



Western Canadian Coal

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WESTERN CANADIAN COAL TO RELEASE SECOND QUARTER 2009 RESULTS AND HOLD CONFERENCE CALL

Vancouver, B.C. October 15, 2008 – Western Canadian Coal Corp (TSX: WTN, WTN.WT and WTN.DB and AIM: WTN) (the “Company” or “Western”) expects to release second quarter 2009 financial and operating results on November 13, 2008, after market hours. The Company is planning to hold a conference call to discuss the quarter’s financial and operating results on November 14, 2008 at 8:00 AM PDT.

To participate in the call, please dial one of the following numbers:

Access: 416-644-3415

Toll-Free Access: 800-732-9303

For Instant Replay Access please dial one of the following numbers and enter Participant Pass Code: 21286373 followed by the pound (#) sign.

Access: 416-640-1917

Toll-Free Access: 877-289-8525

The call will be webcast live and will be available at www.westerncanadiancoal.com.

About Western Canadian Coal

Western Canadian Coal Corp. produces high quality metallurgical coal from three mines - Wolverine, Brule and Willow Creek - located in the northeast of British Columbia. The company also has interests in various coal properties in northern and southern British Columbia and a 50% interest in the Belcourt Saxon Limited Partnership, which was formed to explore and develop the Belcourt and Saxon group of properties in northern BC. Currently, these properties provide the company with an estimated 15 years of coal reserves at current production levels. For more information, please visit www.westerncanadiancoal.com

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