

## CASPIAN ANNOUNCES REVOCATION OF CEASE TRADE ORDER

Calgary, Alberta – November 20, 2013 – Caspian Energy Inc. (“Caspian”) (NEX CEK.H) is pleased to announce that the Alberta Securities Commission (the “ASC”) has granted a full revocation of the cease trade order relating to the trading of Caspian’s securities issued by the ASC on April 8, 2013. Caspian’s securities were cease traded by each of the ASC, the British Columbia Securities Commission (“BCSC”) and the Ontario Securities Commission (“OSC”) between April 8 and April 12, 2013 as a result of the Caspian’s failure to file its December 31, 2012 audited consolidated financial statements and related management discussion and analysis. The BCSC revoked its cease trade order on April 29, 2013 and the OSC cease trade order expired on April 27, 2013 after these documents were filed. On September 26, 2013, Caspian filed amended management discussion and analysis for the year ended December 31, 2012, an amended Annual Information Form and amended management discussion and analysis for the quarters ended March 31, 2013 and June 30, 2013. On November 20, 2013, the ASC revoked its cease trade order.

Caspian’s common shares are listed on NEX but the listing is currently suspended which means that its shares are not trading on NEX. Caspian is working diligently to have the listing suspension removed.

### **About Caspian**

Caspian is an oil and gas exploration company operating in Kazakhstan where it has a number of targets in the highly prospective Aktobe Oblast of Western Kazakhstan. Caspian holds these assets by virtue of its 40% equity stake in Aral Petroleum Capital LLP (which as noted in Caspian’s material change report of June 24, 2013 will be reduced to 33.5% upon satisfaction or waiver of all conditions precedent in a purchase and sale agreement). Aral Petroleum Capital LLP holds an exclusive license, which entitles it to explore and develop certain oil and gas properties known as a “North Block”, an area of 1500 sq.km. as well as a 25-year production contract for the East Zhagabulak field. The Company’s license area lies immediately adjacent to the various producing fields, including the Alibekmola, Zhanazhol, and Kenkiyak fields.

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### **Forward Looking Information**

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