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Total E&P Canada Extends Offer For Synenco Energy Inc.

Calgary, June 19, 2008 – Total E&P Canada Ltd. ("Total Canada"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of Total S.A., announces that it has extended its offer to acquire all of the issued and outstanding common class "A" voting shares (the "Common Shares") of Synenco Energy Inc. ("Synenco") pursuant to its offer and take-over bid circular dated May 13, 2008. The previously announced offer by Total Canada to acquire the Common Shares for \$9.00 in cash for each Common Share had an initial expiry time of 7:00 p.m. (Calgary time) on June 18, 2008.

Total Canada has not yet received the required approval from the Minister responsible for the *Investment Canada Act* and, as a result, this condition to the offer has not been satisfied as of the initial expiry time. Total Canada anticipates receiving the required *Investment Canada Act* approval soon and has extended the offer to 7:00 p.m. (Calgary time) on July 3, 2008. The determination of whether the other conditions to the offer have been satisfied or will be waived by Total Canada will be made at the new expiry time on July 3, 2008.

Synenco shareholders who have already deposited their Common Shares to the offer do not need to take any further action to accept the offer. Shareholders who have not yet deposited their Common Shares in acceptance of the offer may tender such shares to the offer at any time prior to 7:00 p.m. (Calgary time) on July 3, 2008.

On June 5, 2008, Total Canada received the Advance Ruling Certificate under the *Competition Act* (Canada) in respect of the offer.