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## Acquisition of additional prime water in Coffin Bay

Increases oyster production capacity by 50%

Angel Seafood Holdings Ltd (ASX: AS1) (the "Company" or "Angel") is pleased to announce it has entered into a lease contract with the option to purchase three and a half (3.5) hectares (Ha) of fully developed prime water located in the Longnose Zone of Coffin Bay, which includes 1Ha located in the extremely productive 'Sandspit' sub-zone. This new water increases Angel's produce capacity to 9-million "market ready" oysters per year – a 50% increase on current capacity.

Angel's water holdings in Coffin Bay now total 10.25Ha and the Company has the rights to over 70Ha of water across the Eyre Peninsula.

Angel will lease the water for the next three years from C & L Hank Nominees Pty Ltd and Chrisinda Pty Ltd (joint vendors) for an annual consideration of \$126,000 with the Option to purchase at the completion of the lease for a total consideration of \$1,920,000 (includes \$120,000 of plant and equipment). The Company will pay a \$288,000 deposit to secure the Option to purchase on completion of the lease. Angel will have access to the water immediately.

In addition to the lease and Option to purchase, Angel has also secured the purchase of 1.9 million oysters that are currently located on the 3.5Ha of water. These have been purchased for 25.3 cents per oyster, totalling \$480,000 – \$230,000 payable on signing and a further \$250,000 payable on or before 31 July 2019. These oysters, and the lease/deposit payment, will be funded out of cashflow and the existing NAB facility.

Given the tight supply of spat and on-grown oysters this stock will have a major benefit to the Company, ensuring Angel's water leases remain full. It is expected that much of this stock will be sold this financial year.

## Angel's CEO and founder, Zac Halman, commented:

"Angel has previously announced that it had enough water in Coffin Bay to build operations that are operating cash flow positive. This additional water now means Angel can further expand its finishing capability in the pristine waters of Coffin Bay and leverage the scale we are building in the business. With our leases in Cowell and Coffin Bay now full, we look forward to further expanding our sales over the coming 18 months."

## **Further Information**

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