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UPDATE – TRUTCH, B.C.

Pacific Roder Energy Inc. (the “Company”) is pleased to announce that an agreement has been signed to facilitate the initial tie in of approximately 830 barrels of oil equivalent per day (66 BOE net) of behind-pipe natural gas production from the Company’s Trutch property, located in NE British Columbia. Pipeline and facility construction is expected to commence in the first quarter of 2006 and production to commence the following quarter. The addition of infrastructure access to the Trutch property will significantly expand the joint venture’s development drilling inventory on its 33 sections of contiguous land block.

On behalf of the Directors of
Pacific Roder Energy Inc.

“David J.L. Williams”

David J.L. Williams
President

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