Serica Energy plc ("Serica" or the "Company")

Share purchase by Directors

Serica Energy plc (TSX: SQZ; AIM: SQZ) announces that the Trustees of the Serica Energy Share Incentive Plan ("the Plan") have made purchases of and allocated Serica shares under the terms of the plan on behalf of employees and officers of the Company as a result of which certain directors increased their beneficial shareholdings in the Company by a total of 26,666 shares on 14 June 2013, as follows:

Christopher Hearne (Finance Director) acquired 13,333 ordinary shares at an average price of 22.5 pence per share taking his total beneficial shareholding to 813,743 shares representing 0.45% of the voting rights;

Mitchell Flegg (Chief Operating Officer) acquired 13,333 ordinary shares at an average price of 22.5 pence per share taking his total beneficial shareholding to 121,927 shares representing 0.07% of the voting rights.

The Company has 182,770,311 shares issued and outstanding.

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