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DRILLING AT ABCOURT-BARVUE CONTINUES TO INTERSECT TWO BANDS OF MINERALIZATION WITH EXCELLENT VALUES IN SILVER AND ZINC

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Mr. Renaud Hinse, President and C.E.O. of Abcourt Mines Inc. (TSX-V: ABI, Berlin and Frankfurt Stock Exchanges) (the “Company”), is pleased to announce the results of five holes drilled on sections 5010E to 5100E at depths ranging from 150 to 200 m from surface at the west end of the Abcourt-Barvue ore zone. The property is located 60 km north of Val-d’Or, Québec. The current drilling program is designed to augment and upgrade existing 43-101 all-categories resources and reserves.

Four of these holes have intersected two zones of high silver and zinc values. The best part of Zone 1 averaged 326.60 grams per tonne of silver and 4.52% zinc over 2.36 meters. Zone 2 averaged 134.63 grams per tonne of silver and 3.63% zinc over 3.10 meters.

“We’re excited with these results and those reported previously on December 7, 2010, January 27 and February 15 last.” stated Mr. Hinse. “Together they are adding to our reserves and resources.”

Assay results for five additional holes drilled on the western part of the Abcourt-Barvue silver-zinc property

ZONE	HOLE No.	FROM Meters	TO Meters	LENGTH Meters	Ag g/tonne	Zn %
1	AB10-19	161.30	164.10	2.80	89.91	2.69
		162.20	163.80	1.60	126.00	3.72
2	inc	170.70	178.00	7.30	196.32	3.73
		172.50	176.00	3.50	381.88	3.68
2		185.90	186.90	1.00	4.00	7.10
1	AB10-20	211.50	220.60	9.10	171.73	3.48
		218.00	220.60	2.60	823.85	8.31
2		224.60	226.70	2.10	115.66	2.45
1	AB10-21	154.60	163.70	9.10	107.55	2.89
		160.00	162.20	2.20	237.75	5.58
2		175.50	178.30	2.80	34.68	3.02
1	AB10-22	197.70	200.10	2.40	193.22	2.19
1	AB10-23	161.10	163.00	1.90	253.64	3.31
ZONE 1 (best part) average				2.36	362.60	4.52
ZONE 2 (best part) average				3.30	134.63	3.63

31.1 grams = 1 ounce

True width is about 80% of core length.

All assays were done by Techni-Lab S.G.B. Abitibi Inc., an approved laboratory.

Holes AB10-19 to AB10-23 represent another 14% of the 10,000 metre drill program. So far, holes 01 to 23 represent 5,415 meters or just over 50 % of the drilling program. Diamond drilling is continuing.

In the past, from 1952 to 1957 and from 1985 to 1990, the Abcourt-Barvue mine produced 6.2 M tonnes of ore with a grade of 1.43 ounces of silver per tonne (8.87 M ounces) and 3.21% zinc (178.965 tonnes or 394 M pounds of zinc).

In 2006, an *in-situ* mineral resource for Abcourt-Barvue was calculated according to guidelines set forth in NI-43-101 by Mr Jean-Pierre Bérubé, P. Eng., an independent consulting engineer. With the 2007 feasibility study, most of these resources were converted into ore reserves after taking into account mine dilution and mining recovery. See table below:

Mineral Reserves Statement by Genivar Limited Partnership (including dilution) (NI-43-101)

Mining method	Classification	Tonnes	Grade		Ounces of silver	Tonnes of zinc
			Ag g/t	Zn %		
Open pit	Proven Mineral Res.	5,338,731	44.79	3.15	7,688,000	168,170
Underground	Proven Mineral Res.	1,169,662	105.19	2.87	3,956,000	33,569
	Probable Min. Res.	315,139	101.61	3.23	1,030,000	10,179
	Total underground	1,484,901	104.43	2.95	4,986,000	43,748
Open pit and underground	Poven Mineral Res.	6,508,393	55.64	3.10	11,644,000	201,760
	Probable Mineral Res.	315,139	101.61	3.23	1,030,000	10,179
	Total	6,823,532	57.76	3.11	12,674,000	211,939
Open pit	Proven marginal ore	1,152,502	17.65	1.58	654,000	18,210

Remaining 43-101 resources

Description	Tonnes	Grade		Ounces of silver	Tonnes of zinc
		Ag/t	Zn %		
Measured and indicated	562,748	71.26	3.76	1,289,000	21,159
Inferred	1,505,687	120.53	2.98	5,835,000	44,869

About Abcourt Mines Inc.

Abcourt Mines Inc. is an exploration and development company with strategically located properties in northwestern Quebec, Canada. The Elder Mine with 43-101 gold resources, the Abcourt-Barvue Project with 43-101 silver-zinc ore reserves and resources and the Aldermac property with historical copper-zinc resources are all former producers. Abcourt is now focused on bringing the Elder and Abcourt-Barvue projects back into production with Elder as the first priority. At the same time the company is working on other projects (Aldermac, Jonpol and Vendome) to increase its mineral resources inventory. A 43-101 resource calculation was completed in July, 2009, for the Elder Mine. A positive 43-101 feasibility study was completed by GENIVAR in 2007 on the Abcourt-Barvue Project. In addition, mill equipment was purchased. To know more about Abcourt, please visit our web site at www.abcourt.com.

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