

## Seadrill Limited (SDRL) – Seadrill plan of reorganisation overwhelmingly accepted by all classes of voting creditors and shareholders

Seadrill Limited (SDRL) ("Seadrill" or the "Company") (OSE:SDRL, OTCPK:SDRLF) has announced the voting results for its plan of reorganisation (the "Plan"). All voting classes of stakeholders accepted the Plan, including all 12 credit facilities and general unsecured creditors and shareholders. Over 96% of secured lenders voted, and over 88% of secured lenders accepted the Plan.

The following is a summary of the results by class:

Plan Class	Name	Percentage Accepting (By Dollar Amount) $[1]$
4A	AOD Credit Agreement Claims	100%[2]
4B	\$450MM Eminence Credit Agreement Claims	100%
4C	NADL Credit Agreement Claims	86.89%
4D	\$1.35B Credit Agreement Claims	93.70%
4E	\$950MM Credit Agreement Claims	100%
4F	ECA Credit Agreement Claims	100%
4G	\$1.5B Credit Agreement Claims	100%
4H	\$1.75B Credit Agreement Claims	71.81%
4I	\$450MM Nordea Credit Agreement Claims	100%
4J	\$300MM Credit Agreement Claims	100%
4K	\$440MM Credit Agreement Claims	100%
4L	\$400MM Credit Agreement Claims	100%
6	General Unsecured Claims	91.68%
9	Equity Interests in Seadrill Limited	85.72% <sup>[3]</sup>

<sup>1]</sup> Reflects percentage accepting of those voting, by dollar amount of claims, except where otherwise noted. Each voting class also accepted the Plan based on number of creditors voting.

Based on these results, Seadrill is on track to have its Plan confirmed at the confirmation hearing scheduled for 26 October. If the Plan is confirmed by the Court on that date, Seadrill is targeting exiting chapter 11 proceedings approximately 60 days thereafter, subject to certain customary conditions, including certain antitrust approvals.

<sup>[2]</sup> AOD Credit Agreement Claims were unimpaired and accordingly deemed to accept the Plan.

<sup>[3]</sup> Reflects percentage accepting of those voting by number of shares. As a result of all voting classes of creditors accepting the Plan, existing shareholders are contemplated to receive a recovery of 0.25% of the new equity, subject to dilution.

**Grant Creed, CFO, commented:** "The near-unanimous acceptance of the Plan by our lenders is another important step towards Seadrill's emergence from chapter 11. This has been a long journey to deliver broad support across our creditor constituency, but I am confident that our eventual emergence will place us back at the heart of a sector collectively going through significant readjustment and reinforce our position as a market leader."

The deadline for creditors to have submitted votes on the Plan was 7 October. The results are subject to ongoing review by Prime Clerk, Seadrill's balloting agent, and remain subject to change. Prime Clerk will file a report certifying the final voting results to the United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of Texas (the "Court") by 22 October.

Shareholders are reminded that under the Plan of Reorganisation their holding in the post emergence entity will drop to 0.25 percent.

Copies of the Plan and Disclosure Statement, as well as other information regarding the Company's chapter 11 cases, are available at the following website: https://cases.primeclerk.com/SeadrillLimited/.

## **About Seadrill**

Seadrill is a leading offshore drilling contractor utilizing advanced technology to unlock oil and gas resources for clients across harsh and benign locations across the globe. Seadrill's high quality, technologically advanced fleet spans all asset classes allowing its experienced crews to conduct its operations from shallow to ultra-deep-water environments. The Company operates 42 rigs, which includes drillships, jack-ups and semi-submersibles.

Seadrill is listed on the Oslo Børs and OTC Pink markets. For more information, visit <a href="https://www.seadrill.com/">https://www.seadrill.com/</a>

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