



CITADEL GROUP OF FUNDS

SUSTAINABLE PRODUCTION ENERGY TRUST ANNOUNCES DISTRIBUTION March 23, 2009

Stock Symbol: *SPU.UN, TSX*

Sustainable Production Energy Trust reports that due to the distribution cuts by many of the income trusts in the portfolio, the Fund's monthly distribution has been reduced from \$0.075 per unit to \$0.030 per unit. Unitholders of record at the close of business on March 31, 2009 will be paid the distribution of \$0.030 per unit on April 15, 2009.

Throughout the month of February 2009, Sustainable repurchased 22,600 units under its mandatory repurchase program when the Fund traded at a discount greater than 5%.

As at March 19, 2009, Sustainable Production Energy Trust's net asset value was \$4.16 Cdn per unit. The current portfolio consists of 87% oil & gas royalty trusts, 11% energy corporations, and 2% cash and cash equivalents.

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