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Serica Energy announces start of Togar-1A well in Indonesia

Toronto, October 12 - Serica Energy plc (TSX Venture: SQZ) announced today that it has started drilling the Togar-1A well offshore North Sumatra, the second well in a two-well program.

The semi-submersible drilling rig Galaxy Driller is drilling Togar-1A in the Asahan Offshore Production Sharing Contract (PSC). Serica is operator and, following completion of the well, will hold a 55% interest in the PSC, which is located approximately 45 kms north of Medan, Indonesia's third largest city.

Togar-1A will be drilled to a total depth (TD) of approximately 6,500 ft.

About Serica Energy plc

Serica Energy plc is an international oil & gas exploration and production company with primary activities in Indonesia, the UK North Sea and Spain. It currently has offices in Singapore, Jakarta and the United Kingdom. For more information please visit the Company website www.serica-energy.com

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