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For the month of June 2009

CGG-Veritas

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**Sercel Announces a Major Award
for its Unite Cable-free Acquisition System in Mexico**

PARIS, France June 24 2009

CGGVeritas (ISIN: 0000120164 NYSE: CGV) announced today that its subsidiary Sercel has been awarded a contract by Compania Mexicana de Exploraciones S.A de C.V. (Comesa) for the purchase of a Unite cable-free acquisition system that will be used to carry out multiple seismic projects for Pemex in southern Mexico.

As a result of multiple successful field tests carried out in 2008, Comesa plans to deploy the majority of the 8,000 channel spread in autonomous mode with data being stored in non-volatile memory in the field units. In addition data from a substantial number of units will be acquired via the Unite system's highly advanced proprietary WLAN technology to allow real-time signal analysis. The Unite system allows greater flexibility in difficult terrain, sensitive environments or urban zones thanks to the reduction of system weight and no requirement for cable deployment. Starting in 2002, Comesa has been upgrading its land acquisition crews with Sercel 408UL and 428XL equipment, and plans to further standardize its equipment with state of the art Sercel recording systems.

Sercel added the Unite cable-free system to its portfolio of industry leading seismic acquisition products in order to address the growing demands of the geophysical industry for large channel counts in difficult environments and total flexibility in layout and telemetry modes.

About CGGVeritas:

CGGVeritas (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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SIGNATURES

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, Compagnie Générale de Géophysique Veritas has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: June 25th, 2009

By /s/ Gerard CHAMBOVET
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