

PRIMROSE UPDATE October 21, 2013

Canadian Natural Resources Limited would like to provide an update to the incident at the Primrose development area in which bitumen emulsion was discovered at surface at four locations.

Our efforts to date have focused on ensuring each surface location is secured, and that recovery and reclamation activities progress. On August 15 we began applying for approvals to advance our investigation and requested an Enforcement Order. On October 21, 2013 we received the Order that will allow us to continue mitigation and investigation activities.

We will comply with all aspects of the Order and we look forward to the opportunity to further our investigation in a timely manner. Canadian Natural will continue to make available any necessary resources for investigation, clean-up and towards putting safeguards in place to ensure events such as these do not happen again.

We appreciate the ongoing support from the Alberta Energy Regulator and Alberta Environment and Sustainable Resources Development as we continue to manage these events. We will continue to provide regular updates on the progress of this work at www.CNRL.com.