Syrah receives ~US$12m Section 45X tax credit

Syrah Resources Limited (ASX: SYR) ("Syrah" or "Company") announces that its wholly-owned subsidiary, Syrah Technologies LLC ("Syrah Technologies"), received an US$11.7 million direct payment from the US Internal Revenue Service for its first Advanced Manufacturing Production credit under Section 45X of the Inflation Reduction Act ("IRA") ("Section 45X Production Credit"). The Section 45X Production Credit was for Syrah Technologies' claim in its 2024 tax return filing in connection with the 11.25ktpa AAM facility in Vidalia, Louisiana ("Vidalia").

Cash proceeds from this Section 45X Production Credit are in restricted accounts and, with the approval of the US Department of Energy, may be used to fund Vidalia operating costs (net of revenue).

Syrah Technologies is eligible for Section 45X Production Credits equivalent to 10% of production costs of Vidalia, inclusive of material costs and tax depreciation. Section 45X Production Credits for the 11.25ktpa AAM Vidalia facility operating at capacity are estimated to be ~US$7-9 million per annum (~US$0.62-0.80/kg AAM) prior to phase down. Section 45X Production Credits phase down to 75% in 2030, 50% in 2031, 25% in 2032 and 0% from 2033.

The Company has elected to receive direct payment of Section 45X Production Credits from the US Internal Revenue Service, whereby it is treated as an overpayment of tax and is refundable in cash. Syrah expects that direct payments for further Section 45X Production Credits will be ordinarily received in the second half of the calendar year.

This release was authorised on behalf of the Syrah Board by

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About Syrah

Syrah (ASX code: SYR) is an Australian Securities Exchange listed industrial minerals and technology company with its flagship Balama Graphite Operation in Mozambique and a downstream Active Anode Material Facility in the United States. Syrah's vision is to be the world's leading supplier of superior quality graphite and anode material products, working closely with customers and the supply chain to add value in battery and industrial markets.

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