April 3, 2019

Gran Tierra Energy Inc. (the "Company")

Notification of Transactions in the Company's Shares by Director and Persons Discharging Managerial Responsibility

The Company announces the following transactions in the Company's common shares, Deferred Stock Units and Stock Options undertaken by directors / persons discharging managerial responsibility ("PDMRs").

Deferred Stock Units ("DSUs") and Stock Options have been granted to PDMRs effective April 1, 2019 in accordance with the payment of directors' fees for the second quarter of 2019. Each DSU represents a contingent right to receive one share of the Company's common stock. The DSUs vest in full on award and are paid out at such time as the director ceases to be a member of the Board of Directors of the Company. Each Stock Option permits the holder to purchase one share of common stock of the Company at the stated exercise price. The exercise price equals the market price of a share of common stock at the time of grant. Stock Options vest over three years and expire five years from the date of issue.

The notification set out below is provided in accordance with the requirement of Article 19 of the EU Market Abuse Regulation.

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1	Details of the person discharging managerial responsibilities / person closely associated							
a)	Name	Peter Dey, Director Evan Hazell, Director Bob Hodgins, Director Ron Royal, Director David Smith, Director Sondra Scott, Director Brooke Wade, Director						
2	Reason for the notification							
a)	Position/status	See 1 a) above						
b)	Initial notification /Amendment	Initial notification						
3	Details of the issuer, emission allowance market participant, auction platform, auctioneer or auction monitor							
a)	Name	Gran Tierra Energy Inc.						
b)	LEI	549300IH2S17MAIUCM32						
4	Details of the transaction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of transaction; (iii) each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted							
a)	Description of the financial instrument, type of instrumentDeferred Stock UnitsEach Deferred Stock Unit represents a contingent right to receive one share of Gran Tierra Energy Inc. common stock.Identificationn/a							
	code							
b)	Nature of the transaction Grant of Deferred Stock Units							
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	PDMR	Price(s)	Volume (s)				
		Peter Dey Evan Hazell Bob Hodgins Ron Royal David Smith Sondra Scott Brooke Wade	n/a n/a n/a n/a n/a n/a	17,002 13,708 15,175 17,002 7,817 18,410 17,002				

d) e) f)	Aggregated information - Aggregated volume - Price Date of the transaction Place of the transaction	Price(s) n/a 1 April 2019 Outside a trading venu	Volume (s) 106,116					
4		saction(s): section to be repeated for (i) each type of instrument; (ii) each type of each date; and (iv) each place where transactions have been conducted						
a)	Description of the financial instrument, type of instrument Identification code	Stock Options Each Stock Option represents a right to purchase one share of Gran Tierra Energy Inc. common stock at the stated exercise price n/a						
b)	Nature of the transaction	Grant of Stock Options						
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	PDMR Peter Dey Evan Hazell Ron Royal David Smith Brooke Wade	Price(s) USD 2.35 USD 2.35 USD 2.35 USD 2.35 USD 2.35 USD 2.35	Volume (s) 5,473 5,473 5,473 5,473 5,473 5,473				
d)	Aggregated information - Aggregated volume - Price	Price(s) USD 2.35	Volume (s) 27,365					
e)	Date of the transaction	1 April 2019						
f)	Place of the transaction	Outside a trading venue						