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## JW Powell Well Fracking Operations Complete and Flow Back Underway

Fremont Petroleum Corporation Ltd (ASX: FPL) ("Fremont" or "the Company") is pleased to advise that fracking and completion operations have been successfully performed on the JW Powell #23-25 well located in the 100%-owned 21,500-acre Pathfinder Field, Colorado (See Figure 1).

Flow back of frack fluids has now commenced and the Company will update shareholders when the flow back has concluded, likely within the next 14 days.

The JW Powell #23-25 well was successfully drilled to a total vertical depth of 6,072 feet (1,851 metres) and is targeting production from a multi-stage fracture stimulation in the B and C Benches of the Niobrara Formation.

Managing Director & CEO of Fremont Timothy B. Hart said: "We are very pleased that fracking operations were performed safely and exactly to plan. The logs look excellent and we are now working diligently on the flow back operations and bringing this well into production."



Figure 1: Fracking and completion operations underway

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## **ABOUT FREMONT PETROLEUM CORPORATION LTD:**

Australian Securities Exchange listed Fremont Petroleum Corporation Limited (ASX: FPL) is an Oil & Gas production and development company founded in 2006 and headquartered in Florence Colorado USA with a corporate office in Sydney, Australia. Fremont has operations in Colorado and Kentucky. The primary focus is the development of the second oldest oilfield in Fremont County, USA. The ~21,500-acre Pathfinder Field was discovered in 1881. Standard Oil & Continental Oil (Conoco) were producers. With new technology, the Pathfinder Field is one of the USA's most economic fields and much larger and more prolific than first understood. Production averages 100 barrels of oil today, and with over 500 drilling locations, Fremont has the capacity to deliver significant production growth. Pathfinder's gas is currently flared and awaiting a gathering system and pipeline so the gas resource can be monetized. A 2018 Independent Reserves & Resources report states that the Pathfinder Field has a P90 (90% Probability) contingent resource of 54 million barrels of oil and 540 billion cubic feet (BCF) of gas.

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