



## **CGGVeritas Announces The Fonds Stratégique d'Investissement as Shareholder**

**PARIS, France – June 4<sup>th</sup> 2010** – CGGVeritas (ISIN: 0000120164 – NYSE: CGV) announced today that the Fonds Stratégique d'Investissement (FSI) declared it has acquired a shareholding stake of more than 5% of CGGVeritas following the purchase of shares on the open market.

CGGVeritas welcomes the entry into its capital structure of this long-term shareholder. The FSI will propose a member to the CGGVeritas board of directors.

Robert Brunck, Chairman and CEO, commented: *"The presence of the FSI in our share capital strengthens the long term shareholder base of the company. It is a strong sign of recognition and further support for our high-end technology strategy across our products and services and value creation for all our shareholders."*

### **About CGGVeritas**

CGGVeritas ([www.cggveritas.com](http://www.cggveritas.com)) is a leading international pure-play geophysical company delivering a wide range of technologies, services and equipment through Sercel, to its broad base of customers mainly throughout the global oil and gas industry. CGGVeritas is listed on the Euronext Paris SA (ISIN: 0000120164) and the New York Stock Exchange (in the form of American Depositary Shares, NYSE: CGV).

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