

## Canacol Energy Ltd Provides Update on Colombian Stock Exchange Listing

Canacol Energy Ltd. (April 7, 2010) ("Canacol" or the "Corporation") (TSX VENTURE CNE) is pleased to announce that it has filed all required documentation for approval by the Colombian Financial Superintendency for the registration of its shares in the Colombian Nation Securities and Issuers Registry "RNVE" and for listing on the Colombian Stock Exchange "Bolsa de Valores de Colombia - BVC". The Corporation's primary exchange will remain the TSX Venture Exchange. This dual listing will enable the Corporation to expand its institutional and retail shareholder base into Colombia where it has the majority of its operations and where the capital markets are rapidly growing.

Charle Gamba, President and CEO of the Corporation, comments "This filing is a step forward to obtain the listing on the Colombian stock exchange. The listing will become a source of liquidity for the shares of the Corporation, and could become a future source of capital for the expansion of its activities both inside and outside of Colombia."

The filing is subject to a review process by the Colombian Financial Superintendency and to local regulations applicable to foreign issuers. A filing will also be made before the Colombian Stock Exchange for its approval. The application process is expected to take approximately 45 days. The Corporation will appoint a depository agent in Colombia to maintain shareholder records and this agent will be responsible for dividend payments, if any, and all other matters regarding shareholder rights, as determined by the Corporation's shareholders.

Canacol is a Canadian based international oil and gas corporation with operations in Colombia, Brazil and Guyana. Canacol is publicly traded on TSX Venture Exchange (<u>CNE</u>). The Corporation's public filings may be found at <u>www.sedar.com</u>.

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