



## Synodon Closes First Tranche of Private Placement

### For Immediate Release

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**Edmonton, Alberta – August 10, 2009** - Synodon Inc. (“Synodon”) [TSXV-SYD], a developer of advanced remote sensing technologies, announces that it has closed the first tranche of its non-brokered private placement for gross cash proceeds of \$176,240.00. The closing was comprised of 538,032 “Units” at \$0.45 per Unit, which included conversion of an existing option (a third party converted a previously held option in the amount of \$65,875 to convert to common shares for the issuance of 146,389 Units). The Units are comprised of one Class A common share and a half of a Class A common share purchase warrant (the “Warrants”). Each whole Warrant entitles the holder to purchase one Class A common share of the Corporation at a price of \$0.75 per share for a period of two years, expiring August 10, 2011.

The Warrants are subject to an acceleration right, such that if the closing price of the common shares is greater than \$1.05 on any day subsequent to August 10, 2009, Synodon may give notice to the holders of the Warrants that the expiry date for exercise has been accelerated and the Warrants will expire on the thirtieth business day following the date of such notice.

The common shares and Warrants issued pursuant to the private placement are subject to a four month statutory hold period which expires on December 11, 2009. The Corporation paid cash finder’s fees totaling \$17,120.00 in connection with the sale of the Units.

The proceeds will be used by Synodon for working capital and for debt repayment.

The Company intends to close an additional tranche of the current private placement in the fall of 2009.

**Synodon Inc.** ([www.synodon.com](http://www.synodon.com)) is an Edmonton based technology company which has developed and demonstrated an advanced airborne remote gas sensing system called *realSens*<sup>™</sup>, based on technologies developed under the Canadian Space Program and by Synodon scientists. The company will provide gas emissions monitoring and quantification services to a variety of industries, including hydrocarbon (oil and gas), environmental, agricultural and for a variety of gases including methane, ethane and ammonia. The initial focus is on the hydrocarbon industry and in particular the natural gas pipeline sector.

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