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HudBay to Host Conference Call for Fourth Quarter and Year-End 2009 Results

TORONTO, ONTARIO, Feb 10, 2010 (Marketwire via COMTEX News Network) -- HudBay Minerals Inc. ("HudBay", the "company") (TSX:HBM) will host a conference call with W. Warren Holmes, executive vice chairman and interim chief executive officer, Tom A. Goodman, senior vice president, operations, and David S. Bryson, senior vice president and chief financial officer, to discuss the company's fourth quarter and 2009 year-end results on Thursday, March 4, 2010.

Fourth Quarter and Year-End 2009 Results Conference Call and Webcast:

Date:	Thursday, March 4, 2010
Time:	10:00 a.m. (Eastern Time)
Webcast:	www.hudbayminerals.com
Dial in:	416-644-3414 or 800-814-4859
Replay:	416-640-1917 or 877-289-8525
Replay Passcode:	4205622#

HudBay plans to issue a news release containing the fourth quarter and 2009 year-end results on Wednesday, March 3, 2010 after market close, and post it on the company's website. The conference call replay will be available until midnight (Eastern Time) on March 24, 2010. An archived audio webcast of the call also will be available on HudBay's website.

HudBay Minerals Inc.: Strength to Build the Future

HudBay Minerals Inc. (TSX:HBM) is a Canadian integrated mining company with assets in North and Central America principally focused on the discovery, production and marketing of base metals. The company's objective is to maximize shareholder value through efficient operations, organic growth and accretive acquisitions, while maintaining its financial strength. A member of the S&P/TSX Composite Index and the S&P/TSX Global Mining Index, HudBay is committed to high standards of corporate governance and sustainability.

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