

NEWS RELEASE

Granting of Incentive Stock Options

February 5, 2013, Vancouver, British Columbia (TSX Venture: ATY) - Atico Mining Corporation ("Atico" or the "Company") announces that pursuant to the Company's stock option plan 1,820,000 incentive stock options, exercisable at \$0.98 per share, for a period of five years have been granted to directors, officers, employees and consultants of the Company.

Atico Mining Corporation

Atico is a growth oriented, copper and gold exploration and development company focused on mining opportunities in Latin America. The Company's primary property is the El Roble project. The Company is selectively pursuing additional acquisition opportunities. For more information, please visit our website at www.aticomining.com.

ON BEHALF OF THE BOARD

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