



**For Immediate Release**

***DATA Communications Management Corp. Completes Final Promissory Note Payments to Eclipse and Thistle Vendors***

**Brampton, Ontario – February 25, 2019** – DATA Communications Management Corp. (TSX: DCM) (“**DCM**” or the “**Company**”) announces it has completed payment of the final promissory note balances owing to the vendors of Eclipse Colour and Imaging (“Eclipse”) and Thistle Printing (“Thistle”).

“Since purchasing Eclipse and Thistle two years ago, they have contributed positively to our financial results and to our continuing business evolution,” said Gregory J. Cochrane, President & CEO of DCM. “Continuing to pay down debt through free cash flow generation is one of our top priorities.”

“Eclipse in particular, is an important element in our strategy to invest in and grow our retail vertical market. At Thistle, our new Heidelberg six-colour CX-102 being installed will further strengthen our capabilities across retail and our other markets and is expected to be operational by the end of the first quarter”.

DCM also announces Ralph Misale, one of the former principals of Eclipse, has been promoted from General Manager, Eclipse to Vice President, Operations of DCM, with responsibility for all DCM’s manufacturing facilities. Misale will continue to report to Alan Roberts, Senior Vice President Operations.

**About DATA Communications Management Corp.**

DCM is a communication solutions partner that adds value for major companies across North America by creating more meaningful connections with their customers. We pair customer insights and thought leadership with cutting-edge products, modular enabling technology and services to power our clients’ go-to market strategies. We help our clients manage how their brands come to life, determine which channels are right for them, manage multimedia campaigns, deploy location-specific and 1:1 marketing, execute custom loyalty programs, and fulfill their commercial printing needs all in one place.

Our extensive experience has positioned us as experts at providing communication solutions across many verticals, including the financial, retail, healthcare, consumer health, energy, and not-for-profit sectors. Thanks to our locations throughout Canada and in the United States (Chicago, Illinois and New York, New York), we are able to meet our clients’ varying needs with scale, speed, and efficiency - no matter how large or complex the ask. And we can do it all with advanced DCM security, regulatory compliance, and bilingual communications, in print or digital.

Additional information relating to DATA Communications Management Corp. is available on [www.datacm.com](http://www.datacm.com), and in the disclosure documents filed by DATA Communications Management Corp. on the System for Electronic Document Analysis and Retrieval (SEDAR) at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

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Additional factors are discussed elsewhere in this press release and under the headings "Risk Factors" and "Risks and Uncertainties" in DCM's management's discussion and analysis and in DCM's other publicly available disclosure documents, as filed by DCM on SEDAR ([www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com)). Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties materialize, or should assumptions underlying the forward-looking statements prove incorrect, actual results may vary materially from those described in this press release as intended, planned, anticipated, believed, estimated or expected. Unless required by applicable securities law, DCM does not intend and does not assume any obligation to update these forward-looking statements.