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**UNITED STATES  
SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION  
Washington, D.C. 20549**

**FORM 10-K**

ANNUAL REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

For the fiscal year ended April 30, 2014

or

TRANSITION REPORT PURSUANT TO SECTION 13 OR 15(d) OF THE SECURITIES EXCHANGE ACT OF 1934

Commission File No. 000-49760

**Petro River Oil Corp.**

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter)

**Delaware**  
(State or other jurisdiction of  
incorporation or organization)

**98-0611188**  
(I.R.S. Employer  
Identification No.)

**1980 Post Oak Blvd., Suite 2020, Houston, TX 77056**  
(Address of Principal Executive Offices, Zip Code)

**(469) 828-3900**  
(Registrant's telephone number, including area code)

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act: **None**

Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(g) of the Act: **Common Stock, \$0.00001 par value**

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is a well-known seasoned issuer, as defined in Rule 405 of the Securities Act. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark if the registrant is not required to file reports pursuant to Section 13 or Section 15(d) of the Act. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant (1) has filed all reports required to be filed by Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such reports), and (2) has been subject to such filing requirements for the past 90 days. Yes  No

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant has submitted electronically and posted on its corporate Web site, if any, every Interactive Data File required to be submitted and posted pursuant to Rule 405 of Regulation S-T during the preceding 12 months (or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to submit and post such files). Yes  No

Indicate by check mark if disclosure of delinquent filers pursuant to Item 405 of Regulation S-K is not contained herein, and will not be contained, to the best of registrant's knowledge, in definitive proxy or information statements incorporated by reference in Part III of this Form 10-K or any amendment to this Form 10-K.

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a large accelerated filer, an accelerated filer, a non-accelerated filer, or a smaller reporting company. See definition of "large accelerated filer," "large accelerated filer" and "smaller reporting company" in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act. (Check one):

Large accelerated filer  Accelerated filer  Non-accelerated filer  Smaller reporting company

Indicate by check mark whether the registrant is a shell company (as defined in Rule 12b-2 of the Exchange Act). Yes  No

As of October 31, 2013 the aggregate market value of the registrant's common stock held by non-affiliates of the registrant was \$5,889,195 based on closing price as reported on Bloomberg.

Indicate the number of shares outstanding of each of the issuer's classes of common stock, as of the latest practicable date.

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Class	Outstanding at August 13, 2014
Common Stock, \$0.00001 par value per share	818,567,746 shares

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## FORWARD-LOOKING STATEMENTS

This report, including information included in future filings by us with the Securities and Exchange Commission (the “SEC”), as well as information contained in written material, press releases and oral statements issued by us or on our behalf, contain, or may contain, certain statements that are “forward-looking statements” within the meaning of federal securities laws that are subject to a number of risks and uncertainties, many of which are beyond our control. This report modifies and supersedes documents filed by us before this report. In addition, certain information that we file with the SEC in the future will automatically update and supersede information contained in this report. All statements, other than statements of historical fact, included in this report regarding our strategy, future operations, financial position, estimated revenues and losses, projected costs, prospects, plans and objectives of management are forward-looking statements. When used in this report, the words “could,” “believe,” “anticipate,” “intend,” “estimate,” “expect,” “project”, “will” and similar expressions are intended to identify forward-looking statements, although not all forward-looking statements contain such identifying words.

Forward-looking statements may include statements about our business strategy, reserves, technology, financial strategy, oil and natural gas realized prices, timing and amount of future production of oil and natural gas, the amount, nature and timing of capital expenditures, drilling of wells, competition and government regulations, marketing of oil and natural gas, property acquisitions, costs of developing our properties and conducting other operations, general economic conditions, uncertainty regarding our future operating results and plans, objectives, expectations and intentions contained in this report that are not historical.

All forward-looking statements speak only as of the date of this report, and, except as required by law, we do not intend to update any of these forward-looking statements to reflect changes in events or circumstances that arise after the date of this report. You should not place undue reliance on these forward-looking statements. Although we believe that our plans, intentions and expectations reflected in or suggested by the forward-looking statements we make in this report are reasonable, we can give no assurance that these plans, intentions or expectations will be achieved. We disclose important factors that could cause our actual results to differ materially from our expectations under “*Risk Factors*” and “*Management’s Discussion and Analysis of Financial Condition and Results of Operations*” and elsewhere in this report. These cautionary statements qualify all forward-looking statements attributable to us or persons acting on our behalf.

