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#### GOLDGROUP ANNOUNCES CLOSING OF NON-BROKERED PRIVATE PLACEMENT

**Vancouver, British Columbia (August 5, 2025)** Goldgroup Mining Inc. ("Goldgroup" or the "Company") (TSX-V:GGA, OTC:GGAZF) is pleased to announce that it has closed the CAD \$12 million private placement (the "Private Placement") previously announced on July 18, 2025, and July 21, 2025.

Goldgroup sold on a non-brokered private placement basis 15,000,0000 units of the Company ("Units") at a price of \$0.80 per Unit for aggregate gross proceeds of \$12,000,000. Each Unit comprises one common share (a "Common Share") and one common share purchase warrant ("Warrant"). Each Warrant is exercisable into one Common Share at a price of \$1.10 per share until August 5, 2027.

Mr. Eric Sprott, through 2176423 Ontario Ltd., a corporation which is beneficially owned by him, acquired 1,875,000 Units at \$0.80 per Unit for total consideration of approximately \$1.5 million. Prior to the Private Placement, Mr. Sprott beneficially owned or controlled 27,954,500 Common Shares and 13,977,250 Warrants representing 10.4% of the outstanding Shares on a non-diluted basis and 14.8% of the outstanding Shares on a partially diluted basis assuming the exercise of such Warrants.

Following completion of the Private Placement, Mr. Sprott beneficially owns and controls 29,829,500 Common Shares and 15,852,250 Warrants representing 10.5% of the outstanding Shares on a non-diluted basis and 15.2% of the outstanding Shares on a partially diluted basis assuming the exercise of such Warrants.

The Units were acquired by Sprott for investment purposes. Mr. Sprott has a long-term view of the investment and may acquire additional securities of the Company including on the open market or through private acquisitions or sell securities of the Company including on the open market or through private dispositions in the future depending on market conditions, reformulation of plans and/or other relevant factors.

A copy of Mr. Sprott's early warning Report will appear on Goldgourp's profile on SEDAR+ and may also be obtained by calling Mr. Sprott's office at (416) 945-3294 (1106-7 King Street East, Toronto, ON, M5C 3C5).

In connection with the Private Placement, an insider of the Company acquired 1,875,000 Units or 12.50% of the Private Placement. Participation by the Insider in the Private Placement was considered a "related party transaction" pursuant to Multilateral Instrument 61-101 – Protection of Minority Security Holders in Special Transactions ("MI 61-101"). The Company was exempt from the requirements to obtain a formal valuation or minority shareholder approval in connection with the Insiders' participation in the Private Placement pursuant to sections 5.5(a) and 5.7(1)(a) of MI 61-101 as neither the fair market value of any securities issued to, nor the consideration paid by, the Insiders exceeded 25.0% of the Company's market capitalization. A material change report was not filed in connection with the participation of Insiders in the Private Placement less than 21 days in advance of the closing of the Private Placement, as the Insiders'

participation had not been confirmed at that time and the Company wishes to complete the Private Placement in an expeditious manner for business reasons.

The Company issued 1,086,187 finder's units (each, a "Finder's Unit") to finders in connection with the Private Placement. Each Finder's Unit consists of one Common Share and one common share purchase warrant, with each warrant being exercisable to purchase one Common Share at a price of \$1.10 until August 5, 2027.

The net proceeds from this Private Placement will be primarily dedicated to the diligent assessment and strategic pursuit of acquisition opportunities. With a focus on enhancing shareholder value, the Company aims to leverage these funds to acquire promising mining assets, potentially including operating mines or strategic stakes in other mining companies. The Company cautions that it has been searching for and conducting due diligence on mineral projects that Management believes would enhance the Company's portfolio of existing projects for some time, but to date has not proceeded past the due diligence stage. Accordingly, the Company warns that there is no assurance that a suitable project will be identified, satisfactory due diligence conducted and any acquisition transaction completed. Further, investors should be aware that completing a transaction in most circumstances can take many months.

All securities issued pursuant to the Private Placement will be subject to statutory hold periods expiring December 6, 2025. Closing of the Private Placement is subject to final approval of the TSX Venture Exchange.

This news release does not constitute an offer to sell or a solicitation of an offer to sell any securities in the United States. The securities described herein have not been and will not be registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the "U.S. Securities Act") or any state securities laws and may not be offered or sold within the United States or to U.S. Persons unless registered under the

U.S. Securities Act and applicable state securities laws or an exemption from such registration is available.

## **About Goldgroup**

Goldgroup is a Canadian-based mining Company with two high-growth gold assets in Mexico. The Company has a 100% interest in the producing Cerro Prieto heap-leach gold mine located in the State of Sonora. An optimization and exploration program is underway at Cierro Prieto to significantly increase existing production and resources.

In addition, the Company holds a 100% interest in the Pinos underground gold development project in Zacatecas State. Pinos is an advanced PEA level development project. Formerly a producing mine, the Company is commissioning an updated PEA with a view to re-starting mining operations.

Goldgroup is led by a team of highly successful and seasoned individuals with extensive expertise in mine development, corporate finance, and exploration in Mexico.

For further information on Goldgroup, please visit www.goldgroupmining.com

On behalf of the Board of Directors

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These forward-looking statements reflect Goldgroup's current internal projections, expectations or beliefs and are based on information currently available to Goldgroup. In some cases forward-looking information can be identified by terminology such as "may", "will", "should", "expect", "intend", "plan", "anticipate", "believe", "estimate", "projects", "potential", "scheduled", "forecast", "budget" or the negative of those terms or other comparable terminology. Such forward-looking statements involve known and unknown risks, uncertainties and other factors which may cause actual results, performance or achievements to be materially different from any future results, performance or achievements expressed or implied by the forward-looking statements.

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Although Goldgroup believes that the forward-looking information contained in this news release is based on reasonable assumptions, readers cannot be assured that actual results will be consistent with such statements. Accordingly, readers are cautioned against placing undue reliance on forward-looking information. Goldgroup expressly disclaims any intention or obligation to update or revise any forward-looking information, whether as a result of new information, events or otherwise, except as may be required by, and in accordance with, applicable securities laws.