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Maxim Power Corp. Announces TSX Acceptance of Normal Course Issuer Bid

CALGARY, Alberta (May 16, 2019) – Maxim Power Corp. ("**MAXIM**" or the "**Corporation**") (TSX: MXG) announced today that it has received approval from the Toronto Stock Exchange ("**TSX**") to proceed with a normal course issuer bid ("**NCIB**"). Under the NCIB, the Corporation may purchase for cancellation up to 2,600,000 common shares of the Corporation (the "**Shares**"). As at May 13, 2019, MAXIM had 52,409,993 Shares issued and outstanding. As such, the NCIB represents approximately 5% of MAXIM's issued and outstanding Shares as at May 13, 2019. The actual number of Shares that may be purchased for cancellation under the NCIB and the timing of any such purchases will be determined by MAXIM, subject to a maximum daily purchase limitation of 2,947 Shares, which equates to 25% of MAXIM's average daily trading volume of 11,788 Shares for the six months ended April 30, 2019. The Corporation may make one block purchase per calendar week which exceeds the daily repurchase restrictions.

The NCIB will commence on May 23, 2019 and may continue to May 22, 2020 or such earlier time as the NCIB is completed or terminated at the option of MAXIM. The Shares will be purchased on behalf of the Corporation by a registered broker through the facilities of the TSX and through other alternative Canadian trading platforms at the prevailing market price at the time of such transaction.

In connection with the NCIB, MAXIM has entered into an automatic share purchase plan (the "ASPP") with its designated broker to allow for the purchase of Shares under the NCIB at times when MAXIM normally would not be active in the market due to internal trading black-out periods. Before the commencement of any particular internal trading black-out period, MAXIM may, but is not required to, instruct its designated broker to make purchases of Shares under the NCIB during the ensuing black-out period in accordance with the terms of the ASPP. Such purchases will be determined by the broker in its sole discretion based on parameters established by MAXIM prior to commencement of the applicable black-out period in accordance with the terms of the ASPP and applicable TSX rules. Outside of these black-out periods, Shares will be purchasable by MAXIM at its discretion under the NCIB.

MAXIM believes that, from time to time, the market price of the Shares may not fully reflect the underlying value of the Shares and that at such times the purchase of Shares would be in the best interests of MAXIM. As a result of such purchases, the number of issued Shares will be decreased and, consequently, the proportionate share interest of all remaining shareholders will be increased on a pro rata basis.

The NCIB follows the expiration of MAXIM's previous normal course issuer bid which was effective from May 11, 2018 and expired on May 10, 2019. Under MAXIM's previous normal course issuer bid, MAXIM completed the purchase of 2,213,832 Shares at a weighted average price of \$2.27 per share.

About MAXIM

Based in Calgary, Alberta, Maxim Power Corp. ("MAXIM") is an Alberta focused independent power producer which currently owns and operates a 150 MW power plant near Grande Cache, Alberta. This plant ("M1") is nearing the end of its life under federal regulations and is being replaced with a state-of-the-art natural gas-fired plant ("M2") with anticipated nameplate capacity of 204 MW in simple cycle mode. MAXIM has the option in the future to increase the capacity of M2, in conjunction with increasing the overall efficiency of the facility, by upgrading M2 into a combined cycle plant. In addition, MAXIM continues to explore development options for its remaining permitted gas-fired generation capacity in Alberta and permitting of its wind power generation project. MAXIM trades on the TSX under the symbol "MXG". For more information about MAXIM, visit our website at www.maximpowercorp.com.

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