

**Saha Petroleum Enters
Letter Agreement to Acquire 35 bbls/d of Heavy Oil Production**

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Calgary, Alberta – ("Saha" or the "Corporation") (TSXV: SPZ) reports that it has entered into a non-binding letter agreement for the arm's length acquisition of all the issued and outstanding shares of a privately held oil and gas company with heavy oil production of approximately 35 bbls/d on assets located adjacent to Saha's Maidstone interests located near Lloydminster, Saskatchewan.

The purchase price for the all of the shares of the private company is subject to negotiation between the parties, but is anticipated to be comprised of 50% equity and 50% cash. The proposed acquisition is subject to reasonable conditions that are normally made in connection with such transactions, including the negotiation of the final purchase price, entering into a formal share purchase agreement, completion of due diligence, the approval of the respective Board of Directors and applicable regulatory approvals. Subject to the foregoing, closing of the acquisition is anticipated to occur on or about October 1, 2008.

Saha also reports that further to its previous press releases, the two wells proposed to be spudded in the Maidstone area of western Saskatchewan during the month of July 2008, have been unexpectedly delayed pending resolution of Saha's down-spacing application with Saskatchewan Industry and Resources. Such approval is anticipated to be received in October 2008. At that time Saha will re-access its available drilling opportunities and will determine if these down-spacing wells should be drilled first.

About Saha Petroleum Ltd.

Saha is a junior oil & gas company with heavy oil production from exploration and production assets located in the province of Saskatchewan.

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