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HudBay Minerals To Hold Annual General Meeting On June 23 In Toronto

TORONTO, ONTARIO--(CCNMatthews - June 13, 2005) - HudBay Minerals Inc. (TSX:HBM) today announced it will hold its annual general meeting of shareholders on Thursday, June 23, 2005 in Toronto.

The meeting will take place in the gallery of the Toronto Stock Exchange at 130 King Street West, with proceedings scheduled to begin at 10:30 a.m. ET.

Peter R. Jones, President and Chief Executive Officer and Allen J. Palmiere, Chairman of the Board of Directors, will host the event.

For those unable to attend in person, the meeting will be webcast live on the Company's website at www.hudbayminerals.com. The full proceedings will be presented with accompanying slides, and will also be archived on the site. Instructions for accessing the event will be provided on the web site.

About HudBay Minerals Inc.

HudBay Minerals Inc. is an integrated mining and metal producing company that operates mines and concentrators in northern Manitoba and Saskatchewan and a metal processing complex in Flin Flon, Manitoba. The company also operates a zinc oxide production facility in Brampton, Ontario and the former producing mines of Balmat in New York State and Gays River in Nova Scotia that are being evaluated for re-opening.

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