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**BAYTEX ENERGY CORP. TO PRESENT AT THE CIBC WHISTLER
INSTITUTIONAL INVESTOR CONFERENCE**

CALGARY, ALBERTA (January 18, 2011) – Baytex Energy Corp. (TSX, NYSE: BTE) is pleased to announce that Anthony Marino, President and Chief Executive Officer, will be presenting at the CIBC Whistler Institutional Investor Conference on Thursday, January 20, 2011 at 2:05pm PST (3:05pm MST) in Whistler, British Columbia. Presentation slides and a link to the webcast will be available on the Baytex website, www.baytex.ab.ca, at the start of the presentation. The archived webcast of the presentation can also be accessed via the following URL for 90 days following the presentation:

<http://webcasts.welcome2theshow.com/cibc201101>

The common shares of Baytex Energy Corp. are traded on the Toronto Stock Exchange and the New York Stock Exchange under the symbol BTE.

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