## PART I

### ITEM 1. BUSINESS

Petro River Oil Corp (the “Company”) is an enterprise engaged in the exploration and exploitation conventional and unconventional oil and gas assets with a focus on drilling, completion, recompletions and applying modern technologies. September 7, 2012 a shareholder meeting was held to amend the Articles of the Corporation to change the name of the Company from Gravis Oil Corporation to Petro River Oil Corp. The Company’s principal administrative office is located in Houston, Texas and its principal operations currently focused on the Mississippi Lime Play. Unless the context otherwise requires, all references in this report to “Petro,” “our,” “us,” and “we” refer to Petro River Oil Corp.

#### Overview

The Company was originally incorporated under the Company Act (British Columbia) on February 8, 2000 under the name Brockton Capital Corp. The Company then changed its name to MegaWest Energy Corp. effective February 27, 2010 before changing it to Gravis Oil Corp. on June 20, 2011. On September 11, 2012, the Company re-organized under the laws of the State of Delaware as a corporation organized under the Delaware General Corporation Law. Prior to September 11, 2012, and at April 30, 2012, the Company was organized under the laws of Alberta, Canada. This re-organization had no impact on the Company’s consolidated financial statements.

Petro River Oil LLC (“Petro”) was incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware on March 3, 2011. Through proceeds received from the issuance of various promissory notes, on February 1, 2012 Petro purchased various interests in oil and gas leases, wells, records, data and related personal property located along the Mississippi Lime play in the state of Kansas from Metro Energy Corporation (“Metro”), a Louisiana company and other interrelated entities, which were in financial distress. These assets were purchased through a court approved order as Metro was undergoing Chapter 11 Bankruptcy proceedings as a Debtor-In-Possession of these various oil and gas assets. Petro purchased these assets for cash considerations of \$2,000,000 as well as a 25% non-managing membership interest in the company. Subsequent to the Metro purchase the Company engaged Energy Source Advisors to renew a number of the leases acquired in the Metro purchase and to lease additional acreage. As a result of the asset purchase from Metro and the completion of the additional lease renewals and additional acreage purchases, the Company obtained a total of 115,000 gross/85,000 net acres of leases, having unproven reserves at the time of acquisition, in the Mississippi Lime play in Southeast Kansas for total cost of \$12.2 million. As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, the Company had no proven reserves.

On April 23, 2013, the Company executed and consummated a securities purchase agreement by and among the Company, Petro, the holders of outstanding secured promissory notes of Petro (the “Notes”), and the members (the “Petro Members”) of Petro holding membership interests in Petro (the “Membership Interests”), and together with the Notes and the Membership Interests, the “Acquired Securities”) sold by the Company (the “Securities Purchase Agreement”) and the transaction, the “Share Exchange”).

In the Share Exchange, the Investors exchanged their Acquired Securities for 591,021,011 newly issued shares of common stock of the Company (“Common Stock”). As a result, upon completion of the Share Exchange, Petro became the Company’s wholly-owned subsidiary. The existing shareholders of the Company held 146,096,735 or 20% of the outstanding common shares prior to the reverse acquisition.

As a result of the Share Exchange, the Company acquired 100% of the member units of Petro and consequently, control of the business and operations of Petro. Under generally accepted accounting principles in the United States, (“U.S. GAAP”) because Petro’s former members’ and note holders held 80% of the issued and outstanding shares of the Company as a result of the Share Exchange, Petro is deemed the accounting acquirer while the Company remains the legal acquirer and reporting entity. Petro adopted the fiscal year of the Company and its operations for the period from February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to April 30, 2012 were non material. Prior to the Share Exchange, all historical financial statements presented are those of Petro.

#### Strategy

Our business strategy is to acquire working interests in oil and gas producing areas. We believe such opportunities exist domestically and internationally. We also believe that these opportunities have considerable future potential for the development of proven oil and gas reserves. Such new reserves might come from the development of existing but as yet undeveloped and/or unproved reserves as well as from future success in exploration.

When and if funding becomes available, we plan to acquire high-quality oil and gas properties, primarily “proved producing and proved undeveloped reserves.” We will also explore low-risk development drilling and work-over opportunities.

