Form 51-102F3
Material Change Report

Item 1. Name and Address of Company

Newport Exploration Ltd.
#501-837 West Hastings Street
Vancouver, BC V6C 3N6

Item 2. Date of Material Change

August 25, 2015

Item 3. News Release

A News Release dated August 25, 2015 was filed with the TSX Venture Exchange and the British Columbia, Alberta, and Saskatchewan Security Commissions via SEDAR and disseminated through Stockwatch and Market News Publishing Inc.

Item 4. Summary of Material Change

Newport Exploration Ltd. announced the renewal of its Normal Course Issuer Bid.

Item 5.1 Full Description of Material Change

See attached News Release.

Item 5.2 Disclosure for Restructuring Transactions

Not applicable.

Item 6. Reliance on subsection 7.1(2) or (3) of National Instrument 51-102

If this report is being filed on a confidential basis in reliance on subsection 7.2 (2) or (3) of National Instrument 51-102, state the reasons for such reliance.

Not applicable.

Item 7. Omitted Information

Not applicable.

Item 8. Executive Officer

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DATED at Vancouver, British Columbia, the 2nd day of September 2015.

NEWS RELEASE

Trading Symbol: **NWX (TSX-V)**

NEWPORT ANNOUNCES RENEWAL OF NORMAL COURSE ISSUER BID

Vancouver, British Columbia, August 25th, 2015. Newport Exploration Ltd. ("Newport" or "the Company**")** wishes to announce that, subject to TSX Venture Exchange approval, it intends to renew its normal course issuer bid for up to 4,025,444 shares of the Company representing 4.6% of the Company's outstanding common shares for an additional year (the "Bid Period").

The new Bid Period will commence on September 1, 2015 and will continue until the earlier of August 31, 2016 or the date by which the Company has acquired the maximum 4,025,444 shares which may be purchased under the bid. The Company does however reserve the right to terminate the bid earlier if it feels it is appropriate to do so. The Company has already purchased 2,229,000 of its outstanding shares under its current normal course issuer bid expiring August 31, 2015.

The Company believes that its shares are currently undervalued and that the repurchase of its shares is an appropriate use of corporate funds.

Purchases will be made through the facilities of the TSX Venture Exchange. During the term of the normal course issuer bid, purchases will only be made by means of open market transactions, and conducted at the market price at the time of acquisition. The Company has appointed PI Financial Corp. as its broker to conduct normal course issuer bid transactions. Common shares purchased by the Company will be subsequently cancelled.

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