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# **Amerigo Vespucci Drill Program On Track**

Fremont Petroleum Corporation Ltd (ASX: FPL) ("Fremont" or "the Company") is pleased to provide this update on drilling operations at the Amerigo Vespucci #1 well.

The intermediate section of casing has now been cemented in and ~4,800 feet (~1.4km) of drill string is being tripped back into the wellbore so drilling of the remaining ~1,200 feet of the well's production section, down to target depth of ~6,000 feet, can be completed. A video of operations at site can be viewed on the Company's website www.FremontPetroleum.com

The Company expects to reach target depth within the next 12 days at which time well logging, including coring, is planned. A comprehensive logging program is expected to take five days to complete and has been designed to identify the most prolific sections in the well for hydraulic stimulation and ultimately, oil and gas production.

Fremont will again collaborate with Schlumberger on the completion process of Vespucci #1 well, including hydraulic stimulation.

**Fremont's Managing Director Tim Hart said:** "Operations at Amerigo Vespucci are on-track and our team is executing to plan. Vespucci is an exciting and big target for Fremont which again primarily targets the prolific and very valuable Niobrara Shale Formation. We will report meaningful hydrocarbon shows as drilling progresses."

The next update will be provided when drilling of the remaining 1,200 feet is sufficiently advanced.



Figure 1: Amerigo Vespucci #1 Well - drilling operations



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