### **Competition**

We operate in a highly competitive environment. We compete with major and independent oil and natural gas companies, many of whom have financial and other resources substantially in excess of those available to us. These competitors may be better positioned to take advantage of industry opportunities and to withstand changes affecting the industry, such as fluctuations in oil and natural gas prices and production, the availability of alternative energy sources and the application of government regulation.

### **Compliance with Government Regulation**

The availability of a ready market for future oil and gas production from possible U.S. assets depends upon numerous factors beyond our control. These factors may include, amongst others, regulation of oil and natural gas production, regulations governing environmental quality and pollution control, and the effects of regulation on the amount of oil and natural gas available for sale, the availability of adequate pipeline and other transportation and processing facilities and the marketing of competitive fuels. These regulations generally are intended to prevent waste of oil and natural gas and control contamination of the environment.

We expect that our sales of crude oil and other hydrocarbon liquids from our future U.S.-based production will not be regulated and will be made at market prices. However, the price we would receive from the sale of these products may be affected by the cost of transporting the products to market via pipeline.

### **Environmental Regulations**

Our U.S. assets are subject to numerous laws and regulations governing the discharge of materials into the environment or otherwise relating to environmental protection. These laws and regulations may require the acquisition of a permit before drilling commences, restrict the types, quantities and concentration of various substances that can be released into the environment in connection with drilling and production activities, limit or prohibit drilling activities on certain lands within wilderness, wetlands and other protected areas, require remedial measures to mitigate pollution from former operations, such as pit closure and plugging abandoned wells, and impose substantial liabilities for pollution resulting from production and drilling operations. Public interest in the protection of the environment has increased dramatically in recent years. The worldwide trend of more expansive and stricter environmental legislation and regulations applied to the oil and natural gas industry could continue, resulting in increased costs of doing business and consequently affecting profitability. To the extent laws are enacted or other governmental action is taken that restricts drilling or imposes more stringent and costly waste handling, disposal and cleanup requirements, our business and prospects could be adversely affected.

### **Operating Hazards and Insurance**

The oil and natural gas business involves a variety of operating hazards and risks such as well blowouts, craterings, pipe failures, casing collapse, explosions, uncontrollable flows of oil, natural gas or well fluids, fires, formations with abnormal pressures, pipeline ruptures or spills, pollution, releases of toxic gas and other environmental hazards and risks. These hazards and risks could result in substantial losses to us from, among other things, injury or loss of life, severe damage to or destruction of property, natural resources and equipment, pollution or other environmental damage, clean-up responsibilities, regulatory investigation and penalties and suspension of operations.

In accordance with customary industry practices, we expect to maintain insurance against some, but not all, of such risks and losses. There can be no assurance that any insurance we obtain would be adequate to cover any losses or liabilities. We cannot predict the continued availability of insurance or the availability of insurance at premium levels that justify its purchase. The occurrence of a significant event not fully insured or indemnified against could materially and adversely affect our financial condition and operations.

Pollution and environmental risks generally are not fully insurable. The occurrence of an event not fully covered by insurance could have a material adverse effect on our future financial condition. If we were unable to obtain adequate insurance, we could be forced to participate in all of our activities on a non-operated basis, which would limit our ability to control the risks associated with oil and natural gas operations.

## Research and Development

We do not currently, and did not previously, have any research and development policies in place. The Company formed Petro Spring, LLC, a wholly owned subsidiary, on December 12, 2013, to begin to focus on technology solutions. As of April 30, 2014, no funds were expended by our Company on research and development activities.

## Employees

At April 30, 2014 we employed 7 employees.

## Geographical Area of the Company's Business

The principal market that we compete in is the North American energy market, specifically the North American oil market. The Company is currently contemplating expansion in to international energy markets.

## ITEM 1A. RISK FACTORS

You should carefully consider the following risk factors, in addition to the other information set forth in this Report, in connection with any investment decision regarding shares of our common stock. Each of these risk factors could adversely affect our business, operating results and financial condition, as well as adversely affect the value of an investment in our common stock. Some information in this Report may contain "forward-looking" statements that discuss future expectations of our financial condition and results of operation. The risk factors noted in this section and other factors could cause our actual results to differ materially from those contained in any forward-looking statements.

