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## Invitation to Tender Issued For Anning & Somerville Production Platforms

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### Highlights:

- **Four pre-qualified, major suppliers have been given the opportunity to bid for the platforms Engineering, Procurement, Installation and Commissioning contract.**
  - **The platforms are a significant part of the field development, which consists of two unmanned platforms with gas transportation via pipeline and a subsea tie-in to the offtake route.**
  - **The Invitation to Tender for the Anning and Somerville platforms was issued to suppliers on 22/06/2023.**
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Hartshead Resources NL (**Hartshead, HHR** or the **Company**) is pleased to announce the issuance of the Invitation to Tender (ITT) for the Anning and Somerville Southern North Sea gas field production platforms. The ITT has gone out to four major, reputable fabricators with proven track records that pre-qualified through the HHR procurement process and marks a significant step forward in the journey towards first gas from the Company's UK Southern Gas Basin assets.

The platforms will play a pivotal role in establishing Hartshead as a gas production company, enabling the Company to tap into the established natural gas reserves in the license area and support the UK on its journey towards Net Zero.

The ITT package, containing comprehensive information about the project requirements, technical specifications, bidding procedures and evaluation criteria, requests proposals from the suppliers to provide an Engineering, Procurement, Installation and Commissioning (EPIC) service for the two platforms. The ITT process is expected to take several months prior to award of the contract, when the detailed engineering design of the platforms can begin.

Chris Lewis, CEO, commented: "I am thrilled to announce the issuance of the Invitation to Tender for the Anning and Somerville Southern North Sea gas field production platforms. This is a significant advancement for Hartshead in progressing towards field development. We have carefully selected four reputable fabricators with proven track records to participate in the ITT process and we look forward to a rigorous evaluation process over the coming months, leading to the selection of a partner who will provide the EPIC service for the platforms."

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The Board of Directors of Hartshead Resources NL authorised this announcement to be given to ASX.

For further information on this announcement, visit [www.hartshead-resources.com.au](http://www.hartshead-resources.com.au) or contact:

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**Notes to Editors:**

**Hartshead Resources NL**

ASX-listed Hartshead Resources NL is focussed on building a financially, technically and environmentally responsible European Energy business.

Hartshead's goal is to secure and invest in projects where resources can be extracted and delivered to meet Europe's growing energy demand while supporting the transition to a low carbon future.

In progressing this strategy Hartshead is focused on the development of Production Seaward License P2607 (60% owned Rockrose Energy/40% Hartshead) comprising of five blocks which contain four existing gas fields in the UK Southern Gas Basin.

Hartshead brings together a highly experienced oil and gas team with specialised knowledge covering subsurface, engineering, commercial, QHSE and capital markets with the required skillsets needed to deliver oil and gas upstream projects successfully and safely.

**UK Southern North Sea Production Seaward License P2607 – Reserves, Contingent and Prospective Resources**

Please refer to the qualified person's statement relating to the reporting of reserves on Hartshead Resources Southern North Sea License P2607 in Hartshead's ASX announcements dated 23 June 2022. The volumetric estimates used to derive

the estimates below have been made by combining probabilistically derived estimates of initial in place gas volumes with assumptions regarding the gas recovery factors from analogous fields, such as the Clipper South and Babbage gas fields located in the UK Southern Gas Basin.

Please refer to the qualified person's statement relating to the reporting of contingent and prospective resources on Hartshead Resources Southern North Sea License P2607 (60% owned Rockrose Energy/40% Hartshead) in Hartshead's ASX announcements dated 6 April 2022 and 8 March 2022.

The Company is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information about the contingent resource or prospective resource estimates included in this announcement and all the material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning those estimates in this announcement continue to apply and have not materially changed.

RESERVES <sup>1</sup>						
PHASE I	49/17b	Anning	1P		2P	3P
			Sales Gas (Bcf)	73	145.0	245
		Condensate (MMbbl)	0.081	0.192	0.375	
	49/17b	Somerville	Sales Gas (Bcf)	107.0	156.5	213
			Condensate (MMbbl)	0.119	0.208	0.325
			Total (MMboe)	31.2	52.4	79.7
CONTINGENT RESOURCES <sup>2</sup> (BCF)			1C	2C	3C	GCoS
PHASE II	49/6c, 49/11c	Lovelace	14	39	70	100%
	48/15c	Hodgkin	35	100	387	100%
PROSPECTIVE RESOURCES (BCF)			1U	2U	3U	GCoS
PHASE III EXPLORATION	49/17b	Garrod	16	52	125	50%
	49/17b	Ayrton	25	74	146	41%
	49/17b	McLaren	18	27	39	54%
	49/17b	Stephenson	36	47	60	43%
	49/17b	Widdowson East	6	29	79	32%
	49/17b	Widdowson Central	11	21	40	50%
	49/17b	Lonsdale	5	16	31	50%

<sup>1</sup> Reserves estimates are from ERC Equipoise Limited, Independent Competent Persons Report (CPR) entitled "Hartshead Resources NL Somerville and Anning Competent Persons Report" dated June 2022. See Qualified Persons Statement for reserves reporting notes.

