## MAGNUS ENERGY GROUP LTD.

(Incorporated in Singapore) (Registration No. 198301375M)

### PARTICIPATION IN THE DRILLING PROGRAM IN PRL 173 & PRL 174 - UPDATE

Capitalised terms used herein shall have the definitions ascribed to them in the announcements dated 16 May 2013, 27 November 2014, 13 March 2015 and 24 July 2015 (the "Previous Announcements"), unless otherwise stated or the context otherwise requires.

## Introduction

The Board of Directors of Magnus Energy Group Ltd. (the "Company") refers to our Previous Announcements and wishes to provide updates on the drilling activities in PRL 173 and PRL 174 ("PRLs"), being oil and gas concessions held under Mid-Continent Equipment (Australia) Pty Ltd ("MEA"), a whollyowned subsidiary of Mid-Continent Equipment Group Pte Ltd. ("MEG"), which is a 55.89% subsidiary of the Company. MEA has a 20% participating interest in the PRLs.

Together with the counterpart who holds the 80% participating interest, MEA has committed to the drilling program for five wells, of which two wells namely Willow-1 and Jute-1 have been drilled. The two-well exploration drilling and testing campaign in PRL 173 and PRL 174 ("**Drilling Campaign**") began on 17 December 2015 with the spudding of first well, Willow-1, and second well, Jute-1, on 24 January 2016.

Willow-1 was drilled to a total depth of 3,402 metres with good gas shows observed across the sandstones and coals of the Toolachee, Epsilon and Patchawarra Formations from 3,007 to 3,333 metres. The preliminary interpretation of the wireline logs calculated a total of approximately 8 metres of net conventional pay consisting of 1.5 metres and 4.0 metres in the Toolachee and Epsilon Formations respectively and 2.5 metres in the Patchawarra Formation within a gross interval of 326 metres. Stacked reservoirs were identified, and in additional to the conventional pay, several zones with potential for unconventional pay were also observed.

Willow-1 has been cased and suspended and an Extended Production Test is currently planned for the June 2016 quarter in order to establish a stabilized flow rate.

The Company shall provide further updates on the Drilling Campaign when information is available on the above-mentioned test and the completion of Jute-1.

The Directors are pleased with the results of the Drilling Campaign and are of the view that the Participation is a necessary part of the geological and geophysical exploration of the PRLs.

Save for their interest in the Company, none of the Directors or controlling shareholders of the Company has any interest, direct or indirect, in neither the Participation nor the Drilling Campaign. In addition, none of the Directors or controlling shareholders of the Company has any interest, direct or indirect, with the parties acting in concert.

By Order of the Board MAGNUS ENERGY GROUP LTD.

Luke Ho Khee Yong Chief Executive Officer 22 February 2016

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# About Magnus Energy Group Ltd. (www.magnusenergy.com.sg) Listed since 04 August 1999

Incorporated in 1983, SGX Catalist Board-listed Magnus Energy Group Ltd. ("Magnus") is an investment holding company with a diversified portfolio comprising oil, coal and gas assets, oil and gas equipment distribution, renewable energy and natural resources trading, property and infrastructure development, and industrial waste water treatment.

Magnus aims to maximise shareholder value through strategic investments in profitable projects and acquisitions globally with the goal of broadening the Group's earnings base and shareholder value.

This announcement has been prepared by the Company and its contents have been reviewed by the Company's sponsor, Stamford Corporate Services Pte. Ltd. (the "Sponsor"), for compliance with the relevant rules of the Singapore Exchange Securities Trading Limited (the "SGX-ST"). The Sponsor has not independently verified the contents of this announcement.

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