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HudBay Minerals to Host Information Session on Norsemont Mining

TORONTO, ONTARIO -- (MARKET WIRE) -- 01/14/11 -- HudBay Minerals Inc. ("HudBay", the "company") (TSX: HBM)(NYSE: HBM) today announced it will host an information session on January 17, 2011 at 12 p.m. ET to discuss its proposed acquisition of Norsemont Mining Inc. The session will also be webcast live on HudBay's website at www.hudbayminerals.com.

Institutional equity salespeople and institutional investors are invited to RSVP to investor.relations@hudbayminerals.com or (416) 362-8428 to attend this event in person.

HudBay Minerals Inc.

HudBay Minerals Inc. (TSX: HBM)(NYSE: HBM) is a Canadian integrated mining company with assets in North and Central America principally focused on the discovery, production and marketing of 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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