

MACMILLAN GOLD CORP.

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MacMillan Gold Exploration Update

TORONTO, CANADA – May 15, 2007 – George A. Brown, President & CEO of MacMillan Gold Corp. (TSX-V “MMG”) is pleased to provide this Mexico exploration update. The Company is currently working on diamond drill hole number 7 of the 13 holes planned at the La Mus Gold and Silver Project in Sinaloa, Mexico. The following table provides a summary of the holes to date:

| <u>Hole #</u> | <u>Depth in Metres</u> | <u># Samples</u> | <u>Date Shipped</u> |
|---------------|------------------------|------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | 160.1 | 142 | March 26 |
| 2 | 181.0 | 144 | April 17 |
| 3 | 84.0 | 73 | April 25 |
| 4 | 157.2 | 126 | May 2 |
| 5 | 120.0 | 99 | May 11 |
| 6 | 175.65 | TBA | TBA |

Assay results from Hole #1 have been received and compiled. Several drill intercepts have reportable values as noted in the table below:

| | <u>From metre</u> | <u>To metre</u> | <u>Width</u> | <u>Estimated True Width</u> | <u>g Au/t</u> | <u>g Ag/t</u> | <u>Total g Ag Equivalent/t*</u> |
|-----------|-----------------------|---------------------|--------------|---------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------------------------|
| | 8.65 | 19.85 | 11.20 | 10.08 | 0.350 | 88.2 | 105.7 |
| including | 13.70 | 18.90 | 5.20 | 4.68 | 0.446 | 118.1 | 140.4 |
| | 38.70 | 39.00 | 0.30 | 0.27 | 0.730 | 17.8 | 54.3 |
| | 45.80 | 47.10 | 1.30 | 1.17 | 1.432 | 15.1 | 86.7 |
| | 50.55 | 51.90 | 1.35 | 1.22 | 0.896 | 18.9 | 63.7 |
| | 89.30 | 89.90 | 0.60 | 0.54 | 0.609 | 101.8 | 132.3 |

*Note - Total g Ag Equivalent/t is the sum of the silver g/t plus the gold converted to silver equivalent using an economic ratio of 50 to 1 based upon the approximate market values of gold to silver (i.e. Au US\$600 and Ag US\$12 = 50 to 1). Metallurgical recoveries and net smelter returns are assumed to be 100%. These Equivalents should not be interpreted as actual grades since the conversion ratio varies with the volatile prices of gold and silver and the economic recovery of gold and silver can vary significantly in actual extraction and processing.

The Company is encouraged by these early results, which indicate grades that are potentially economic (over 100 g Ag Equivalent/t) at shallow depth, which indicates potential for open pit extraction (starting at 8.65 metres from surface).

Drilling is being completed by Redrilsa Mexico S.A. de C.V. based in Zacatecas. Samples are split and logged by Company personnel at a secure location near the property. All samples are shipped to Inspectorate de Mexico S.A. de C.V. in Mexico for preparation and then forwarded to Inspectorate Precious Metals Inc. in Sparks, Nevada for assay. Blank and standard quality control/quality assurance samples are inserted into the sample stream. No appreciable assay discrepancies have been noted.

The Company intends to mobilize the drill to the El Zafiro gold property in the state of Sinaloa as soon as the current La Mus drill program is completed. Exploration programs are currently underway at the La Cucharas Gold Property and at the Realito Silver Property with the purpose of advancing both to the drill ready stage so that the Company can immediately initiate a drill program at one of these properties at the completion of the El Zafiro drill program. MacMillan Gold is adequately funded for the entire current 2007 exploration budget of \$2,000,000

Mr. William Hamilton, P.Geo. and Manager of Exploration is a Qualified Persons under the meaning of Canadian National Instrument 43-101 and is responsible for all technical information contained in this news release.

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