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New Zealand Update.

Rawson Resources Limited (ASX 'RAW') is pleased to advise that it has been advised by the Ministry of Economic Development in New Zealand that its application for PEP 52589 has been successful and the Permit has been awarded to Rawson Taranaki Limited (50% and operator) and Zeanco Pty. Limited (50%).

Rawson Chairman Dr. John Conolly said "This is a significant acreage award with large upside potential as evidenced by the results in the offshore Galleon well adjacent to PEP 52589 which flowed 10.6 million cubic feet of gas and 2240 barrels of oil on test."

A map showing the location of the permit is attached below.

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Background: Rawson Resources Ltd is primarily an oil and gas exploration company in Australia with permits in the Otway, Surat, Cooper and Pedirka Basins and also interests in the Taranaki and Northland Basins in New Zealand.

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