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## Element Retained for Proposed Development in Vancouver

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**February 7, 2019 – VANCOUVER, BC.** Element Lifestyle Retirement Inc. ("Element or the Company") (TSXV- ELM), is pleased to announce that its wholly-owned subsidiary, Element Lifestyle Management Inc., has entered into a Development Consulting Contract with Empreus Holdings Ltd. to analyse and consult on the viability of a real estate property on south Granville Street in Vancouver, B.C. The scope of work will include exploring re-zoning schemes, analysing the financial viability of these schemes which will include detailed proformas, retaining and directing the project architect followed by a final report to Empreus for a decision to move forward. This project is at arms length to Element and is consistent with the Company's plan to provide its management expertise to projects in Western Canada.

CEO, Michael Diao, comments, "We are pleased to be retained by a third party developer to determine the viability of a potentially outstanding project in a prime Vancouver West location. This is Element's first consulting contract, and we are proud to leverage the development experience of Element's management team."

Empreus President Joe Quan states "Aligning Empreus with the management team from Element gives us confidence that the right decisions will be made early on in our proposed project. In an ever-changing real estate environment, zoning applications and future funding need to be analyzed with forward vision, and the development process needs to be very tightly managed. We value the unique strength of this team, with specialized industry experience in both development and operations. We believe this is critical to the long-term success of a retirement community."

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### About Element Lifestyle Retirement

Element was established in June 2013 in Vancouver, British Columbia. It is in the business of providing specialized development expertise and flexible, innovative management services for senior retirement communities. The core business of Element is the development and management of third party assets in the "senior retirement community" space. Element aspires to be one of the most respected senior living specialists in North America, and to revolutionize the perception and experience of retirement and aging. Its brand differentiator, setting Element apart from others in the retirement industry, is the integration of two unique models: the "Continuum-of-Lifestyles" and "intergenerational living", encompassing a smooth,



seamless transition for seniors from independence to assisted living to complex care, and programming to actively facilitate connection of residents to their families. The management team of Element, collectively, has over 50 years of experience developing and operating retirement communities.

#### ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

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Michael Diao, Chief Executive Officer and Director

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