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MEC Resources Limited (ASX:MMR) is pleased to advise of the following developments in investee Advent Energy Ltd's ("**Advent**") assets in the onshore Bonaparte Basin.

Retention Licence 1 (RL1) in the onshore Bonaparte Basin has successfully been renewed for a further five year term.

As previously announced, RL1 comprises the Weaber Gas Field which has been independently assessed to contain a mean¹ 18.4 Bcf Contingent Resource*.

1C	2C	3C	Mean
0.33	13.9	54.1	21.9
0.25	11.5	45.8	18.4
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¹ The mean is the average of the probabilistic resource distribution

* Contingent Resources, as defined under the Society of Petroleum Engineers Petroleum Resource Management System (SPE PRMS) guidelines.

In addition, RL1 and the nearby EP386 have been assessed to comprise considerable unconventional (shale gas) resources, estimated at 9.8 Tcf prospective recoverable resources (P50).

Advent's major shareholders remain MEC Resources (ASX: MMR), BPH Energy (ASX: BPH), Talbot Group and Grandbridge (ASX: GBA).

Yours sincerely,

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About Advent Energy

Advent Energy Ltd is an unlisted oil and gas exploration company held by major shareholders MEC Resources (ASX: MMR), BPH Energy (ASX: BPH), Grandbridge (ASX: GBA) and Talbot Group Investments. Advent holds a strong portfolio of near term development and exploration assets spanning highly prospective acreage onshore and offshore Australia in proven petroleum basins. Advent Energy's asset base also incorporates both conventional and unconventional petroleum targets.

Notes: In accordance with ASX listing requirements, the geological information supplied in this report has been based on information provided by geologists who have had in excess of five years experience in their field of activity.

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