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Solid Energy New Zealand Quarterly Report

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Dear Ministers

QUARTERLY REPORT TO 30 JUNE 2012

The public quarterly production report was published on the 18 July 2012. We continue to update and refine the content and format of the report in line with the reporting trends of our peer group (Australasian resource companies).

This letter is for shareholder use only and contains financial results and commercially sensitive information that is not for public release. The detailed financial results for the quarter have been loaded directly into the CFIS consolidation system as requested. The financial result is draft, unaudited and subject to final Board approval on 20 August

We have revised the format of this letter to align more closely with our monthly Shareholder report. This letter contains the following sections

- Group financial performance summary
- Key operational issues
- · Summary of year to date financial results and cashflows versus plan
- Underlying earnings adjustments
- Treasury summary
- Solid Energy Financial Outlook
- Market Outlook
- MOM milestones
- Draft profit announcement to be made public on 22nd August.

The asset impairments previously signalled have been detailed in the Underlying Earnings adjustments section. There are a number of specific issues noted on page 2 which the business is working through which should be noted by the Shareholding Ministers.

Please direct any queries in the first instance to Anthony Burg, Chief Financial Officer on 🚐

Yours sincerely,

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

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