Makenita Joins Canadian Association of Defence and Security Industries (CADSI)

Vancouver, British Columbia--(Newsfile Corp. - April 1, 2026) - Makenita Resources Inc. (CSE: KENY) (WKN: A40X6P) (OTCID: KENYF) (the "Company" or "Makenita") is pleased to announce that it has joined the Canadian Association of Defence and Security Industries (CADSI) in support of advancing the Company's critical and strategic mineral portfolio.

CADSI is the national voice of Canada's defence, security, and cyber sectors and plays a key role in fostering collaboration between industry, government, and military stakeholders.

Jason Gigliotti, President of Makenita, stated, "Critical minerals are at the forefront of the mining sector, and joining CADSI is a natural step for the Company. With the growing emphasis on domestically sourced and produced critical minerals, we are excited to be nearing the commencement of operations at our tungsten project in New Brunswick, located adjacent to the Sisson Tungsten Mine-one of five nation-building projects highlighted by Prime Minister Mark Carney[1]."

Membership in CADSI provides the Company with access to defence industry forums, policy roundtables, technical workshops, and valuable networking opportunities. This participation will support collaboration across Canada's defence and security community while helping the Company stay informed on emerging capability needs, procurement trends, regulatory developments, and partnership opportunities related to critical minerals and advanced materials essential to national and allied security.

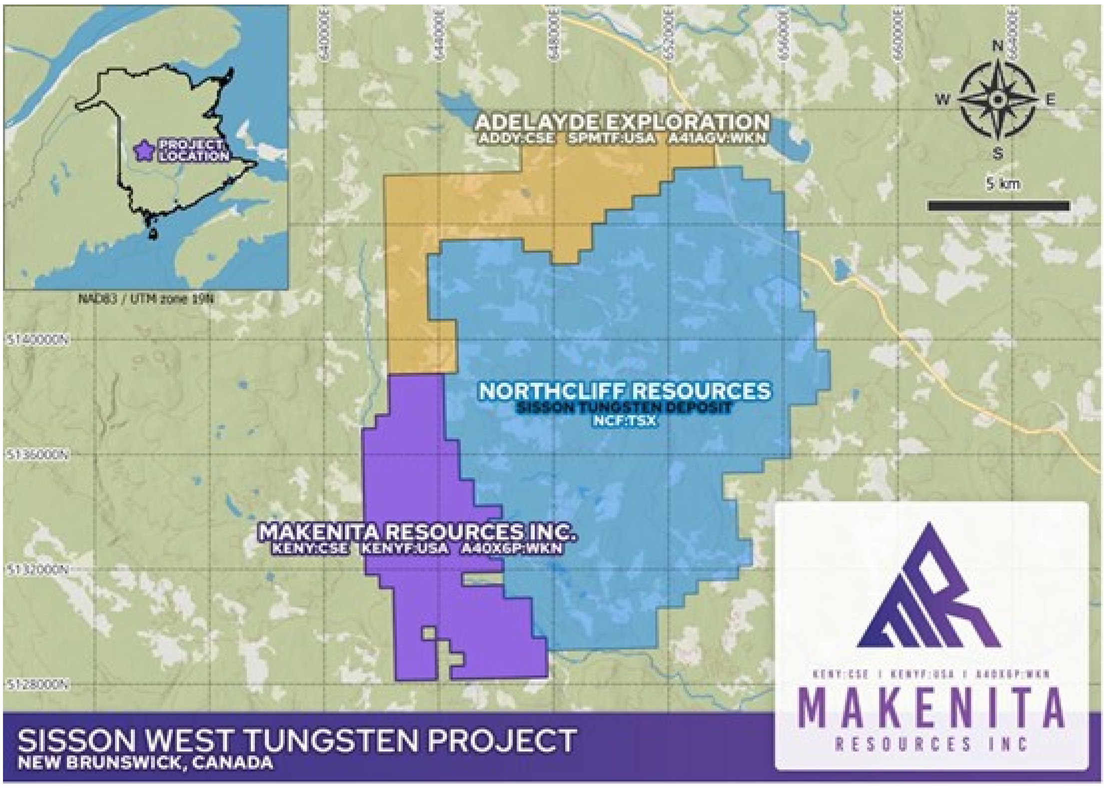

Figure 1. Location map for Makenita's Sisson West Tungsten Project.

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Management cautions that past results or discoveries on properties in proximity to Makenita may not necessarily be indicative of the presence of mineralization on the Company's properties.

Figure 2. Makenita President Jason Gigliotti and the Hon. Susan Holt, Premier of New Brunswick

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Qualified Person

Dr. Scott Jobin-Bevans (PhD, PGeo), a qualified person (QP) as defined by National Instrument 43-101, has reviewed and approved the scientific and technical disclosure contained within this news release.

About Makenita Resources Inc.

Makenita currently has several projects located in Canada. The Sisson West Tungsten Project, consisting of approximately 9,845 contiguous acres prospective for Tungsten, located in New Brunswick directly bordering Northcliff Resources Ltd.'s (NCF) Sisson Tungsten Mine. Makenita also has the approximately 9,000 acre "NTX Rare Earth Project" in Quebec prospective for rare earths. Lastly, Makenita has the 5,542-acre Hector Property which is in the vicinity of the town of Cobalt, Ontario, which is prospective for cobalt, silver and diamonds.

(1) https://www.pm.gc.ca/en/news/news-releases/2025/11/13/prime-minister-carney-announces-second-tranche-nation-building-projects

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