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## EMPRESS ANNOUNCES SPECIAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS

**June 1, 2020 – Vancouver, BC** – Further to the news release of March 6, 2020, Empress Resources Corp. ("**Empress**" or "the Company") (TSXV: EMPX) is pleased to provide an update on the status and timing of the arrangement to be effected pursuant to the *Business Corporations Act* (British Columbia) (the "**Arrangement**") involving Empress, Alto Ventures Ltd. ("**Alto**") (TSXV: ATV) and Empress's wholly owned subsidiary, Empress Royalty Corp. ("**Empress Royalty**").

### *Special Meeting of Shareholders and Warrantheolders & Interim Order*

Empress has set the date for the special meeting of its shareholders and warrantheolders to approve the Arrangement for June 30, 2020 (the "**Meeting**"). Registered Empress shareholders and warrantheolders as at May 28, 2020, the record date, will be entitled to vote at the Meeting. Empress will be sending the meeting materials (the "**Meeting Materials**"), including an information circular with additional information about the Arrangement, to its shareholders and warrantheolders in accordance with applicable Canadian securities laws.

On May 28, 2020, Empress obtained the interim order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia (the "**Court**") made in connection with the Arrangement and providing for, among other things, the calling and holding of the Meeting, as may be amended, supplemented or varied by the Court.

### *Amending Agreement*

On May 23, 2020, Empress and Alto entered into an amending agreement (the "**Amending Agreement**"), which, among other things, extended certain dates in connection with the Arrangement and provided that the shares of Empress Royalty that Empress shareholders will receive in connection with the Arrangement must be listed within 180 days of the effective date of the Arrangement either directly or indirectly as a result of the exchange of its shares with a listed company or Empress Royalty must return to Alto the marketable securities (or the monetary value thereof) to be transferred to Empress Royalty in connection with the Arrangement. The Amending Agreement also approved the revised plan of arrangement attached thereto.

The Amending Agreement and the Meeting Materials will be made available on Empress's SEDAR profile at [www.sedar.com](http://www.sedar.com).

It is anticipated that the closing of the Arrangement will occur on or about July 6, 2020.

### **On behalf of Empress Resources Corp.**

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This news release contains statements about Empress' expectations regarding the Meeting and the Arrangement which are forward-looking in nature and, as a result, are subject to certain risks and uncertainties. Generally, forward-looking statements can be identified by the use of forward-looking terminology such as "expects", "believes", "anticipates", "aims to", "plans to" or "intends to" or variations of such words and

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