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## Press Release

### **Premier Tech Environnement collaborates on an important wastewater project in Yangxin County**

**Shanghai, November 6, 2008** – Premier Tech Environnement announces that it has signed a collaboration agreement of C\$250,000.00 with Wuhan Trust Communication Ltd for the construction of the Baota River Wastewater Treatment Plant in Yangxin County, which is located on the south bank of the Yangtze River. This BOT-type project (Build-Organize-Transfer) is a joint venture with HUANGSHI ECO International Waterservice Co. Ltd.

Premier Tech Environnement (PTE), a business unit of Premier Tech, develops custom processes for the biological treatment of municipal and industrial wastewater. PTE will supply its technology and advanced equipment to treat wastewater to a 150,000 population basin. The plant will start operating in 2009 and feature systems with a wastewater processing capacity of 50,000 tons a day.

This agreement with Wuhan Trust Communication Ltd adds to other wastewater treatment solutions that PTE has provided, namely for the Industrial Zone of Huizhou City, one of the most prestigious industrial zones of China.

Internationally renowned, PTE operates in the field of wastewater treatment for the residential, commercial, community, municipal and industrial sectors, including leachate treatment generated by the municipal and the industrial landfill operations.

#### **Corporate Profile**

For 85 years now, Premier Tech has been building its know-how and reputation on the various technology-oriented opportunities offered by sphagnum peat moss, an abundant natural resource in Canada. Its seven business units, gathered in three groups – **Horticulture and Agriculture, Industrial Equipment and Environmental Technologies** – have the mission to become technological and commercial leaders in their respective fields of expertise. Buoyed by a multidisciplinary team of over 1 600 people located in America, Europe and Asia, Premier Tech is building on the development of its personnel, on innovation, research and development, and on the introduction of value-added products. Its strategic approach is supported by ongoing worldwide market development efforts.

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