



NEWS RELEASE

Maxim TEP, Inc., an independent oil and gas Production Company headquartered in The Woodlands, Texas, began trading under the symbol MTIM on June 26, 2009. Shareholders should consult the Company's website (www.maximtep.com) for instructions as to how to remove the restricted status from their share certificates. As indicated on the Investors Relation page of Maxim's website, be aware that the Transfer Agent will charge the shareholder a fee for this service.

Robert D. Johnson, CEO of the Company, stated, "The Company began the public process in February 2008 due to having greater than 500 shareholders. The process of going through the SEC and FINRA was arduous as evidenced by the time lag between initiation and trading. The Company is fully reporting and has timely filed the 2008 10K and the 1st Quarter 2009 10Q. Hopefully, the trading process will give a viable exit strategy to shareholders at a time of their choosing."

Unfortunately, shareholders will no longer be able to call management and employees of the Company directly for information. The Company urges all shareholders to follow the Company News on the website and through its filings with the SEC.

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