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CENTAURUS ENERGY INC. (FORMERLY MADALENA ENERGY INC.) ANNOUNCES "IP30" PRODUCTION TESTS OF HORIZONTAL MULTI-FRAC WELLS CASE 301(h) AT COIRON AMARGO SUR ESTE IN VACA MUERTA FORMATION

Buenos Aires, Argentina, April 23, 2020 - Centaurus Energy Inc. ("Centaurus" or the "Company") (TSXV: CTA, OTCQX: CTARF) is pleased to announce that Pan American Energy ("PAE"), Centaurus' partner, successfully tested the CASE-301(h) horizontal multi-frac well in the Vaca Muerta Shale Formation at the Coiron Amargo Sur Este ("CASE") block in Argentina.

CASE- 301(h), the fourth of the five well program, was completed and connected to early production facilities on February 3, 2020 and achieved a 30-day average initial production ("IP30") rate of 890 barrels of oil per day with an average wellhead pressure of 4,195 psi.

A new CASE-102(h) well was drilled in place of the CASE-201(h) well which was temporarily abandoned due to technical drilling problems, as previously announced. The new well is currently awaiting completion.

The CASE-301h, CASE-201(h) and CASE-102(h) wells are part of the Pilot Program covered by the Loan Facility that Centaurus has with PAE which will be repaid with the net production proceeds from 100% of Centaurus's interest in the CASE block. Centaurus holds a 35% working interest in the CASE block.

About Centaurus Energy

Centaurus is an independent upstream oil and gas company with both conventional and unconventional oil and gas operations in Argentina. The Company's shares trade on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol CTA and on the OTCQX under the symbol CTARF.

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Well Test Results

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