### RISKS RELATING TO OUR BUSINESS

*If we are unable to obtain additional funding our business operations will be harmed and if we do obtain additional financing our then existing shareholders may suffer substantial dilution.*

We will require additional capital to continue to operate our business and to further expand our exploration and development programs. We may be unable to obtain additional capital required. Furthermore, inability to maintain capital may damage our reputation and credibility with industry participants. Our inability to raise additional funds when required may have a negative impact on our consolidated results of operations and financial condition.

Future acquisitions and future exploration, development, production, leasing activities and marketing activities, as well as our administrative requirements (such as salaries, insurance expenses and general overhead expenses, as well as legal compliance costs and accounting expenses) will require a substantial amount of additional capital and cash flow.

We plan to pursue sources of additional capital through various financing transactions or arrangements, including joint venturing of projects, debt financing, equity financing or other means. We may not be successful in locating suitable financing transactions in the time period required or at all, and we may not obtain the capital we require by other means. This may adversely affect our consolidated financial results, financial condition and ability to continue as a going concern.

Any additional capital raised through the sale of equity will likely dilute your ownership percentage. This could also result in a decrease in the fair market value of our equity securities because our assets would be owned by a larger pool of outstanding equity. The terms of securities we issue in future capital transactions may be more favorable to our new investors, and may include preferences, superior voting rights and the issuance of warrants or other derivative securities, and issuances of incentive awards under equity employee incentive plans, which may have a further dilutive effect.

Our ability to obtain needed financing may be impaired by such factors as the capital markets (both generally and in the oil and gas industry in particular), our status as a new enterprise without a significant demonstrated operating history, the location of our oil and natural gas properties and prices of oil and natural gas on the commodities markets (which will impact the amount of asset-based financing available to us) and/or the loss of key management. Further, if oil and/or natural gas prices on the commodities markets decrease, then our revenues will likely decrease, and such decreased revenues may increase our requirements for capital. If the amount of capital we are able to raise from financing activities, together with our revenues from operations, is not sufficient to satisfy our capital needs (even to the extent that we reduce our operations), we may be required to cease our operations.

We may incur substantial costs in pursuing future capital financing, including investment banking fees, legal fees, accounting fees, securities law compliance fees, printing and distribution expenses and other costs. We may also be required to recognize non-cash expenses in connection with certain securities we may issue, such as convertible notes and warrants, which may adversely impact our consolidated financial results.

***We have a history of losses which may continue, which may negatively impact our ability to achieve our business objectives and continue as a going concern.***

We incurred a net loss of \$8,953,529 for the year ended April 30, 2014. To date, we have acquired interests in oil and gas properties, but have not established a project on any of our properties that generates commercial revenues. We cannot assure you that we can achieve or sustain profitability on a quarterly or annual basis in the future. Our operations are subject to the risks and competition inherent in the establishment of a business enterprise. There can be no assurance that future operations will be profitable. Revenues and profits, if any, will depend upon various factors, including whether we will be able to continue expansion of our revenue. We may not achieve our business objectives and the failure to achieve such goals would have an adverse impact on us.

As our Kansas and Missouri properties are in early stages of development, we may not be able to establish commercial reserves on these projects. Exploration for commercial reserves of oil is subject to a number of risk factors. Few of the properties that are explored are ultimately developed into producing oil and/or gas fields. To April 30, 2014, only a portion of the reserves associated with the Missouri Marmaton River and Grassy Creek projects are classified as developed and production activities have been suspended since September 2011. Management determined that these properties were impaired and continues to seek funding so that the Company can consider future development of its heavy oil properties. We may not be able to establish commercial reserves and it is therefore considered to be an exploration stage company.

***We have a limited operating history and if we are not successful in continuing to grow our business, then we may have to scale back or even cease our ongoing business operations.***

We have received a limited amount of revenues from operations and have limited assets. To date, we have acquired interests in oil and gas properties, but have not established a project on any of our properties that generates commercial revenues and there can be no assurance that we will ever operate profitably. We have a limited operating history. Our success is significantly dependent on a successful acquisition, drilling, completion and production program. Our operations will be subject to all the risks inherent in the establishment of a developing enterprise and the uncertainties arising from the absence of a significant operating history. We may be unable to locate recoverable reserves or operate on a profitable basis. We are in the exploration stage and potential investors should be aware of the difficulties normally encountered by enterprises in the exploration stage. If our business plan is not successful, and we are not able to operate profitably, investors may lose some or all of their investment.

