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Attention Business Editors:

Stratabound to Acquire Otish Mountains Diamond Exploration Property

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CALGARY, April 30 /CNW/ - Stratabound Minerals Corp. has entered into an agreement to acquire the 2,630 hectare (6,500 acre) Marusia Property, located in the Otish Mountains area of Central Quebec.

The ground is located halfway between recent diamondiferous kimberlite discoveries by the Ashton/Soquem joint venture and the Beaver Lake diamondiferous kimberlite previously found by Ditem. The Marusia Property borders a portion of Dios Exploration's 33 Carats diamond project, where Dios has reported finding five G9 and G10 pyrope garnets (kimberlite indicator minerals). The Marusia claims also lie eight kilometres east of the BHP/Majescor Portage project, where work continues on finding the sources of the kimberlitic indicator mineral trains on their property.

Like the Ashton/Soquem diamond discoveries, the Marusia Property is located within the Temiscamie-Corvette structural corridor. Kimberlite discoveries in Quebec and Ontario are correlated with major structural corridors defined by faults, airborne magnetic trends, lineaments observed by remote sensing, and graben-type sedimentary basins.

On the basis of published reconnaissance-scale airborne geophysical surveys, the Marusia Property contains a large elliptical aeromagnetic high, sandwiched between two aeromagnetic targets identified by Geologie Quebec as potential kimberlite pipes.

Stratabound will pay the vendor \$30,000 for a 100% interest in the property. The vendor will retain a 2% NSR royalty from any sales of diamonds, base metals or precious metals mined on the property.

The Canadian Venture Exchange has not reviewed and does not accept responsibility for the adequacy or accuracy of this release.

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