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**95,000 HECTARE CLAIM BLOCK**

**STAKED BETWEEN TIMMINS GOLD'S SAN FRANCISCO MINE AND**

**CAPITAL GOLD'S EL CHANATE MINE**

Timmins Gold Corp (TMM: TSX-V) announces that it has staked an additional 95,000 hectares of claims along the highly prospective Sonora-Mojave Megashear structural province of northern Sonora, Mexico. The claims have been staked along a 65 km corridor between Timmins Gold's San Francisco gold mine and the El Chanate gold mine of Capital Gold Corp.

The claims were staked based on Timmins Gold's geological understanding of the Megashear which has been gained from geological, geochemical, and geophysical surveys along with experience gained from operational and exploration success at the producing San Francisco gold mine and surrounding areas.

Timmins Gold's semi contiguous claims which lie along the Sonora-Mojave Megashear now total approximately 165,000 hectares. For a map showing the Timmins Gold claims along the Megashear please go to the Timmins Gold website at [www.timminsgold.com](http://www.timminsgold.com).

**About Timmins Gold**

Timmins Gold Corp is a gold production and development company. In April 2010, Timmins Gold commenced commercial production at its wholly owned San Francisco gold mine in Sonora, Mexico. Timmins Gold has projected production at a rate of approximately 100,000 ounces of gold per year at a life of mine cash cost of approximately \$489 per ounce. (Micon International Preliminary Feasibility Study, November 2010).

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*Timmins filed a prospectus/offer to exchange and registration statement on Form F-4 with the SEC on February 10, 2011. In addition, Timmins has filed a preliminary proxy statement in connection with Capital Gold Corporation's special meeting of stockholders. Capital Gold Corporation's stockholders are urged to read these documents, all other applicable documents, and any amendments or supplements thereto when they become available, because each contains or will contain important information. Such documents are or will be available free of charge at the SEC's website ([www.sec.gov](http://www.sec.gov)) or by directing a request to Innisfree M&A Incorporated, 501 Madison Avenue, 20th Floor, New York, NY 10022, U.S.A., at 877-800-5182 (toll free for stockholders) or 212-750-5833 (collect for banks and brokers).*

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