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**MAPLE ENERGY PLC**

**(“Maple” or the “Company”)**

**NOTICE OF INTERIM RESULTS**

Maple Energy plc (AIM: MPLE; LIMA: MPLE), an integrated energy company with assets in Peru, is pleased to announce that it will release its interim results on Tuesday 2 September 2008.

Rex W. Canon, Chief Executive Officer, and Ray Cochard, Chief Financial Officer, will host a conference call to present and discuss its results for the six months ended 30 June 2008 on Tuesday, 2 September 2008 at 4.00 pm BST (10.00 a.m. Peruvian time). The recording audio of the conference call will be available shortly thereafter on Maple’s website at [www.maple-energy.com](http://www.maple-energy.com).

To participate in this call, please dial:

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## About Maple Energy

Maple is an integrated independent energy company, listed in London and Lima, with assets and operations in Peru engaging in numerous aspects of the energy industry, including:

- Exploration and production of crude oil, natural gas and natural gas liquids
- Refining, marketing and distribution of hydrocarbon products
- Gas-fired power generation and power transmission
- The development of an ethanol project

Maple was admitted to AIM on 13 July 2007 and trades under the symbol "MPLE". The company was also admitted to the Lima Stock Exchange on 21 December 2007 where it trades under the same symbol.

## Operations

Maple's operations are conducted and revenues are generated through its wholly-owned subsidiaries and equity interest in Aguaytía Energy, LLC, a joint venture in which Maple owns an approximate 17.5% effective economic interest. Maple's principal operations consist of the following:

- Crude Oil Production. Operator and holder of 100% working interests in its crude-oil producing properties, Blocks 31-B, 31-D and 31-E
- Refining, Marketing and Distribution Operations. Operator of the Pucallpa Refinery and Sales Plant, which has capacity to refine up to (i) 3,400 barrels per day of crude oil producing Residual 5 fuel oil, (ii) 3,000 barrels per day of crude oil producing Residual 6 fuel oil or (iii) 4,100 barrels per day of natural gasolines. This plant also includes sales and distribution operations in the central Peruvian jungle, central Peruvian highlands and Lima regions
- Aguaytía Energy Interest. Operator of Aguaytía Energy, LLC's gas assets and holder of an approximate 17.5% effective economic interest in Aguaytía Energy, LLC, an integrated energy company engaged in the production of Block 31-C, gas-fired power generation, power transmission, gas processing, natural gas liquids fractionation, gas and liquids transportation and the marketing of liquid petroleum gas and natural gasolines
- Crude Oil Development. Operator and holder of a 100% working interest in the Pacaya Field in Block 31-E as detailed above. Maple also intends to develop up to 31 additional wells in Blocks 31-B and 31-D
- Ethanol Project. Project developer and major shareholder in an estimated \$180 million (excluding value added taxes) ethanol project located in the Piura Region on the northwest coast of Peru
- Oil and Gas Exploration. Significant exploration opportunities through a:
  - 100% working interest in Block 31-E, containing the Santa Rosa, San Roque and Cashiboya Deep prospects, and
  - significant working interest in the Aguaytía Deep Prospect in Block 31-C