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NEWS RELEASE

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## Strathbogie South Stream Sediment Survey, Victoria, Australia

**Vancouver, Canada** - Tinka Resources Limited (the "Company") (TSXv - TK; Frankfurt - TLD; Pinksheets - TKRFF). Mr. Andrew Carter, President of Tinka, reports on results of a stream sediment survey conducted over the Company's Strathbogie South project which incorporates four exploration licences 110 km northeast of Melbourne, Victoria, Australia. The Golden Mountain mining lease, from which drill results including 56m @ 1.9 g/t Au were recently reported, lies nearby.

The licences, which together total approximately 960 square kilometres, are underlain by Devonian metamorphosed sedimentary rocks close to the contact with the Strathbogie Granite which intrudes along the northern margin of the property. Gold mineralization is developed at a number of sites in the district, the most significant of being Golden Mountain which is geologically similar to the nearby Fosterville Gold Mine (Northgate Minerals Ltd), where 112,000 ounces of gold are forecast to be produced in 2009. Gold is fine grained, associated with pyritic alteration, and concentrated in ferruginized joints, fault pug and disseminated within psammitic sedimentary strata. Golden Mountain has a hard rock and alluvial mining history of approximately 140,000 oz of gold production from operations that concluded in the 1920's.

One hundred and forty four samples were collected for BLEG (bulk leach extractable gold) and conventional (-80 mesh) analytical determinations. The samples were collected from catchments over an area in excess of 200 square kilometers, spanning roughly 35 km east – west by 6 km north – south. Gold values by the BLEG technique ranged from 0.1 ppb to 771 ppb and averaged 23 ppb. Gold values by the -80 mesh technique ranged from 0.1 ppb to 62 ppb and averaged 4 ppb. BLEG samples were analyzed by the Au-CN12 technique and the -80 mesh samples by Au-ST43 and ME-ICP43 for gold and base metals respectively at ALS Chemex Ltd's laboratories in Adelaide, Australia, with duplicates, blanks and standards inserted according to standard industry practice.

The BLEG technique located 10 gold anomalous catchments surrounding and along strike from the 202 hectare Golden Mountain deposit, corresponding with elevated arsenic and antimony in the -80 mesh samples. This sampling has increased the prospective area for the Golden Mountain project by approximately 5 to 10 times. In addition, and of particular significance, stream sediment sampling located an area of coincident gold (BLEG), arsenic and antimony centered 18 km west of the Golden Mountain mine lease.

Mr. Carter states; "this set of stream sediment data has given us a new insight into the regional potential of the Strathbogie South project, and where we will focus our exploration activity over the coming 12 months. Tinka will concentrate its efforts on the broader Golden Mountain area, and the newly discovered western anomaly that requires immediate follow up."

The Company's Qualified Person, Mark Saxon, a member of the Australasian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy has reviewed and approved the contents of this press release.

On behalf of the Board,

**"Andrew Carter"**

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