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NEWS RELEASE

Bonaparte Announces Appointment of Director

VANCOUVER, BC, March 9, 2010 – Bonaparte Capital Corp. (TSX-V: BON) ("Bonaparte" or the "Company") is pleased to announce that Mr. Matthew Turner has joined the Board of Directors of the Company. Mr. Turner is the Chief Executive Officer of Rockhaven Resources Limited and a project geologist with Archer, Cathro & Associates (1981) Limited. Both Rockhaven Resources and Archer, Cathro & Associates are actively involved in mineral exploration in the Yukon.

Mr. Turner obtained a Bachelor of Science degree in Earth and Ocean Science (Specialization Geology) from the University of British Columbia in 2002. He has been involved in mineral exploration since 1997 and has supervised fieldwork at Rockhaven's wholly-owned Plata Project. Mr. Turner has managed and participated in numerous exploration projects throughout western Canada, focusing mainly on precious metal vein, IOCG and diamond deposits.

"We are excited to have Mr. Turner join our Board of Directors as his field experience and intimate knowledge of mineral exploration in the Yukon will be a valuable asset to the Company" said Randy Saunders, Bonaparte's Chief Executive Officer.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

"Randy Saunders"

Randy Saunders
CEO and Director

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