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SHAREHOLDER NEWS RELEASE

April 20, 2011 - David Kushniruk of 16 Old Highway 10 W., PO Box 602, Melville, Saskatchewan, Canada, S0A 2P0 (the "Shareholder") filed an early warning report dated April 20, 2011 (the "Early Warning Report") advising of his holdings in Bird River Resources Inc., formerly Bird River Mines Inc., (CNSX: BDR) ("BDR" or the "Company").

Between April 6, 2011 and April 15, 2011, the Shareholder acquired 237,000 common shares of the Company ("Common Shares") on the open market (the "Acquisition"). The Common Shares are listed on the Canadian National Stock Exchange. The Shareholder acquired the Common Shares pursuant to the Acquisition for a range of prices between \$0.30 to \$0.50 per Common Share. Prior to closing of the Acquisition, the Shareholder held 1,238,000 Common Shares.

There are currently 10,470,225 Common Shares issued and outstanding. As a result of the Acquisition, the Shareholder has beneficial ownership of, and control and direction over, 1,475,000 Common Shares, or approximately 14.1% of the Common Shares currently outstanding. The Shareholder previously filed an early warning report and press release on March 15, 2011 when the Shareholder's shareholdings reached 11.8% of the Common Shares issued and outstanding.

The Shareholder acquired beneficial ownership of, and control or direction over, the Common Shares pursuant to the Acquisition for investment purposes. The Shareholder may acquire further securities of BDR in the future.

This news release is issued pursuant to National Instrument 62-103 – *The Early Warning System.* A copy of the Early Warning Report will appear with the Company's documents on the SEDAR website at www.sedar.com. A copy of the Early Warning Report may also be obtained by contacting David Kushniruk at 306-728-5835.

No stock exchange or securities commission has reviewed the adequacy or accuracy of this news release.

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