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**Subject** Reference for Drillex International

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To whom it may concern, I am CEO of Tethyan Resources listed on the AIM market in London and previous director of Lydian International listed on the TSX in Canada. I have known and worked with Drillex and its predecessor since 2007. I have always found Ritchie and Drillex to be very professional and easy to deal with. Drillex completed two particularly good jobs for Tethyan in Serbia in 2016, one of them with many local social issues. They completed the job with no fuss in good time and on budget.

Drillex completed a lot of drilling for Lydian over a 5 year period during the drill out phase of The Amulsar Gold project located in Armenia. Ritchie's drillers were very professional and accommodating and just got on with the job.

I am very happy to recommend Drillex as a drilling company within The Balkans region of Eastern Europe. I feel more than happy to review Drillex quote and use them if they are competitive.

## **About Tethyan**

Tethyan is an AIM quoted junior exploration company exploring for copper and gold within the Tethyan mineral belt. Tethyan has an experienced Board and technical team. Currently Tethyan holds several licences in Serbia and is looking for other copper and gold projects in Eastern Europe, specifically Serbia and Bulgaria.

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