March 8, 2019

Gran Tierra Energy Inc. (the "Company")

Director / PDMR Shareholding

Gran Tierra Energy Inc. has been notified of the following transaction in the Company's common shares undertaken by directors / persons discharging managerial responsibility ("PDMR").

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	Lawrence West
2	Reason for the notification	
a)	Position/status	PDMR (Vice President, Exploration)
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 instrument Identification code	
b)	Nature of the transaction	Purchase of Shares
c)	Price(s) and volume(s)	Price(s) Volume (s) USD 2.31 12,000
d)	Aggregated information - Aggregated volume - Price	n/a
e)	Date of the transaction	7 March 2019
f)	Place of the transaction	Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX)