



**TRANSGLOBE ENERGY CORPORATION: RELEASE DATE SECOND QUARTER  
2009 FINANCIAL AND OPERATING RESULTS AND CONFERENCE CALL**

**TSX: "TGL" & NASDAQ: "TGA"**

Calgary, Alberta, July 30, 2009 - TransGlobe Energy Corporation ("TransGlobe") will announce its second quarter 2009 financial and operating results on **Thursday, August 6, 2009** prior to the opening of the stock markets. A conference call and webcast to discuss the results will be held the same day:

Time: 2:30 p.m. Mountain Time (4:30 p.m. Eastern Time)

Dial-in: 1-416-641-6108 or toll free at 1-866-226-1793

Webcast: <http://events.onlinebroadcasting.com/transglobe/080609/index.php>

Shortly after the conclusion of the call, a replay will be available by dialing 1-416-695-5800 or toll free at 1-800-408-3053. The pass code is 1207204#. The replay will expire at midnight (Eastern) on August 13, 2009. Thereafter, a copy of the call can be accessed through a link on TransGlobe's Web site at [www.trans-globe.com](http://www.trans-globe.com).

TransGlobe is a Calgary-based oil and gas producer with proved reserves and production operations in the Arab Republic of Egypt and the Republic of Yemen. TransGlobe owns working interests in more than 4.9 million acres across their operating regions. TransGlobe's common shares trade on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol TGL and on the NASDAQ under the symbol TGA.

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