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Northern Abitibi Announces Non-Brokered Financing

Northern Abitibi Mining Corp. ("Northern Abitibi") is pleased to announce a proposed non-brokered private placement of up to 2,000,000 units ("Common Units") at a price of \$0.10 per Common Unit for gross proceeds of up to \$200,000.

Each Common Unit will consist of one common share and one-half of one common share purchase warrant. Each whole common share purchase warrant (a "Warrant") will entitle the holder to purchase one additional common share at a price of \$0.15 per share for a period of two years following closing.

The Common Units will be offered on a non-brokered basis by way of private placement to accredited investors and any securities issued will be subject to a hold period of four months plus one day from the date of closing. This financing is subject to TSX Venture Exchange and regulatory approval.

Proceeds of the financing are to be used to fund a portion of the proposed 2009 exploration at the Viking gold property in Newfoundland, and for general working capital. A minimum 2000 metre drill program, along with trenching and mapping is being planned for the Viking property starting in May 2009. The exploration program will be designed to expand and delineate near-surface high-grade gold resources and test high priority targets.

Northern Abitibi

Northern Abitibi's technical team of experienced, professional geologists are assembling a portfolio of gold, nickel and other base metal projects from opportunities within Canada, Mexico and the United States. Northern Abitibi can earn a majority interest in the Viking project from Altius Resources Inc. by making staged share and cash payments and funding exploration over a period of 4 years. A description of the Viking project can be found on our website at www.naminco.ca.

Dr. Shane Ebert, P.Geo., is the Qualified Person responsible for the preparation of this news release.

"Shane Ebert"

Shane Ebert, President/Director

The TSX Venture Exchange has neither approved nor disapproved of the contents of this press release.

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