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> **CIRCULAR** December 1st, 2005

FINAL CONTRACT ADJUSTMENT Update on the deliverable Precision Drilling (PD) Plan of arrangement

Following the plan of arrangement of Precision Drilling Corporation (PD), the deliverable of the PDQ options were adjusted on November 7, 2005 as follows: 100 Precision Drilling Trust Units, 20 Weatherford International Ltd. (WFT) common shares, U.S. \$58.56 as the cash amount representing the fractional WFT share (0.89 shares), and Cdn \$683.00 as a Special Cash Payment

Due to a 2 for 1 stock split in respect of WFT, the PDQ options will be further adjusted as follows: 100 Precision Drilling Trust Units, 40 Weatherford International Ltd. (WFT) common shares, U.S. \$58.56 as the cash amount representing the fractional WFT share (0.89 shares), and Cdn \$683.00 as a Special Cash Payment.

CDCC - adjustment details:

Pursuant to Terms of Adjustment provided in Section A-902 of the Rules of CDCC, all PDQ options will be adjusted as follows:

<u>EFFECTIVE DATE:</u> December 1, 2005
<u>OPTION SYMBOL:</u> PDQ
<u>NUMBER OF CONTRACTS:</u> No change
<u>MULTIPLIER:</u> 100

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NEW DELIVERABLE PER CONTRACT:

- 1- 100 Precision Drilling Trust Units
- 2- <u>40 Weatherford International Ltd. (WFT) Common shares.</u>
- 3- U.S. \$58.56 as the cash amount representing the fractional WFT share offered against Precision drilling shares (i.e. 0.89 WFT shares before the WFT stock split)*
- 4- Cdn \$683.00 as Special Cash Payment*

*Cash portion of the deliverable remains permanently fixed as part of the option deliverable, and does not vary with price changes of securities also included in the deliverable.

POSITION AND EXERCISE <u>LIMITS:</u> Position and Exercise Limits will remain unchanged at 75,000 contracts

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