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## **Karmin Exploration Inc. Announces Appointment of Vice President Exploration and Stock Option Grant:**

### **23,600 Drilling Program Continues on Aripuana Zinc Project**

Toronto, Ontario, 14<sup>th</sup> October 2005. Karmin Exploration Inc. (TSX-V: KAR) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Tim Warman, P. Geo. as Vice President Exploration and Compliance for Karmin, subject to regulatory approval, and the grant of 100,000 stock options to him under Karmin's Stock Option Plan at an exercise price of \$0.30 per share.

The appointment of Mr. Warman follows the results of recent drilling on Karmin's 28.5% owned Aripuanã polymetallic project in Brazil, where project operators Votorantim Metais are carrying out a 23,600 m drilling program using four drill rigs. The main metal at Aripuana is zinc and the metal is currently at 8 years highs with today's price of US\$0.67 per pound.

Highlights of the drilling program to date were reported in the company's press release of September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2005 and include:

- FPAR 9 - 48.4 m with 13.2% zinc, 5.5% lead, 100 g/t silver
- FPAR 11 - 14.6 m with 18.5% zinc, 5.5% lead, 108 g/t silver

Mr. Warman will take an active role in reviewing the progress and results of the ongoing Aripuanã exploration program and will act as Karmin's Qualified Person under National Instrument 43-101.

Mr. Warman is a Professional Geologist with over 15 years experience in a wide variety of international projects. He has an extensive background in exploration for a range of deposit types including gold, base metals and diamonds. He has managed exploration projects in North America, Latin America, Europe, and Africa and is particularly skilled in the application of remote sensing and GIS technologies.

#### **About Karmin Exploration:**

Karmin Exploration is a mineral exploration company focused on exploration and development in Brazil. Karmin is publicly traded on the TSX-Venture Exchange under the symbol KAR. The company has 33,190,434 shares outstanding and 34,790,434 shares fully diluted.

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