



## PLATINEX ISSUES SHARES FOR SERVICES

TORONTO, ONTARIO, January 23, 2009 - Platinex Inc. (TSX Venture Exchange: PTX) today announced that it has agreed to a shares for services payment of \$20,000 to Norstar Securities by the issuance of 235,294 common shares at a deemed value of \$0.085 per share. The common shares will be subject to a hold period expiring on May 23, 2009.

Platinex and Norstar Securities have terminated their agreement under which Norstar provides strategic advice and services.

### About Platinex Inc.

Platinex is a Canadian exploration company based near Toronto. Platinex focuses on carefully selected Platinum Group Element targets in settings analogous to the JM reef (Stillwater Complex, Montana) and the Merensky and UG2 reefs (Bushveld Complex, RSA) and opportunistic acquisition and exploration of other selected precious metal targets. Platinex is determined to find platinum sources to be used in the campaign to eliminate the threat of global warming. Shares of Platinex are listed for trading on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol "PTX".

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