

## SHAMARAN CORPORATE UPDATE

**July 1, 2020 - ShaMaran Petroleum Corp.** ("ShaMaran" or the "Company") (SNM - TSXV, Nasdaq First North Growth Market) provides the following update to stakeholders in connection with the Company's news release dated June 25, 2020 regarding the Proposal that was submitted to the Bondholders relating to the Company's 12% senior unsecured bonds due 2023 (ISIN: NO 001082645.6).

ShaMaran is pleased to announce that the Proposal has been approved by the affirmative vote of more than 66 2/3% of the Bondholders regarding the Company's breach of financial covenant and liquidity shortfall previously announced which will now enable the Company to re-focus its efforts on its business.

Dr. Adel Chaouch, President and Chief Executive Officer of ShaMaran commented: "We are pleased that the requisite affirmative vote of the Bondholders has been achieved and that the terms of the Proposal are now being implemented and will address ShaMaran's financial covenant breach and the liquidity shortfall to give ShaMaran the time and flexibility needed to strengthen the financial position of the Company."

### OTHER

This information is information that ShaMaran Petroleum Corp. is obliged to make public pursuant to the EU Market Abuse Regulation. The information was submitted for publication, through the agency of the contact persons set out below, at 1:15 p.m. Eastern Time on July 1, 2020. Pareto Securities AB is the Company's Certified Advisor on Nasdaq First North Growth Market, +46 84 02 5000, [certifiedadviser.se@paretosec.com](mailto:certifiedadviser.se@paretosec.com).

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## **ABOUT SHAMARAN**

ShaMaran Petroleum Corp. is a Kurdistan focused oil development and exploration company which holds a 27.6% working interest in the Atrush Block through its wholly-owned subsidiary, General Exploration Partners, Inc.

ShaMaran is a Canadian oil and gas company listed on the TSX Venture Exchange and the Nasdaq First North Growth Market (Stockholm) under the symbol "SNM".

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