



## PRESS RELEASE

### **Appointement of Claude St-Jacques as chief officer**

**Québec, February 6, 2009 (TSX VENTURE (VIO), FRANKFURT (VL5))** - Vior announces today that Mr Claude St-Jacques, chairman of the board of the company, will assume, as of today, the duties of chief executive officer. Mr St- Jacques is replacing Mr. Patrick Bradley, who has to deal with a health matter. Everyone in the company extends their best wishes to Mr Bradley.

Mr. St-Jacques intends to refocus the company's activities on developing the Douay Ouest deposit, which reveals a measured plus indicated mineral resources of 859,000 metric tons at 5.7 g/t Au, according to a resource calculation done by Geostat Systems International Inc. ("Geostat"), a consulting independent firm (for more detail see press release of November 7, 2007).

From Mr. St-Jacques' point of view, this deposit meets all requirements for a quick development. With a gold price of CA\$1,000 per ounce and with all infrastructures in place, the deposit offers an exceptional potential. The company is currently evaluating different scenarios to benefit from these favourable conditions.

#### **Profile**

Vior is a growing mining company focused on acquiring and developing gold prospects in accessible mining areas of Québec. The company wholly owns the Douay project where Geostat completed its National Instrument 43-101 compliant resource estimate (see press release of November 7, 2007). Geostat estimated an inferred resource of 1,885,000 ounces of gold and measured resource of 268,000 ounces of gold.

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