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## Suncor Energy acquires additional interest in Syncrude and interest in Norway's Fenja field

**Calgary, Alberta (Feb. 12, 2018)** – Suncor today announced it has reached an agreement to acquire Mocal Energy's 5% interest in the Syncrude joint venture for US\$730 million, or approximately Cdn\$920 million, subject to closing adjustments. The transaction will be effective as of Jan. 1, 2018 and is anticipated to close in the first quarter of 2018.

"This transaction reflects our confidence in the long-term future of the oil sands and the high quality and value of the Syncrude asset, adding 17,500 barrels per day of high quality light sweet synthetic crude capacity to our portfolio," said Steve Williams, president and chief executive officer. "We will continue to work closely with our joint venture partners and the operator, Syncrude, to accelerate performance improvements and seek regional synergy opportunities."

Through this transaction Suncor's share in the Syncrude joint venture will increase from 53.74% to 58.74%. Subsequent to the successful close of this transaction, the joint venture partners will be Suncor (58.74%), Imperial Oil Resources (25%), Sinopec Oil Sands Partnership (9.03%) and Nexen Oil Sands Partnership (7.23%).

Suncor also announced today an acquisition by its wholly owned subsidiary, Suncor Energy Norge AS, of a 17.5% participating interest in the Fenja Development from Faroe Petroleum for US\$54.5 million or approximately Cdn\$68 million, subject to closing adjustments. The transaction is effective Jan. 1, 2018 and is expected to close in the second quarter of 2018.

The transaction is a strategic fit within the Suncor offshore portfolio adding a de-risked project that is expected to provide profitable growth in an area where Suncor has existing knowledge, expertise and assets.

The Fenja field was discovered in 2014, in the Norwegian Sea, approximately 30 kilometres southwest of the Statoil-operated Njord field. The development concept is a subsea tie-back to the Statoil-operated Njord platform. Production is planned to start up in 2021. Suncor's share of go-forward capital is estimated to be Cdn\$280 million, based on the operator's gross projected development cost of NOK 10.2 billion.

The transaction is subject to customary closing conditions and regulatory approvals as well as approval of the Fenja Plan for Development and Operation (PDO) by the Norwegian Ministry of Petroleum and Energy. Subsequent to the successful close of this transaction, the joint venture partners will be operator VNG Norge (30%), Point Resources (45%), Suncor (17.5%) and Faroe Petroleum (7.5%).

### Legal Advisory – Forward-Looking Information

*This news release contains certain forward-looking information and forward-looking statements (collectively referred to herein as "forward-looking statements") within the meaning of applicable Canadian and U.S. securities*

*laws. Forward-looking statements in this news release include references to: the acquisitions, including the effective dates and closing and the anticipated timing thereof; the long-term future of the oil sands; the expected production capacity of high quality light sweet synthetic crude to be added to Suncor's portfolio from the acquisition of the 5% interest in Syncrude; plans to continue to work closely with our joint venture partners and the operator, Syncrude, to accelerate performance improvements and seek regional synergy opportunities; and statements about the Fenja Development, including the expectation that the project will provide profitable growth, the planned timing for the startup of production, Suncor's estimated share of go-forward capital, and the operator's gross projected development cost. Forward-looking statements may be identified by words like "will", "anticipated", "expected", "planned", "future" and similar expressions.*

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