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ABCOURT ANNOUNCES CLOSING OF NEW ISSUE OF UNITS

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Mr. Renaud Hinse, President and Chief Executive Officer of Abcourt Mines Inc. (TSX-V : ABI, Berlin and Frankfurt Stock Exchanges) (the “**Company**”) is pleased to announce today that the Company has completed the closing of its previously-announced new issue of units of the Company (the “**Units**”) for 18,830,000 Units at a price of \$0.135 per Unit, for gross proceeds to the Company of \$2,542,050 (the “**Offering**”).

Each Unit is comprised of one Class B share (common share) and one common share purchase warrant of the Company (the “**Warrants**”). Each Warrant entitles its holder to purchase one additional common share of the Company at an exercise price of \$0.175 for an initial period of 12 months from the date of closing of the Offering and \$0.195 for a second period of 12 months from the end of the initial period of 12 months.

The Offering was conducted through Industrial Alliance Securities Inc. (the “**Agent**”) on a best-efforts basis. Pursuant to the terms of an agency agreement dated December 6, 2010 entered into between the Company and the Agent, the Company has granted an over-allotment option to the Agent, exercisable for a period of 30 days following the closing of the Offering, exercisable in whole or in part to purchase additional Units in a maximum number equal to 15% of the number of Units sold pursuant to the Offering. In connection with the Offering, the Company has agreed to pay the Agent a 7.50% cash commission and grant compensation options to the Agent entitling it to purchase that number of common shares of the Company equal to 7.50% of the aggregate number of Units issued and sold under the Offering (including the over-allotment option) for a period of 24 months.

The proceeds from the Offering will be used by the Company primarily to further advance the Elder Gold Mine project in the Abitibi region in the Province of Québec. The balance of the proceeds will be used for working capital.

The Units have not been, nor will they be, registered under the United States Securities Act of 1933, as amended (the “**1933 Act**”), and may not be offered, sold or delivered, directly or indirectly, within the United States, or to or for the account or benefit of U.S. persons unless the Units are registered under the 1933 Act or pursuant to an applicable exemption from the registration requirements of the 1933 Act. This press release does not constitute an offer to sell, nor it is a solicitation of an offer of securities, nor shall there be any sale of securities in any state of the United States in which such offer, solicitation or sale would be unlawful.

About Abcourt Mines Inc.

The Company, 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 in production (with the main focus currently being on the Elder project) and at the same time, it is working on other projects (Aldermac, Jonpol and Vendome), to increase its mineral resources inventory. A 43-101 resource calculation was recently done for the Elder mine. A positive 43-101 feasibility study was completed in 2007 on the Abcourt-Barvue project. In addition, mill equipment was purchased. To know more about Abcourt, please consult our web site www.abcourt.com and Sedar www.sedar.com under "Abcourt Mines Inc". A small location plan of the Elder and Tagami properties is shown on our web site. A small location plan and longitudinal projection of the Aldermac mineralized zones are also shown on our web site.

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This press release was prepared by Mr. Renaud Hinse, a qualified person, president of Abcourt Mines Inc.

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