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Date: July 12, 2022

Subject: Whiting Petroleum Corporation – Cash In Lieu Settlement
Adjusted Option Symbol: CHRD2

Whiting Petroleum Corporation options were adjusted on July 1, 2022 (See OCC Information Memo #50678). The new deliverable became 1) 57 Chord Energy Corporation (formerly Oasis Petroleum Inc.) (CHRD) Common Shares, 2) Cash in lieu of 0.74 fractional CHRD Share, and 3) \$625.00 Cash. Only settlement of the cash portion of CHRD2 options exercise/assignment activity was subject to delayed settlement.

OCC has been informed that a price of \$107.40 per whole CHRD share will be used to determine the cash in lieu amount. Accordingly, the cash in lieu amount is:

$$0.74 \times \$107.40 = \$79.48 \text{ per CHRD2 Contract}$$

Now that the exact cash in lieu amount has been determined, OCC will require Put exercisers and Call assignees, during the period of July 1, 2022 through July 12, 2022, to deliver the appropriate cash amount.

The cash in lieu of fractional share portion of the option deliverable remains fixed and does not vary with price changes of any security.

Terms of the CHRD2 options are as follows:

New Deliverable

Per Contract: 1) 57 Chord Energy Corporation (CHRD) Common Shares
2) \$704.48 Cash (\$625.00 + \$79.48)

Strike Prices: Unchanged

CUSIP: CHRD: 674215207

Multiplier: 100 (i.e., a premium of 1.50 yields \$150)

Settlement

The CHRD component of CHRD2 exercise/assignment activity from July 1, 2022 through July 11, 2022 has settled through National Security Clearing Corporation (NSCC). The \$704.48 cash amount will be settled by OCC.

Pricing

The underlying price for CHRD2 will be determined as follows:

$$\text{CHRD2} = 0.57 (\text{CHRD}) + 7.0448$$

For example, if CHRD closes at 110.26, the CHRD2 price would be calculated as follows:

$$\text{CHRD2} = 0.57 (110.26) + 7.0448 = 69.89$$

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