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NEWS RELEASE

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New High Ridge – Proposed Change of Name

Vancouver, British Columbia (February 2nd, 2011) – New High Ridge Resources Inc. (“New High Ridge” or “the Company”) announced that the board of directors have approved a proposed change of the name of the Company to “**Newton Gold Corp.**”, subject to the acceptance of the TSX Venture Exchange.

About New High Ridge:

New High Ridge Resources is a British Columbia focused exploration company with two wholly owned advanced exploration projects: the Newton Mountain property (Au-Cu porphyry) 35 km north of Taseko Mine's Prosperity (formerly Fish Lake) Au-Cu project ; and the Chuchi property (Cu-Au porphyry) 30 km NW of Terrane's Mt. Milligan project. The wholly owned Newton Mountain property is currently optioned to Amarc Resources Ltd. Amarc is aggressively drilling our Newton Mountain property with two drills as part of their fully funded 28 hole drill program designed to follow up on the major discovery made in 2009 that included:

- **189 meters grading 1.56 g/t gold, including 99 metres grading 2.76 g/t gold in hole 9004;**
- and,**
- **138 metres grading 0.74 g/t gold, including 63 metres grading 1.17 g/t gold in hole 9014**

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS

“*Mark A. McLeary*”

President & CEO

Forward Looking Statements

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