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TARTISAN RESOURCES CORP. ENGAGES UBIKA CORPORATION TO PROMOTE INVESTOR EXPOSURE

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Tartisan Resources Corp. (CNSX:TTC; "Tartisan" or the "Company") wishes to announce that it has retained the services of Ubika Corporation ("Ubika") as a consultant to provide research and capital market exposure services. Ubika will communicate with its network of brokers, retail advisors, investors and others in the investment community to raise the profile of the Company through, among other things, the preparation and distribution of research reports pertaining to the Company, making accessible the Company's profile on Ubika's flagship website portal <u>www.smallcappower.com</u> and conducting presentations featuring the Company.

Ubika's engagement commenced as of December 1, 2012 and will extend for a term of six (6) months. Thereafter, the engagement will be subject to automatic renewals unless either Tartisan or Ubika terminates the engagement upon giving the other party 30 days of advance notice.

In consideration for Ubika's services, Tartisan will pay a monthly fee of \$6,000 and will grant to Ubika stock options to acquire up to 200,000 common shares of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.25 per share for a period of five (5) years.

Ubika is an investment research and capital market services firm based in Toronto and Vancouver with a proven track record of identifying and launching coverage of high potential small cap stocks at an early stage, thus offering timely market insights. Its specialty is small-cap companies with a market capitalization of less than \$1 billion.

Tartisan is a mineral exploration company with a focus on gold, silver and base metals in North-Central Perú. La Victoria is the flagship project of the Company. Located in northern Ancash Department, Tartisan's land holdings are located within 50 kilometres of several producing mines including: La Arena owned by Rio Alto Mining Ltd. (TSXV:RIO), Lagunas Norte (Alto Chicama) owned by Barrick Gold Corporation (TSX:ABX) and Santa Rosa owned by Compañia Minera Aurífera Santa Rosa (COMARSA). Tartisan common shares are listed on the Canadian National Stock Exchange (CNSX). Currently, there are 27,869,925 shares outstanding (35,752,616 fully diluted).

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The Canadian National Stock Exchange (CNSX Markets Inc.) has neither approved nor disapproved of the contents of this press release.