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Westminster closes unit private placement

Westminster Resources Ltd. (the "Company") (TSX-V: WMR), has closed a non-brokered private placement in the amount of \$850,000 which is an increase of \$100,000 over the amount of \$750,000 announced on April 9, 2009. The Company will issue 3,400,000 units with each unit to be comprised of one common share and one common share purchase warrant. Each common share purchase warrant will entitle the holder to purchase one additional common share at \$0.30 per share until May 13, 2011; **provided however** that should the closing price of the Company's shares on the TSX-V be at least \$0.75 per share for 20 consecutive trading days, the Company may, by notice to the warrant holders, reduce the remaining exercise period for the warrants to 30 calendar days from the date of the notice. The common shares issued pursuant to the private placement as well as the common shares issued pursuant to the exercise of the share purchase warrants will be legended with a hold period to expire September 14, 2009. Finders' fees totaling \$66,437 will be paid from the Company's working capital commensurate with TSX.V policies.

The funds raised will be used to conduct exploration on the Company's Navjoa Project in Sonora, Mexico and for general working capital.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS
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