



# QUIA RESOURCES

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## Quia Resources Contracts Two Drill Rigs at San Lucas Plans Initial Drill Campaign for Early May

April 21, 2011: Toronto, Ontario - Quia Resources Inc. (TSX-V QIA) is pleased to announce that it has signed a contract with Mincivil S.A. for two drill rigs to complete 5,000 metres of diamond drilling at Quia's San Lucas property, Colombia.

This initial drill program will test three high-priority targets that have been outlined through geophysics, soil sampling and mapping:

- Target 1: a 1,000 metre long by 500 metre wide anomaly overlying the contact between gneissic rocks and a quartz diorite porphyry unit
- Target 2: a 3,000 metre long anomaly coincident with a trend of artisanal mine sites where a number of high grade samples have been obtained
- Target 3: a 1,200 metre long by 750 metre wide lower grade anomaly overlying a highly silicified sub-volcanic unit with an epithermal signature

The program is expected to commence in early May.

Yannis Banks, Quia's CEO, said: "We have done extensive surface exploration in order to delineate several high priority targets. Our work has demonstrated potential for both disseminated systems of gold mineralization as well as high-grade gold mineralization. This first drill program is our most significant development thus far in advancing our San Lucas property."

The Company is also continuing its regional soil sampling program in other areas of the property.

### **About Quia Resources Inc.**

Quia Resources is an emerging gold explorer that is exploring the San Lucas Orogenic Gold belt of Colombia, in particular its flagship San Lucas property. Quia's strategy is to focus on Colombia and the San Lucas region since it believes the country and region are geologically prospective and vastly underexplored.

Iain Kelso, P. Geo., is the Qualified Person for the information contained in this press release and is a Qualified Person within the terms defined by National Instrument 43-101.

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