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OPTION EXERCISED TO ACQUIRE POWER PLANT SITE

Vancouver, B.C., January 9, 2007 - Compliance Energy Corporation (“Compliance” or the “Company”) announces that Copper Mountain Mining Corporation (“CMMC”) pursuant to a notice of exercise issued December 13, 2006 has closed on the purchase of 100% of Similco Mines Ltd, which includes the site of Compliance’s proposed 56 MW coal /wood waste power plant.

Compliance owns 4 million shares or approximately 30% of CMMC, which recently completed a \$4.4 million financing at \$1 per share. CMMC is a private BC exploration Company planning to go public in the first half of 2007. Research Capital Corporation of Toronto was the lead agent on the financing.

CMMC is now staffing an exploration crew and has mobilized exploration equipment to the site and will commence with an initial 21,000 meter drilling program. The exploration program is designed to confirm and expand the reported historical copper resource at the Similco Mine Site. Exploration drilling is expected to commence in the first half of January once the exploration permit is received.

Compliance is a Canadian mining company that has significant coal interests on Vancouver Island; is advancing a proposed net 49 MW Princeton Power Project that will be fueled by wood waste and coal; and operates the Basin Coal Mine near Princeton, BC.. Compliance Energy Corporation’s shares trade on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol CEC and investor information is available on the Company’s web page at www.complianceenergy.com.

On behalf of the Board of
COMPLIANCE ENERGY CORPORATION

“John Tapics”

John Tapics
Chief Executive Officer

Contact Rob Roney, Investor Relations at 250-897-0437 or Rod Shier, CFO at 604-689-0489 for further information.

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