***Because we are small and do not have much capital, we may have to limit our exploration activity which may result in a loss of your investment.***

Because we are small and do not have much capital, we must limit our exploration activity. As such we may not be able to complete an exploration program that is as thorough as we would like. In that event, existing reserves may go undiscovered. Without finding reserves, we cannot generate revenues and you will lose your investment.

We had cash and cash equivalents at April 30, 2014 of \$8,352,949, as compared to \$5,703,082 at April 30, 2013. At April 30, 2014, we had a working capital of approximately \$7.5 million. Management believes that the current level of working capital is sufficient to maintain current operations in Kansas and Missouri as well as the planned added operations for the next 12 months. Management intends to continue to raise capital through debt and equity instruments.

***Strategic relationships upon which we may rely are subject to change, which may diminish our ability to conduct our operations.***

Our ability to successfully acquire additional properties, to discover and develop reserves, to participate in drilling opportunities and to identify and enter into commercial arrangements with customers will depend on developing and maintaining close working relationships with industry participants and on our ability to select and evaluate suitable properties and to consummate transactions in a highly competitive environment. These realities are subject to change and may impair our ability to grow.

To develop our business, we will endeavor to use the business relationships of our management to enter into strategic relationships, which may take the form of joint ventures with other private parties and contractual arrangements with other oil and gas companies, including those that supply equipment and other resources that we will use in our business. We may not be able to establish these strategic relationships, or if established, we may not be able to maintain them. In addition, the dynamics of our relationships with strategic partners may require us to incur expenses or undertake activities we would not otherwise be inclined to in order to fulfill our obligations to these partners or maintain our relationships. If our strategic relationships are not established or maintained, our business prospects may be limited, which could diminish our ability to conduct our operations.

***Our results of operations as well as the carrying value of our oil and gas properties are substantially dependent upon the prices of oil and natural gas, which historically have been volatile and are likely to continue to be volatile.***

The Company currently has no proven reserves. These unproved property costs include non-producing leasehold, geological and geophysical costs associated with leasehold or drilling interests and in process exploration drilling costs. All costs excluded are reviewed at least annually to determine if impairment has occurred. In the future, our results of operations and the ceiling on the carrying value of our oil and gas properties are dependent on the estimated present value of proved reserves, which depends on the prevailing prices for oil and gas, which are and are likely to continue to be volatile. Recent world events have significantly increased oil and gas prices, but we cannot assure that such prices will continue. Various factors beyond our control affect prices of oil and natural gas, including political and economic conditions; worldwide and domestic supplies of and demand for oil and gas; weather conditions; the ability of the members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries to agree on and maintain price and production controls; political instability or armed conflict in oil-producing regions; the price of foreign imports; the level of consumer demand; the price and availability of alternative fuels; and changes in existing federal and state regulations. Current prices for oil are at or near historical highs, and any significant decline in oil or gas prices could have a material adverse effect on our operations, financial condition, and level of development and exploration expenditures and could result in a reduction in the carrying value of our oil and gas properties. Any decline in prices would cause a reduction in the amount of any reserves and, in turn, in the amount that we might be able to borrow to fund development and acquisition activities. To date, we do not believe that the lack of reserves has hindered our efforts to obtain the capital we have sought.

***Fluctuations in oil and natural gas prices, which have been volatile at times, may adversely affect our revenues as well as our ability to borrow money, repay future indebtedness and obtain additional capital.***

Our future financial condition, access to capital, cash flows and results of operations depend upon the prices we receive for our oil and natural gas. Historically, oil and natural gas prices have been volatile and are subject to fluctuations in response to changes in supply and demand, market uncertainty and a variety of additional factors that are beyond our control. Factors that affect the prices we receive for our oil and natural gas include:

- the level of domestic production;
- the availability of imported oil and natural gas;
- political and economic conditions and events in foreign oil and natural gas producing nations, including embargoes, continued hostilities in the Middle East and other sustained military campaigns, and acts of terrorism or sabotage;
- the ability of members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries to agree to and maintain oil price and production controls;
- the cost and availability of transportation and pipeline systems with adequate capacity;
- the cost and availability of other competitive fuels;
- fluctuating and seasonal demand for oil, natural gas and refined products;
- concerns about global warming or other conservation initiatives and the extent of governmental price controls and regulation of production;
- weather;
- foreign and domestic government relations; and
- overall economic conditions, particularly the recent worldwide economic slowdown which has put downward pressure on oil and natural gas prices and demand.

