

Gold Hawk Resources Inc.

PRESS RELEASE

CORICANCHA MINE START UP

Vancouver, British Columbia, February 20, 2007 - Gold Hawk Resources Inc. ("Gold Hawk" or the "Company") (TSXV: CGK) is pleased to announce the start of commissioning of its wholly owned Coricancha Mine and processing facility in Peru. The underground mine development program was accelerated with the arrival of the first order of mining equipment in January. While commissioning work is progressing in many areas in the processing facility, we are pleased to announce that the first lead and zinc concentrates were produced during this past week, and build-up of the bacteria for the BIOX circuit, used for the recovery of gold, has been initiated.

The company is undertaking a full scale employee recruiting campaign with most of the senior staff in place. The present workforce of 260 workers will be increased to approximately 600 people by April 2007. As previously announced, the mine and mill are expected to be in full production at the rated capacity of 600 tpd in April, 2007. Management is currently examining the feasibility of expanding the operation by up to 50% from the existing capacity of 600 tonnes per day.

The Company is currently in a strong financial condition with cash of \$10.9 million.

Gold Hawk is a Canadian natural resource company, based in Vancouver, B.C., engaged in the exploration, development and operating of precious and base metal mines. In addition to 100% ownership of the Coricancha Mine in Peru, the Company has exploration properties in Peru and Canada (Quebec).

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