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Sonoro Receives Budong Budong License Extension

Calgary, Alberta – Sonoro Energy Ltd. (“Sonoro” or “the Company”) (TSX-V: SNV) is pleased to report that its subsidiary, Stockbridge Oil and Gas Ltd., has received formal notification of a one year extension to the expiry of its Budong Budong License from the Indonesian Government authority SKKMIGAS and MIGAS. The Budong Budong License is now valid to January 15, 2018 with the drilling of one well during 2017.

Mr. Wadsworth, Chief Executive Officer commented “We are pleased that SKKMIGAS and MIGAS have recognized the efforts that Stockbridge Oil and Gas Ltd. has undertaken over the past year to prepare and plan for the appraisal drilling of one to two wells on the Budong Budong License culminating in this one year extension. The Company expects this will allow the Company to complete its planning, permitting, financing and the drilling of the appraisal of the LG-1 updip on a timely basis during 2017”.

About Sonoro

Sonoro is an international oil and gas resource exploration and development company with a focus on SE Asia and its onshore Budong Budong Production Sharing Contract in Sulawesi Indonesia. The Company has commenced planning for a one to two well appraisal drilling program on the LG oil and gas prospect.

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