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Southern Copper to Conduct Conference Call of First Quarter 2010 Results

Phoenix, April 30, 2010 – Southern Copper Corporation (SCC) (NYSE and BVL: SCCO) will conduct its 1Q-2010 conference call with the financial community on **Monday, May 3, 2010**, at 11:00 a.m. EST (10:00 a.m. Mexico and Lima). A question and answer session for analysts and investors will follow.

On behalf of SCC will host:

- Mr. Genaro Guerrero, Chief Financial Officer
- Mr. Raúl Jacob, Manager – Financial Planning and Investor Relations

The Conference Call can be accessed at:

- . 866-371-3858 in the U.S.
- . 631-813-4732 outside the U.S.

Dial-in available beginning at 10:50 a.m. (EST). ***Investors should reference the conference ID 70003856 and “Southern Copper First Quarter 2010 Results” as the conference call name.***

The conference will be reproduced available beginning at 1:00 p.m. (EST) Monday, May 3, 2010 until 11:59 p.m. (EST) Monday, May 17, 2010.

(800) 642-1687 in the U.S., conference ID 70003856

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