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Dear Sir/Madam

## Incremental's Ventura well produces oil.

Incremental Oil and Gas Ltd is pleased to advise that its first well on the Ventura project in coastal California, the **C & H #18** has been producing about 20 bopd with minor water since being placed on production with a beam pump on 26<sup>th</sup> February. Production is from only 86' of perforations between the depths of 4247' and 5347'. There is still significant pay that remains un-perforated in this section and excellent shows were recorded above this interval and remain untested to date. The operator is currently investigating the possibility of additional perforations or undertaking a small-scale fracture stimulation over the existing perforations to enhance the initial flow rate.

On the same lease, the **C & H #12**, 670m to the west of C & H #18, has been reentered and 80 barrels of oil initially recovered. The plan is to return the well to production. C & H #12 produced over 200 thousand barrels of oil between 1946 and 1994.

Incremental holds a 25% working interest in the Ventura lease.

Gerry McGann Managing Director