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Palm Valley Appraisal Well PV14 Commences

Cue Energy Resources Limited (ASX: CUE) ("Cue") advises that drilling has commenced at PV14, the first well in the two well appraisal program in the Palm Valley gas field in the Northern Territory. The well was spudded using Ensign Rig 974 on 25 July 2026 at 2300 hrs (NT time).

The overall program is anticipated to take approximately four and a half months to complete with first gas sales from PV14 targeted for October 2026. The appraisal program is designed to evaluate and develop additional gas resources within the Palm Valley field and support ongoing gas supply to the Northern Territory market.

The investment is underpinned by the new Northern Territory Government Gas Supply Agreement announced by Cue in April ¹

Cue Energy CEO Matthew Boyall commented:

"The Palm Valley drilling program has the potential to more than double the current field production and aligns with Cue's strategy of growth in our existing projects. Together with the recently executed Northern Territory Government Gas Sales Agreement, if successful, these wells are expected to restore plant sales capacity and support long-term contracted gas supply through to 2034.

Other near term growth projects being undertaken by Cue include a two well oil development drilling program in the Mahato field, which is currently underway, and the expected approval of a further phase of development in the Mahato PSC later in the quarter."

Cue holds a 15% participating interest in the Palm Valley permit OL3. Other participants in the permit are Central Petroleum (NT) Pty Ltd (Operator, 50%) and Echelon Palm Valley Pty Ltd (35%).

Further updates will be provided as the program progresses.

Authorised by Matthew Boyall, CEO

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¹ ASX Announcement 13 April 2026.

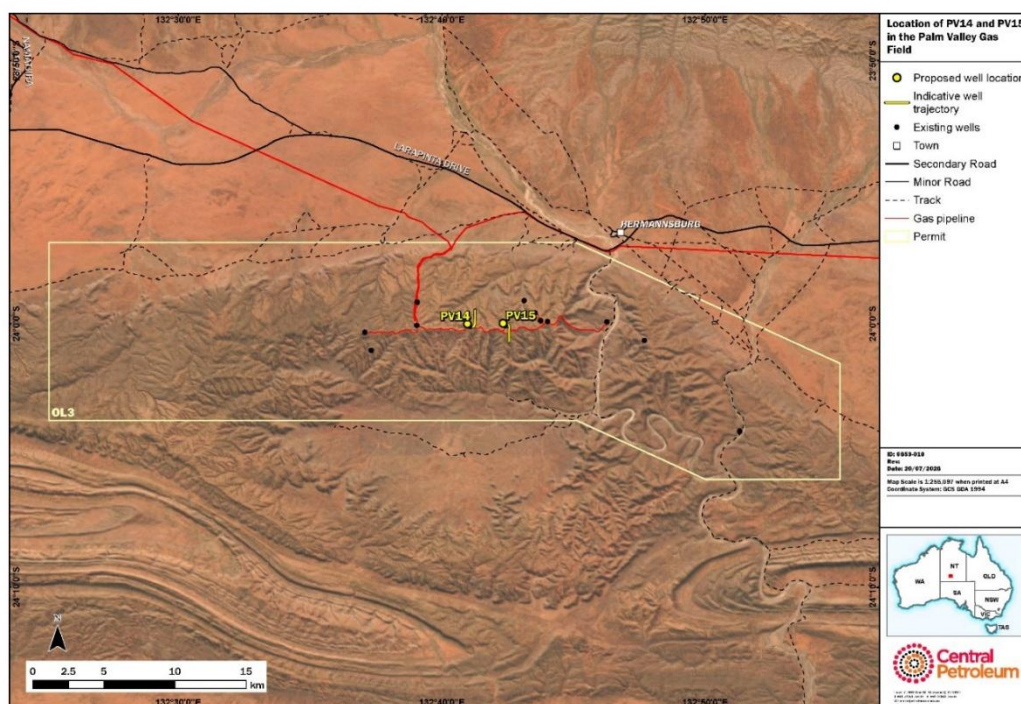


Figure 1: Location of PV14 and PV15 Wells within the Palm Valley Gas Field

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