

SANDSTORM PROVIDES UPDATE ON AURIZONA GOLD PRODUCTION

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Sandstorm Resources Ltd. ("Sandstorm" or the "Corporation") (TSX-V: SSL) is pleased to announce that Luna Gold Corp. ("Luna") has begun commissioning of the gravity gold circuit on its wholly owned Aurizona Project in Brazil and will begin producing gold. Luna gold plans to produce gold from the gravity circuit beginning immediately and will save the tails from to be further processed when the carbon-in-leach plant comes online in the second quarter of 2010. Further progress highlights include:

- Tailings dam civil construction is completed and finishing works are in progress.
- Construction of the carbon-in-leach plant is expected to be completed in late April.
- Mining has commenced in the Piaba pit and currently there are in excess of 100,000 tonnes of ore stockpiled.
- · Construction of the 69 kilovolt power line is in progress with planned completion by the end of April.

In accordance with Sandstorm's gold purchase agreement with Luna, Sandstorm is entitled to purchase 17% of the life of mine gold produced from the Aurizona Project at a per ounce price equal to the lesser of US\$400 and the then prevailing market price.

ABOUT SANDSTORM RESOURCES

Sandstorm Resources Ltd. is a growth focused resource based company that seeks to complete transactions with companies that have advanced stage development projects or operating mines. By making upfront payments to its partners, Sandstorm receives volumetric production payments (i.e. metal stream deals) on precious metals. Sandstorm helps other companies in the resource industry grow their businesses, while acquiring attractive assets in the process.

Sandstorm is focused on low cost operations with excellent exploration potential and strong management teams. Sandstorm has completed volumetric production payments with Luna Gold Corp, SilverCrest Mines Inc. and Santa Fe Gold Corporation. For more information visit: www.sandstormresources.com

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