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US\$300 Million Credit Facility with Wells Fargo

Sundance Energy Australia Limited (ASX: SEA, Sundance) is pleased to announce that on 31 December 2012 in the US it closed a new US\$300,000,000 senior credit facility with Wells Fargo with a five year term. The initial borrowing base amount, based on an evaluation of Sundance's proved reserves as of 30 September 2012, is US\$30,000,000, of which US\$15,000,000 was used to repay and retire its outstanding loan with Bank of Oklahoma.

Interest rate margins and commitment fees are set forth in the table below:

Level	Utilization	Interest Margin for LIBOR Rate Loans	Interest Margin for Base Rate Loans	Commitment Fee Rate
I	< 25.0%	1.75%	0.75%	0.375%
II	≥ 25.0% but < 50.0%	2.00%	1.00%	0.375%
III	≥ 50.0% but < 75.0%	2.25%	1.25%	0.50%
IV	≥ 75.0% but < 90.0%	2.50%	1.50%	0.50%
V	≥ 90.0%	2.75%	1.75%	0.50%

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About Sundance Energy Australia Limited

Sundance Energy Australia Limited (ASX: SEA) is an Adelaide-based, independent energy exploration company, with a wholly owned US subsidiary, Sundance Energy Inc., located in Denver, Colorado, USA.

The Company is focused on the acquisition and development of large, repeatable oil and natural gas resource plays in North America. Current activities are focused in the Williston, Denver-Julesburg and Anadarko Basins.

A comprehensive overview of the Company can be found on Sundance's website at www.sundanceenergy.com.au.