



LEADER ENERGY SERVICES ANNOUNCES SECOND QUARTER CONFERENCE CALL

August 1, 2006, Calgary, Alberta (TSX Venture: LEE) – Leader Energy Services Ltd. ("Leader" or the "Company") intends to release its second quarter 2006 results on Friday, August 4, 2006 prior to the open of the market.

Rod Hauser, President and Chief Executive Officer and Jim Ashbaugh, Senior Vice President Finance and Chief Financial Officer will then host a conference call on Friday, August 4, 2006 at 12:30 p.m. MT (2:30 p.m. ET) to discuss the Company's results for the second quarter of 2006.

To access the conference call, contact the conference call operator at 1-866-250-4907 (North America) or 416-644-3414 (outside North America) approximately 10 minutes prior to the call's start time and ask for the "Leader Energy Services Ltd. – Second Quarter 2006 Results Conference Call".

A replay of the conference call will be available until August 11, 2006 by dialing 1-877-289-8525 (North America) or 416-640-1917 (outside North America) (Password 21199129#).

The conference call will be archived on Leader's website at www.leaderenergy.com.

Leader Energy Services provides well stimulation and cementing services in western Canada and the northeastern United States. Further information on Leader can be found under the Company's listing at www.sedar.com and on the Company's website at www.leaderenergy.com.

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