

**NEWS RELEASE**  
**VITAL ENERGY INC. FILES 2015 RESERVES INFORMATION AND**  
**AUDITED FINANCIAL STATEMENTS**

**April 27, 2016 - Calgary, Alberta - Vital Energy Inc. (“Vital” or the “Corporation”)** is pleased to announce that it has filed its annual reserves information for the year ended December 31, 2015 in accordance with National Instrument 51-101 *Standard of Disclosure For Oil and Gas Activities*. In addition, the Corporation has filed its audited financial statements and management discussion and analysis for the year ended December 31, 2015. All of the aforementioned documents are available electronically on the System for Electronic Document Analysis and Retrieval (SEDAR) at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

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**Vital Energy Inc. is a publicly traded junior oil and gas company (“VUX” TSXV) whose primary focus is developing light and medium crude oil production in Western Canada.**

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