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Platinex Seeks Injunction to Continue Big Trout Lake Drilling

Toronto, Ontario, May 1, 2006 - Platinex Inc. (TSX-V: PTX) announced today it has issued a statement of claim against the Kitchenuhmaykoosib Inninuwug ("KI") First Nation, Chief Morris, Band Council and others. The Company also is seeking injunctive relief against the same parties in its on-going efforts to return to the property and continue its drilling program without unlawful interference or interruption.

In late February, the KI community unlawfully obstructed Platinex's ability to continue with its exploratory drilling project on the Big Trout Lake property in northern Ontario. Platinex vacated the property on terms agreed upon with KI Band Council. Council did not live up to its commitments. The company obtained an interim order from the Court on April 27, 2006, including a timetable for the hearing of the Company's interlocutory injunction in June.

All media inquiries respecting the litigation will be referred to the Company's counsel.

About Platinex Inc.

Platinex is a Canadian exploration company based near Toronto. Platinex focuses on carefully selected Platinum Group Element targets in settings with potential for the discovery of multi-million-ounce deposits, analogous to the JM reef (Stillwater Complex, Montana) and the Merensky and UG2 reefs (Bushveld Complex, RSA), each of which contain resources of PGEs in the tens or hundreds of millions of ounces. The Company is currently exploring on its Big Trout Lake Property in Northern Ontario, approximately 580 km (350 miles) north of Thunder Bay. Shares of Platinex became listed for trading on the TSX Venture Exchange on November 4, 2005, under the symbol PTX. Platinex has 14,271,173 common shares issued and outstanding.

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