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Nord Resources Corporation Announces Commencement of Trading on the Toronto Stock Exchange

TUCSON, Arizona, January 17, 2008 - Nord Resources Corporation (“Nord” or the “Company”) (Other OTC: [NRDS.PK](#) - [News](#)) is pleased to announce it has received final approval from the Toronto Stock Exchange (“TSX”) to list its common shares on the TSX. Nord’s shares will trade under the symbol “NRD.U” and will begin trading on the TSX at the opening of business on Friday, January 18, 2008.

About Nord Resources

Nord Resources Corporation is in the business of exploring for, developing and operating mineral properties. The Company’s primary asset is the Johnson Camp Mine located approximately 65 miles east of Tucson, Arizona. The reactivation of the Johnson Camp Mine commenced in June 2007. Residual leaching operations commenced in November 2007. Cathode production from residual leaching is scheduled to commence in January 2008 and planned copper production from new ore placed on the heaps is scheduled to commence in the third quarter of 2008.

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