In the past, prices of oil and natural gas have been extremely volatile, and we expect this volatility to continue. Our revenues, cash flow and profitability and our ability to borrow money, to repay future indebtedness and to obtain additional capital depend substantially upon oil and natural gas prices.

***We face significant competition, and many of our competitors have resources in excess of our available resources.***

The oil and gas industry is highly competitive. We encounter competition from other oil and gas companies in all areas of our operations, including the acquisition of producing properties and exploratory prospects and sale of crude oil, natural gas and natural gas liquids. Our competitors include major integrated oil and gas companies and numerous independent oil and gas companies, individuals and drilling and income programs. Many of our competitors are large, well established companies with substantially larger operating staffs and greater capital resources than us. Such companies may be able to pay more for productive oil and gas properties and exploratory prospects and to define, evaluate, bid for and purchase a greater number of properties and prospects than our financial or human resources permit. Our ability to acquire additional properties and to discover reserves in the future will depend upon our ability to evaluate and select suitable properties and to consummate transactions in this highly competitive environment.

***Exploratory drilling is a speculative activity that may not result in commercially productive reserves and may require expenditures in excess of budgeted amounts.***

Drilling activities are subject to many risks, including the risk that no commercially productive oil or gas reservoirs will be encountered. There can be no assurance that new wells drilled by us or in which we have an interest will be productive or that we will recover all or any portion of our investment. Drilling for oil and gas may involve unprofitable efforts, not only from dry wells, but also from wells that are productive but do not produce sufficient net revenues to return a profit after drilling, operating and other costs. The cost of drilling, completing and operating wells is often uncertain. Our drilling operations may be curtailed, delayed or canceled as a result of a variety of factors, many of which are beyond our control, including economic conditions, mechanical problems, pressure or irregularities in formations, title problems, weather conditions, compliance with governmental requirements and shortages in or delays in the delivery of equipment and services. Such equipment shortages and delays sometimes involve drilling rigs where inclement weather prohibits the movement of land rigs causing a high demand for rigs by a large number of companies during a relatively short period of time. Our future drilling activities may not be successful. Lack of drilling success could have a material adverse effect on our financial condition and results of operations.

Our operations are also subject to all of the hazards and risks normally incident to the development, exploitation, production and transportation of, and the exploration for, oil and gas, including unusual or unexpected geologic formations, pressures, down hole fires, mechanical failures, blowouts, explosions, uncontrollable flows of oil, gas or well fluids and pollution and other environmental risks. These hazards could result in substantial losses to us due to injury and loss of life, severe damage to and destruction of property and equipment, pollution and other environmental damage and suspension of operations. Insurance for wells in which we participate is generally obtained, although there can be no assurances that such coverage will be sufficient to prevent a material adverse effect to us if any of the foregoing events occur.

***We may not identify all risks associated with the acquisition of oil and natural gas properties, or existing wells, and any indemnifications we receive from sellers may be insufficient to protect us from such risks, which may result in unexpected liabilities and costs to us.***

Our business strategy focuses on acquisitions of undeveloped and unproven oil and natural gas properties that we believe are capable of production. We may make additional acquisitions of undeveloped oil and gas properties from time to time, subject to available resources. Any future acquisitions will require an assessment of recoverable reserves, title, future oil and natural gas prices, operating costs, potential environmental hazards, potential tax and other liabilities and other factors.

Generally, it is not feasible for us to review in detail every individual property involved in a potential acquisition. In making acquisitions, we generally focus most of our title and valuation efforts on the properties that we believe to be more significant, or of higher-value. Even a detailed review of properties and records may not reveal all existing or potential problems, nor would it permit us to become sufficiently familiar with the properties to assess fully their deficiencies and capabilities. In addition, we do not inspect in detail every well that we acquire. Potential problems, such as deficiencies in the mechanical integrity of equipment or environmental conditions that may require significant remedial expenditures, are not necessarily observable even when we perform a detailed inspection. Any unidentified problems could result in material liabilities and costs that negatively impact our financial condition and results of operations.

