



NEWS RELEASE

ESSENTIAL ENERGY SERVICES ANNOUNCES ELECTION OF BOARD OF DIRECTORS

Calgary, Alberta May 10, 2016 – Essential Energy Services Ltd. (TSX: ESN) (“Essential”) announced that at its annual general and special meeting of shareholders on May 10, 2016 each of the six nominees proposed as directors and listed in the information circular (“Circular”) dated March 2, 2016 were elected as directors. Detailed results of the vote are set out below.

Nominee	VOTES FOR		VOTES WITHHELD	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Garnet K. Amundson	57,276,205	89.68%	6,592,780	10.32%
James A. Banister	57,043,310	89.31%	6,825,675	10.69%
Michael J. Black	46,602,078	72.97%	17,266,907	27.03%
Robert T. German	57,275,514	89.68%	6,593,471	10.32%
Nicholas G. Kirton	57,048,140	89.32%	6,820,845	10.68%
Robert B. Michaleski	57,031,804	89.29%	6,837,181	10.71%

All other resolutions provided for in the Circular were passed and a report on the voting results for all matters has been posted under Essential’s profile on SEDAR at www.sedar.com.

ABOUT ESSENTIAL

Essential Energy Services Ltd. provides oilfield services to oil and natural gas producers, primarily in western Canada. Essential offers completion, production and abandonment services to a diverse customer base. Services are offered with masted coil tubing, fluid and nitrogen pumping, services rigs and the sale and rental of downhole tools and equipment. Essential offers the largest masted coil tubing fleet in Canada. Further information can be found at www.essentialenergy.ca.

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