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RECEIPT

Northgate Minerals Corporation

This is the receipt of the **British Columbia Securities Commission** for the **Short Form Base Shelf Prospectus** of the above Issuer dated July 2, 2010 (the prospectus).

This receipt also evidences that the **Ontario Securities Commission** has issued a receipt for the prospectus.

The prospectus has been filed under Multilateral Instrument 11-102 *Passport System* in **Alberta, Saskatchewan, Manitoba, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island, Newfoundland and Labrador, Yukon, Nunavut and Northwest Territories**. A receipt for the prospectus is deemed to be issued by the regulator in each of those jurisdictions, if the conditions of the Instrument have been satisfied.

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