<sup>2</sup> Hartshead management estimates

49/17b	<b>Anderson</b>	5	<b>12</b>	29	45%
49/12d	<b>Wenlock Prospect 1</b>	4	<b>19</b>	55	36%
49/12d	<b>Wenlock Prospect 2</b>	1	<b>5</b>	19	36%
49/11c	<b>Wenlock Prospect 3</b>	1	<b>5</b>	17	36%
49/11c	<b>FFs Prospect 1</b>	3	<b>11</b>	26	41%
49/11c	<b>FFs Prospect 2</b>	8	<b>19</b>	37	35%
49/11c	<b>FFs Prospect 3</b>	4	<b>9</b>	17	34%

Prospective resources are estimated quantities of petroleum that may potentially be recovered by the application of a future development project(s) and relate to undiscovered accumulations. These prospective resources estimates have both an associated risk of discovery and a risk of development. Further exploration appraisal and evaluation is required to determine the existence of a significant quantity of potentially moveable hydrocarbons.

#### Forward Looking Statements

This document has been prepared by Hartshead Resources NL (HHR). This document contains certain statements which may constitute "forward-looking statements". It is believed that the expectations reflected in these statements are reasonable but they may be affected by a variety of variables and changes in underlying assumptions which could cause actual results or trends to differ materially, including, but not limited to: price fluctuations, actual demand, currency fluctuations, drilling and production results, reserve and resource estimates, loss of market, industry competition, environmental risks, physical risks, legislative, fiscal and regulatory developments, economic and financial market conditions in various countries and regions, political risks, project delays or advancements, approvals and cost estimates.

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### Qualified Person's Statement

The Reserves estimated in this announcement have been made by Dr Adam Law, Director, ERC Equipoise (ERCE), a post-graduate in Geology, a Fellow of the Geological Society and a member of the Society of Petroleum Evaluation Engineers. Dr Adam Law is qualified in accordance with ASX listing rule 5.41 and has consented to the use of Reserves estimates, and to the form and context in which these statements appear.

ERC Equipoise Ltd. (**ERCE**) is a leading, employee owned, global energy consultancy headquartered in London with offices in Singapore, Kuala Lumpur and Perth. It's fully integrated team of Geoscientists, Engineers and Economists are specialists in Competent Persons reporting, reserves and resources auditing, technical services, commercial analysis and Expert advisory services. ERCE supports companies in traditional energy sectors as well as providing energy transition and sustainability services.

The Reserves estimates presented in this report were originally disclosed to the market in announcement released on 23 June 2022 and are based on, and fairly represents, information and supporting documentation prepared by Dr Adam Law of ERCE.

The information in this announcement that relates to Reserves estimates is based on information compiled or reviewed by Mr Christopher Lewis. Mr Lewis has consented to the form and context in which the estimated Reserves and the supporting material are presented.

Hartshead has prepared the Contingent Resource and Prospective Resource information in this announcement in accordance with the ASX Listing Rules and the 2018 Petroleum Resources Management System published by the Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE-PRMS). The Contingent Resource estimates and Prospective Resource estimates presented in this report were originally disclosed to the market in announcement released on 14 December 2020 and updated 8 March 2022 and 6 April 2022. Hartshead confirms that it is not aware of any new information or data that materially affects the information included in the aforesaid market announcements and that all the material assumptions and technical parameters underpinning the estimates in the aforesaid market announcement continue to apply and have not materially changed. The information in this announcement that relates to Contingent Resource information in relation to the Phase II Hodgkin and Lovelace fields and the Prospective Resource information in relation to the Phase III exploration portfolio is based on information compiled by Mr Christopher Lewis and information compiled by technical consultants contracted to Hartshead which has been subsequently reviewed by Mr Christopher Lewis. Mr Lewis has consented to the inclusion of such information in this announcement in the form and context in which it appears and the resources information in this report is based on, and fairly represents, information and supporting documentation reviewed by, or prepared under the supervision of, Mr Christopher Lewis.

Mr Lewis is a Director of Hartshead and holds a BSc from the Imperial College, University of London and is a member of The American Association of Petroleum Geologists (AAPG) and the European Association of Geoscientists and Engineers (**EAGE**). Mr Lewis is qualified in accordance with the requirements in ASX Listing Rule 5.41.