



## Eurasian Minerals Inc.

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### NEWS RELEASE

## **Eurasian Minerals Closes US\$5 Million Placement with IFC**

**Vancouver, British Columbia**, March 15, 2010 (TSX Venture: EMX) -- Eurasian Minerals Inc. (the "Company" or "EMX") is pleased to announce the closing of the approximately US\$5 million private placement by IFC, a member of the World Bank Group.

EMX issued 2,559,510 units to IFC, each unit consisting of one common share and three-quarters of a share purchase warrant, at a unit price of C\$2.06. Each whole warrant entitles IFC to purchase a further common share for C\$2.88 until the earlier of (a) three years from the date on which drilling commences on EMX's Treuil-La Mine property in Haiti, or (b) February 19, 2015. The shares, and any shares issued on the exercise of the warrants, are subject to a restricted resale period under Canadian securities law expiring on July 15, 2010.

**About IFC.** The IFC, a member of the World Bank Group, creates opportunity for people to escape poverty and improve their lives. It fosters sustainable economic growth in developing countries by supporting private sector development, mobilizing private capital, and providing advisory and risk mitigation services to businesses and governments. The IFC's new investments totalled US\$14.5 billion in fiscal 2009, helping channel capital into developing countries during the financial crisis. For more information, visit [www.ifc.org](http://www.ifc.org).

**About EMX.** EMX is a TSX Venture Exchange Tier 1 company exploring and investing in a mineral property portfolio located in some of the most prospective, but under-explored mineral belts of the world. EMX's Haiti program is focused on over 2,800 square kilometres of exploration ground in a new, emerging gold belt that was established in 2006. To date, the program has led to new gold-silver-copper discoveries, as well as the acquisition of properties with historic mineral resources. EMX has Joint Venture and Regional Exploration Alliance agreements in Haiti with Newmont Ventures Limited. The Company also has business units exploring in Turkey, the Kyrgyz Republic, Europe, the Asia-Pacific, and western North America. EMX follows the prospect generation business model, with many properties being explored and funded under royalty, joint venture, lease/option, and exploration alliance agreements.

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