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Sunpark Energy Corp. announces plans to build Canada's first solar power station.

July 1, 2006 (Guelph, Ontario) – As the Province of Ontario faces potential energy shortages and concern about global warming increases, Sunpark Energy has unveiled its plans to build a solar park to convert sunlight into clean, non-polluting energy.

Solar parks are used extensively in Europe and Japan to generate electricity from the power of the sun, but they have never yet been implemented in Canada. The solar panels used in a solar park don't cause pollution or emit any greenhouse gases that can cause global warming, and are capable of producing electricity in a safe, environmentally friendly way for many decades.

“Canada receives more sunlight in a year than either Germany or Japan, and those countries install more solar power in a single month than Canada has installed in the last 15 years” states Richard Mash of Sunpark Energy. “There is increasing concern over the way power is produced in Canada, and questions are being raised over the sustainability of electricity generated by fossil fuels or nuclear power. We think the time is right to start implementing clean, safe technologies like solar power to help with the increasing demand for electricity and to reduce the impact on our fragile environment”.

This project is unique in that Sunpark are inviting all Canadians to “help create a better planet for future generations” by sponsoring the individual solar cells that make up the solar park.

“We think this project will capture the imagination of individuals who want to be able to contribute to renewable energy at a level they can afford” says Richard Mash. “A single solar cell costs just \$25, and will make a significant contribution to the project as a whole”.

About Sunpark Energy Corp.

Sunpark Energy was formed to build Canada's first solar park, in a unique project called “The Sunpark Challenge”. Details of The Sunpark Challenge can be found on the Internet at www.sunpark.ca

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