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## **ST. ELIAS MINES LTD.**

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## **NEWS RELEASE**

### **St. Elias Mines Ltd. – Peruvian Operations Unaffected by Earthquake in Chile**

Lori McClenahan, President of St. Elias Mines Ltd. (the “Company”), reports that all personnel and projects are safe and that all operations are continuing after the strong earthquake that hit Chile on February 27, 2010. The Company also reports that it’s Lima and Nazca offices were also unaffected.

For additional information on St. Elias and its projects, please visit us at [www.steliasmines.com](http://www.steliasmines.com) or call 1-888-895-5522 (toll free US and Canada).

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*(signed “Lori McClenahan”)*

Lori McClenahan,  
*President*

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