



Ur-Energy Inc. Appoints Vice President of Mining

Denver, Colorado (CCNMatthews – February 23, 2007) **Ur-Energy Inc. (TSX:URE)** (“Ur-Energy” or the “Company”) is pleased to announce the appointment of Wayne Heili as Vice President of Mining. Mr. Heili will head up the Casper, Wyoming production office and engineering team. Mr. Heili will be specifically responsible for the development of Ur-Energy’s Lost Creek and Lost Soldier uranium deposits.

Wayne Heili has a career spanning more than 19 years providing engineering, construction, operations and technical support in the uranium mining industry. He spent 16 years in various operations level positions with Total Minerals and COGEMA Mining at their properties in Wyoming and Texas. He was Operations Manager of COGEMA’s Wyoming In-Situ Recovery (ISR) projects from January 1998 until February 2004. Since then, Mr. Heili acted as a consultant for such companies as High Plains Uranium, Inc., Energy Metals Corporation and Behre Dolbear as well as owned and managed an independent franchise location of a major water treatment company. His experience includes conventional and ISR uranium processing facility operations. Mr. Heili received a Bachelor of Science degree in Metallurgical Engineering from Michigan Technological University, with a mineral processing emphasis.

Bill Boberg, President and CEO states, “The Company is extremely pleased that Mr. Heili has accepted our invitation to join Ur-Energy’s highly experienced uranium team. We have the utmost confidence in his abilities to advance our Lost Creek and Lost Soldier operations to production.” Boberg adds, “With the strong team we have put into place, we are looking forward to the future successes of Ur-Energy, including becoming the next uranium producer in Wyoming.”

Ur-Energy is a dynamic junior mining company focused on development of uranium production from properties in the United States and exploration for uranium deposits in both the United States and Canada. Shares of the corporation trade on the Toronto Stock Exchange under the symbol URE. The Company has its registered corporate office in Ottawa, Canada and its headquarters in Littleton, Colorado. The website is at www.ur-energy.com.

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