

QUEBEC CITY, QUEBEC--(Marketwired - Jan 25, 2016) - Pétrolia (TSX VENTURE:PEA) is pleased to announce that it is the third ranked oil and gas company in Canada in the 2016 TSX Venture 50®, a ranking of strong performers that have shown results in key measures of market performance.

*"We are pleased that our company has been selected," commented Pétrolia CEO Alexandre Gagnon. "This inclusion reflects the work accomplished on Haldimand 4 in 2015, the progress made on Bourque and the quality of our role as an operator of several projects, in particular on the Anticosti island. We can proudly say that 2015 has been the busiest year of our history. Given the current situation in the global oil and gas market, our company has performed comparatively well."*

The 2016 TSX Venture 50 ranking is composed of 10 companies from five industry sectors selected based on three equally weighted criteria: market capitalization growth, share price appreciation, trading volume and analyst coverage.

#### About Pétrolia

*Pétrolia is a junior oil and gas exploration company which owns interests in oil and gas licenses covering 16,000 km<sup>2</sup> (4 million acres), which represents almost 23% of the Québec territory under lease. The closing of a partnership on Anticosti Island has led to the creation of Anticosti Hydrocarbons L.P., a limited partnership in which Pétrolia holds a 21.7% interest. In order to carry out the project's operations, Pétrolia Anticosti Inc., a subsidiary of Pétrolia, was designated project operator. Pétrolia is a Quebec company whose objective is to develop oil from here, by the people here, for here. Pétrolia has 80 345 195 shares issued and outstanding.*

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