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Centerra Gold Confirms Operations Continue at its Kumtor Mine

TORONTO, CANADA – April 8, 2010 – Centerra Gold Inc. (TSX: CG) today confirmed that operations at its Kumtor mine, in the Kyrgyz Republic, continue uninterrupted and are currently unaffected by the unrest in the country. The Kumtor mine is located 430 kilometres by road to the southeast of the national capital Bishkek.

The Company is monitoring the situation to ensure that conditions remain safe to continue to transport people and supplies to the mine.

Centerra is a growth-oriented, gold mining company focused on operating, developing, exploring and acquiring gold properties primarily in Asia, the former Soviet Union and other emerging markets worldwide. Centerra is the largest Western-based gold producer in Central Asia. Centerra's shares trade on the Toronto Stock Exchange (TSX) under the symbol CG. The Company is based in Toronto, Canada.

Additional information

Additional information on Centerra is available on the Company's website at www.centerragold.com and on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

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