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HTC PURENERGY INC. ANNOUNCES INTENTION TO VOLUNTARY DELIST FROM THE NEX EXCHANGE AND TO APPLY FOR AN ORDER TO CEASE TO BE A REPORTING ISSUER IN BRITISH COLUMBIA, ALBERTA AND SASKATCHEWAN

Regina, Saskatchewan – HTC PURENERGY INC. (NEX:HTC.H) ("HTC" or the "Corporation") announced today that it has initiated the process to voluntary delist its common shares ("Securities") from trading on the NEX, and imminently, intends to make an application to its principal regulator, the Financial and Consumer Affairs Authority ("FCAA"), pursuant to National Instrument 11-206 ("NI 11-206") for an order ("Order Sought") to cease to be a reporting issuer in British Columbia, Alberta and Saskatchewan (collectively, the "Jurisdictions").

The delisting and ceasing to be a reporting issuer are expected to be completed by June 15th, 2025, prior to having to meet the cost of audit requirements and further continuous disclosure filings.

Reasons for Ceasing to be a Reporting Issuer: The Corporation has encountered severe challenges, including, but not limited to: (1) declining revenue; (2) declining market; (3) high operating costs; (4) increasing debt obligations; and (5) cost of compliance.

No Revenue: Over the past 6 years, we have experienced an extraordinary decrease in revenue, primarily due to limitations imposed on HTC's business, market competition, and changes in consumer demand.

Declining Investments: HTC sold certain CO2 assets in exchange for share in Regenera Insights Inc. ("**RGEN**"), formerly Delta CleanTech Inc. Upon listing, RGEN common shares traded at \$0.20, but then steadily declined to as low as \$0.01. These common shares have been trading between \$0.01 and \$0.05 for the last 12 months.

High Operating Costs: The Corporation has suffered from an operating loss of \$195,117 and a net loss of \$470,587 for the 15-month YE March 31, 2024; and an operating loss of \$63,220 and net loss of \$256,810 for the 9-month period ending December 31, 2024.

Increasing Debt Obligations: HTC has been unable to meet its debt obligations due to consistent cash flow shortages. In 2023, HTC received 2 letters of commitment, to provide financial support to the Corporation, which enabled the Corporation to continue as a going concern, but these commitment letters have now expired, and accordingly there is a material concern that the Corporation cannot meet its financial obligations. The Corporation has no revenue and hasn't had revenue for six years. The Corporation's ability to continue in the normal course of

operations is dependent on its ability to generate cashflow from the performance of strategic investments and the development of new markets in order to fund ongoing operations to fund debt as it becomes due.

Cost of Compliance: The financial burden associated with maintaining HTC's NEX listing and reporting issuer status, including compliance and regulatory costs, has become increasingly unsustainable given the Corporation's current financial position.

As a result of these factors, HTC has minimal liquidity, and it is unable to maintain operations in the public market framework. We believe that ceasing to be a reporting issuer will allow us to focus on restructuring the Corporation without the additional pressures and financial burdens of regulatory compliance.

Management is committed to addressing HTC's financial challenges and will explore options, including cost reductions, operational efficiencies, and potential private investment opportunities. The goal is to stabilize our business and emerge stronger. We believe that ceasing to be a reporting issuer is a necessary step in this process.

Important Note:

Shareholders are advised that: (i) if the TSXV approves the voluntary delisting application, the securities of the shareholders will no longer be traded on the NEX in the Jurisdictions; and (ii) if the FCAA grants the Order Sought, the Corporation will cease to be a reporting issuer in the Jurisdictions. As a result, the Corporation will no longer be required to file financial statements and other continuous disclosure documents in Canada pursuant to Canadian securities laws. As securityholders will not be able to rely on a provision in National Instrument 45-102 *Resale of Securities* to sell their securities following the issuance of the Order Sought, the Corporation intends to file a separate application with the FCAA for exemptive relief under National Policy 11-203 *Process for Exemptive Relief Applications* in the Jurisdictions to permit such sales.

We believe that these steps are in the best interest of our shareholders and will enable the Corporation to focus on recovering from its current financial difficulties, while looking for ways to foster a new business plan.

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