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MIDWAY ANNOUNCES REDUCTION IN WORKFORCE

DENVER, CO – June 19, 2015 – Midway Gold Corp. (TSX and NYSE-MKT: MDW) (the "Company" or "Midway") today announces that it has organized a reduction in the workforce at the Pan Gold Mine ("Pan") effective today.

Mining activities at Pan have been suspended. As a result, Ledcor CMI Inc., our contract mining company has reduced its workforce. Additionally, a portion of Midway's Pan workforce will also be reduced. We continue to leach ore that has previously been placed on the first lift of the heap leach pad at Pan however, the rate of recovery of gold has continued to fall short of expectations.

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