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2006 EXPLORATION PROGRAM INCREASE RESOURCES AT RAVEN COAL DEPOSIT

Vancouver, B.C., December 14, 2006 - Compliance Energy Corporation (the “Company”) announced that the 2006 exploration program carried out on the Raven Project is now complete. The program consisted of drilling, seismic exploration, and bulk sampling and as a result the in situ coal resources underlying the Raven Project have been increased to 40 million tonnes measured and indicated with a further 100 million tonnes inferred as shown in the following table:

Compliance Energy Corp. Raven Project Comox Basin Vancouver Island					
IN SITU COAL RESOURCES ¹					
	Measured and Indicated ²		Inferred from Drilling ³		Inferred from Seismic ⁴
	Seam 1	Seam 3	Seam 1	Seam 3	Seam 1
Project Area Excluding Block 1 <i>Lower Plate</i>	23,339,375	6,720,843	47,759,705	9,403,817	30,318,476
Block 1 (after Gardner Report, 2001)	9,961,000				15,279,566
Total	33,300,375	6,720,843	47,759,705	9,403,817	45,598,042

Notes

- ¹ Not 43-101 Compliant
- ² Undifferentiated - Area of influence 300 m
- ³ Area of Influence 600 m
- ⁴ Within Property Boundary and extended 600m north and south of the end seismic lines

Readers are cautioned that the In Situ Coal Resources noted above are not 43-101 compliant and should not be relied upon. In addition, additional (“inferred”) resources have been reported to recognize the results of the seismic program which demonstrated the continuity of the lower seam - Seam 1 - throughout the project area. The reader is cautioned that the seismic defined resources have not been drill tested within 600 meters nor has the presence of a lower thrust plate been confirmed by drilling, therefore these seismic defined resources may be somewhat speculative.

Drilling commenced June 6, 2006 and was terminated October 27, 2006, after drilling 12 holes for a total of 2,850 metres. Drilling intersected the Comox Formation including the target Seams #1 and #3 with thicknesses ranging from 2.8 to 4.2 meters for seam #1 and from 0.4 to 2.3 meters for seam #3. Drilling has extended the known coal resource by up to 800 meters to the north and 2300 meters to the south with the deposit still open on strike in both directions. Coal resources at the Raven were previously reported at 38.5 million tonnes by Gardner Exploration Consultants Ltd in their 43-101 compliant technical report dated July 2001. Drilling and core analyses for coal quality for the 2006 program were under the supervision of Owen R. Cullingham, P. Geo., who is the Qualified Person for reporting purposes.

A high resolution seismic reflection investigation of the Raven Property was conducted over approximately 21 kilometers in a series of seven (7) parallel lines by Emerald Exploration Consultants, Inc. (emex). The objective was to help interpret and map geological structure such as folds and faults, and the continuity, depth and thickness of coal seams. Interpretation of the seismic reflections was accomplished through correlation to drillholes by comparing reflection characteristics against synthetic seismograms developed from sonic and density logs run in approximately 50 drillholes (from 1990/91; 1996/97; and 2006 drilling programs) and actual check shots run in 3 drillholes from 2006. Seismic exploration demonstrated continuity of the coal seams over most of the current project area and showed the potential for the coal deposit to be open to the north and south.

A twelve tonne bulk sample was taken from the Raven adit site during the year and sent to Hazen Research in Golden, Colorado for washability analysis and bulk washing at their pilot plant. Preliminary washability results of this bulk sample did not meet expectations and testing of the sample was suspended pending further studies of the coal and in particular the coal at the bulk sample site. Results of these studies were inconclusive, but did show improvement in liberation characteristics with crushing. The Company however was not able to replicate prior bulk sample washability results. Additional work is needed in this area and will be incorporated in future exploration programs.

Washability results from drill core verified previous drillhole washability results producing a yield of 40 to 45% for a metallurgical coal product of 8.5% ash.

Compliance is a Canadian mining company that has significant coal interests on Vancouver Island; is advancing a proposed net 49 MW Princeton Power Project that will be fueled by wood waste and coal; and operates the Basin Coal Mine near Princeton, BC.. Compliance Energy Corporation's shares trade on the TSX Venture Exchange under the symbol CEC and investor information is available on the Company's web page at www.complianceenergy.com.

On behalf of the Board of
COMPLIANCE ENERGY CORPORATION

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