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Azimut: Airborne geophysical survey begins at Opinaca, James Bay, Quebec

Azimut Exploration Inc. ("**Azimut**") announces that its partner **Everton Resources Inc.** ("**Everton**") has begun its 2006 exploration program on the Opinaca Property with a helicopter-borne magnetic and electromagnetic survey. The Opinaca Property (A, A-East, B and B-North blocks) is adjacent to the Eleonore gold discovery in James Bay, Quebec.

Aeroquest International Ltd. of Milton, Ontario, was contracted to fly approximately 1,500 line-kilometres using the AeroTEM II system to cover 220 km² over the property.

AeroTEM II consists of an advanced helicopter-borne time domain electromagnetic system that has the ability to accurately delineate and characterize weak conductors like those associated with disseminated sulphide gold deposits.

The AeroTEM II survey will cover the target areas identified during the 2005 field program, notably a gold and sulphide bearing mineralized trend and other geochemical anomalies. Follow-up work on conductors detected by the survey will include prospecting and soil sampling to define the best drill targets.

In 2006, Everton will invest a minimum of \$900,000 in exploration work on the Opinaca Property. Everton can earn a 50% interest on the property from Azimut by investing \$4.8 million in exploration work and an additional 15% interest upon the delivery of a bankable feasibility study.

This press release was prepared by geologist Jean-Marc Lulin, Azimut's Qualified Person under NI 43-101.

Azimut is a mineral exploration company that reduces exploration risk by using leading edge targeting methods to discover major deposits.

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