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## **Kodiak Grants Stock Options**

**March 17, 2026 – Vancouver, British Columbia** – Kodiak Copper Corp. (the “**Company**” or “**Kodiak**”) (TSX-V: KDK, OTCQX: KDKCF, Frankfurt: 5DD1) announces today the annual grant of stock options (the “**Options**”) to officers, employees, directors, advisors and consultants of the Company. The Options were granted pursuant to the Company’s shareholder approved stock option plan and are subject to the policies of the TSX Venture Exchange and any applicable regulatory hold periods.

Kodiak has granted 2,044,000 Options exercisable at C\$0.92 per share for a period of five years from the date of grant with 1/3 vesting immediately and 1/3 every year thereafter. Additional 25,000 Options exercisable at C\$0.92 per share were granted to a consultant of the Company for a period of one year which will vest in four equal installments over 12 months.

On behalf of the Board of Directors

**Kodiak Copper Corp.**

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### **About Kodiak Copper Corp.**

Kodiak is focused on advancing its copper porphyry projects in Canada and the USA, which host known mineral discoveries with the potential to hold large-scale deposits. Kodiak Copper’s most advanced asset is the 100% owned MPD copper-gold porphyry project in the prolific Quesnel Terrane in south-central British Columbia, Canada, an established mining region with producing mines and excellent infrastructure. MPD exhibits all the hallmarks of a large, multi-centered porphyry district with the potential for future economic development. The initial Mineral Resource Estimate published in 2025 outlines seven substantial deposits and underscores the scale and potential of the project. All known deposits remain open to expansion, and numerous targets across the property have yet to be tested. Kodiak continues to systematically explore MPD’s district-scale potential with the goal of delivering new discoveries and building further critical mass toward being the region’s next mine.

Kodiak's founder and Chairman is Chris Taylor who is well-known for his gold discovery success with Great Bear Resources. Kodiak is also part of Discovery Group led by John Robins, one of the most successful mining entrepreneurs in Canada.

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