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PRESS RELEASE

PRIVATE PLACEMENT AMENDMENT

John Greenslade, President of Baja Mining Corp. (the "Company"), is pleased to announce that it has filed for final approval of the private placement of 2,100,000 Units previously announced on March 15, 2005 and March 21, 2005, and all funds have been received by the Company.

The Unit price has been amended subject to TSX Venture Exchange approval, from \$0.75 per Unit to \$0.60 per Unit, due to current market conditions. The warrant price will remain the same at \$1.15 per share. Each Unit consists of one common share and one-half of one share purchase warrant. One whole warrant entitles the holder thereof to purchase one additional common share at an exercise price of \$1.15 at any time prior to June 1, 2007. The Company will be applying for Tier 1 status. Once the Company qualifies as a Tier 1 Issuer, the exercise term of the warrants will be extended from two years to five years. A finders fee of \$92,500 will be paid to Orego s.a.r.l., a Belgium company, in regard to one subscriber of the placement.

The common shares and share purchase warrants issued as part of the private placement, including common shares issued upon exercise of the share purchase warrants are subject to a hold period of four months from the date of issuance.

The proceeds of this private placement will be used by the Company as working capital.

On behalf of the Board of Directors

"John Greenslade"

**John Greenslade
President**

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