

## ***Atacama arranges 2.5 million unit private placement***

Atacama Minerals Corp

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Shares issued 52,222,725

Apr 18 2002 close \$.920

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News Release

Mr. Richard Clark reports

### **ATACAMA MINERALS CORP.: PRIVATE PLACEMENT**

Atacama Minerals Corp. has agreed to sell on a private-placement basis up to a total of 2.5 million units of the capital stock of the company at a price of 90 cents (Canadian) per unit for gross proceeds of \$2.25-million. Each unit shall comprise one common share and one-half of a share purchase warrant. Each whole warrant is exercisable into one common share for a period of one year at a price of \$1.10 per share. Net proceeds from the private placement will be used for general working capital purposes.