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NEWS RELEASE

**GOLD CANYON STARTS SUMMER PROGRAM
AT HORSESHOE ISLAND PROJECT**

Gold Canyon Resources Inc. (GCU: TSX-V) (“Gold Canyon” or “the Company”) is pleased to announce the start of the 2008 exploration field season at the Horseshoe Island property. Line-cutting and Mobile Metal Ion (MMI) soil geochemistry sampling are now under way.

MMI soil surveys, performed during 2007, covered an area that hosts a discrete layered gabbro within a broader alkalic intrusive body associated with the Horseshoe Island Gold Occurrence, as well as an area of the Swain Lake Deformation Zone (SLDZ) believed to host additional gold potential. Numerous and significant historic gold-in-rock assays were reported in the area of the surveys as announced on May 27, 2008.

The 2008 Summer Program will expand the MMI coverage on the property and follow-up any new zones with prospecting and channel sampling. This Program will continue to explore the Horseshoe Island property for gold and follow up on the historic occurrences. Gold Canyon’s exploration efforts in Canada are currently centred on the Red Lake Mining Camp in north-west Ontario. The Springpole - Horseshoe Island Project is 70 miles to the east, and the Favourable Lake and Bear Head Projects are 120 miles to the north of Red Lake.

Mr. Garry K. Smith, P. Geo., is the Company’s qualified person on the Horseshoe Island Project as defined by National Instrument 43-101. This news release has been reviewed by Mr. Smith.

About Gold Canyon Resources Inc.:

Gold Canyon is engaged in the acquisition and exploration of mineral and precious metals properties. The Company controls a 100% interest in the Springpole Gold – Horseshoe Island Gold, Platinum, Palladium Project and the Bear Head Uranium Project which is adjacent to their Favourable Lake polymetallic property currently under option to Shoreham Resources Inc. pursuant to an option and joint venture agreement entered into in December 2005.

Through its wholly owned U.S. subsidiary, Gold Canyon Resources USA Inc., the Company controls a 100% interest in the Cordero Gallium Project situated in Humboldt County, Nevada, U.S.A.

Additional information can be found on the Company’s website: www.goldcanyon.ca

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