



**ASX ANNOUNCEMENT
16 DECEMBER 2009**

**OPTION TO PURCHASE 74 ADDITIONAL MINING CLAIMS:
YELLOW PARROT, RED BULL, DAGGER, DRAGON WING, DAGON
WING, HERMIT AND SEAHAG**

- Substantial opportunity to extend and consolidate existing mining claims over an additional 1,467 acres.
- Option to purchase is subject to a 60 day due diligence period.

US-focussed uranium company White Canyon Uranium Limited (**ASX: WCU**) (“White Canyon” or “the Company”) is pleased to announce that it has entered into an option to purchase 74 additional mining claims as part of its plans to consolidate the Company’s holding at the Daneros mine and in the White Canyon district.

According to White Canyon Managing Director, Mr Peter Batten, “This option to purchase agreement gives the Company a significant opportunity to consolidate its holdings in the White Canyon district, and is strategically important as the Company can effectively secure control of the vast majority of the White Canyon district”.

The option to purchase is subject to a 60 day due diligence period commencing on 14 December 2009.

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About White Canyon Uranium:

White Canyon listed in March 2008 as an advanced uranium exploration company holding 100% interest in the advanced Thompson, Daneros, Lark Royal, Geitus, Blue Jay and Marcy Look Projects in south-east Utah, comprising of over 12,000 acres of mining claims and mineral leases. The projects contain historically defined high grade uranium deposits, however the deposits are not JORC compliant. White Canyon entered the ranks of uranium producers in December 2009 with first production from the Daneros mine.

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