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To whom it may concern:

First Canadian Capital has provided investor relations services to Nighthawk Gold Corp (formerly Merc International) since February, 2011. Management has been extremely satisfied with the level of service and quality of introductions throughout the engagement. In particular, we have been impressed with the assertive nature of their program and retail marketing, which no third party IR contractor we previously retained could deliver. First Canadian's strategy has contributed to reasonable liquidity in difficult times and we have often seen their introductions and efforts directly lead to significant trading activity. We are also aware that the partners at First Canadian have taken substantial positions in Nighthawk and remain very loyal supporters of the Company.

Please feel free to contact me any time to discuss this reference.

Regards,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "D. Wiley", is written over the typed name and title.

David Wiley
President and CEO