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## Press Release

### Azimut and Everton release drilling results and provide an overview of the summer work program for Opinaca, James Bay region, Quebec

**Azimut Exploration Inc.** (“Azimut”) and **Everton Resources Inc.** (“Everton”) provide an update for the winter drilling program recently completed on the Opinaca B property, as well as an overview of the upcoming summer 2007 exploration program. The Opinaca A and B properties, optioned from Azimut by Everton, are located in the vicinity of the Eleonore gold deposit in the James Bay region of Quebec.

#### Claude Target – Opinaca B property

A nine-hole, 2,142-metre diamond drill program was completed at the Claude Target on Opinaca B to follow up on the extensions of a mineralized zone identified in the initial drill-test hole OP-06-07. The initial hole had revealed **221 ppb Au** over **186.5 m**, including **1.0 g/t Au** over **21.5 m**, within an arsenopyrite-mineralized silica alteration zone (press release of November 9, 2006).

The lateral extensions of hole OP-06-07 have been tested over a strike length of 350 metres to an average depth of 100 metres. All nine holes encountered several intense alteration zones varying in thickness from several metres to 20 metres. These zones are characterized by strong silica alteration and low sulphide content, which is comparable to the alteration context at Goldcorp’s Eleonore deposit. Six of the nine holes encountered gold mineralization over intervals of at least 1 metre. The last drill hole, OP-07-20, tested the Claude Target at a vertical depth of 200 metres. The results were encouraging and included visible gold at two locations and very strong alteration.

The best gold assays from the winter drill program are summarized below.

Hole #	From (m)	To (m)	Length (m)	Au g/t
OP-07-09	33.5	35.5	2.0	1.01
OP-07-10	49.0	51.0	2.0	2.22
OP-07-11	121.0	122.0	1.0	2.39
	149.0	151.0	2.0	6.73
OP-07-12	185.5	188.0	2.5	0.56
OP-07-17	109.0	110.0	1.0	3.56
	182.0	183.0	1.0	1.71
OP-07-20	207.0	208.0	1.0	1.01
	302.5	304.5	2.0	3.63
	incl. 303.5	304.5	1.0	6.36
	325.0	327.0	2.0	2.42

Three other drill holes totalling 482 metres (OP-07-14, OP-07-15, OP-07-19) were drilled to test induced polarization (IP) and airborne electromagnetic anomalies 850 metres to 2.5 kilometres east of the Claude Target. These drill holes did not intersect any significant mineralization.

The encouraging results from the deepest drill hole (OP-07-20) warrant further follow-up work at the Claude Target. Other drill targets have been identified along the gold-bearing 10-km Claude-Manuel corridor and will be tested during the next drilling program.

### **Smiley Target – Opinaca A property**

A 2,000-metre diamond drill program is planned for this summer on the Smiley Target at Opinaca A. This program will test IP anomalies coincident with gold-in-soil anomalies about 5 km north of the Eleonore deposit. The soil anomalies are supported by the presence of gold values of **2.41 g/t Au**, **0.77 g/t Au** and **0.18 g/t Au** in three different till samples collected down-ice of the anomalies.

### **Other work planned for summer 2007**

The 2007 program for Opinaca A and B is designed to accelerate exploration work around existing targets and to identify other targets from new areas.

On Opinaca B, it will consist of intensive prospecting, rock sampling and trenching on the 10-km Claude-Manuel corridor between Azimut's Claude Target (optioned by Everton) and the Manuel Showing (12.01 g/t Au over 4.6 m), which is on Everton's Wildcat 5 property. This deformation zone coincides with lake-bottom sediment gold and arsenic anomalies. During the winter, a 40-line-km IP survey was completed along the Claude-Manuel corridor. All IP anomalies will be investigated by rock sampling or mechanical trenching to identify additional drill targets. Twelve other clusters of lake-bottom multi-element sediment anomalies and numerous gold-in-till anomalies delineated during the previous campaign will be followed-up by prospecting and soil sampling.

Drill samples were analyzed by fire assay followed by gravimetry at Laboratoire Expert Inc. in Rouyn-Noranda, Quebec. Selected samples were also checked using metallic sieves. Quality control procedures have been implemented by Everton and include the systematic addition of certified standards and blank samples to every batch of samples sent to commercial laboratories.

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

Azimut is a mineral exploration company using cutting-edge targeting methodologies with the objective of discovering major ore deposits. For 2007, 18 different exploration programs for gold and uranium are planned on the Azimut's exploration properties in Quebec. These exploration programs represent a budget totalling \$10 million funded by Azimut's partners.

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