | Bonuses | Dividends | Infrastructure Improvement Payments | Total Amount paid by Project | Notes |
| Mexico | La Trinidad Mine | \$ 250,000 | | | | | | | \$ 250,000 | 2016 - Impuesto Mineria (Gold and Silver Sales Taxes) |
| Mexico | La Trinidad Mine | | | \$830,000 | | | | | | Concession Fees |
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