Even if we are able to identify problems with an acquisition, the seller may be unwilling or unable to provide effective contractual protection or indemnity against all or part of these problems. Even if a seller agrees to provide indemnity, the indemnity may not be fully enforceable or may be limited by floors and caps, and the financial wherewithal of such seller may significantly limit our ability to recover our costs and expenses. Any limitation on our ability to recover the costs related any potential problem could materially impact our financial condition and results of operations.

***We have a history of operating losses and we may not become profitable. If we are not able to achieve and maintain profitability in the future, we might not be able to access funds through debt or equity financings.***

Historically, we have funded our operating losses, acquisitions and drilling costs primarily through a combination of private offerings of debt and equity securities. Our success in obtaining the necessary capital resources to fund future costs associated with our operations and drilling plans is dependent upon our ability to: (i) increase revenues through acquisitions and recovery of our proved producing and proved developed non-producing oil and gas reserves; and (ii) obtain additional financing. However, even if we achieve some success with our plans, there can be no assurance that we will be able to generate sufficient revenues to achieve significant profitable operations or to fund our drilling plans.

***We are/will be subject to various operating and other casualty risks that could result in liability exposure or the loss of production and revenues.***

Our oil and gas business involves/(will involve as operations activities increase) a variety of operating risks, including, but not limited to, unexpected formations or pressures, uncontrollable flows of oil, gas, brine or well fluids into the environment (including groundwater contamination), blowouts, fires, explosions, pollution and other risks, any of which could result in personal injuries, loss of life, damage to properties and substantial losses. Although we carry insurance at levels that we believe are reasonable, we are not fully insured against all risks. We do not carry business interruption insurance. Losses and liabilities arising from uninsured or under-insured events could have a material adverse effect on our financial condition and operations.

The cost of operating wells is often uncertain. Our drilling operations may be curtailed, delayed or canceled as a result of numerous factors, including title problems, weather conditions, compliance with governmental requirements and shortages or delays in the delivery of equipment. Furthermore, completion of a well does not assure a profit on the investment or a recovery of drilling, completion and operating costs.

***The liquidity, market price and volume of our stock are volatile.***

Our common stock is not traded on any exchange, but is currently quoted on the U.S. OTC Markets. The liquidity of our common stock may be adversely affected, and purchasers of our common stock may have difficulty selling our common stock, particularly if our common stock does not continue to be quoted on the U.S. OTC Markets on another recognized quotation services or exchange.

The trading price of our common stock could be subject to wide fluctuations in response to quarter-to-quarter variations in our operating results, announcements of our drilling results and other events or factors. In addition, the U.S. stock markets have from time to time experienced extreme price and volume fluctuations that have affected the market price for many companies and which often have been unrelated to the operating performance of these companies. These broad market fluctuations may adversely affect the market price of our securities.

***Our stock is categorized as a penny stock. Trading of our stock may be restricted by the SEC's penny stock regulations which may limit a stockholder's ability to buy and sell our stock.***

Our stock is categorized as a "penny stock." The SEC has adopted Rule 15g-9 which generally defines "penny stock" to be any equity security that has a market price (as defined) less than \$5.00 per share or an exercise price of less than \$5.00 per share, subject to certain exceptions. Our securities are covered by the penny stock rules, which impose additional sales practice requirements on broker-dealers who sell to persons other than established customers and accredited investors. The penny stock rules require a broker-dealer, prior to a transaction in a penny stock not otherwise exempt from the rules, to deliver a standardized risk disclosure document in a form prepared by the SEC which provides information about penny stocks and the nature and level of risks in the penny stock market. The broker-dealer also must provide the customer with current bid and offer quotations for the penny stock, the compensation of the broker-dealer and its salesperson in the transaction and monthly account statements showing the market value of each penny stock held in the customer's account. The bid and offer quotations, and the broker-dealer and salesperson compensation information, must be given to the customer orally or in writing prior to effecting the transaction and must be given to the customer in writing before or with the customer's confirmation. In addition, the penny stock rules require that prior to a transaction in a penny stock not otherwise exempt from these rules, the broker-dealer must make a special written determination that the penny stock is a suitable investment for the purchaser and receive the purchaser's written agreement to the transaction. These disclosure requirements may have the effect of reducing the level of trading activity in the secondary market for the stock that is subject to these penny stock rules. Consequently, these penny stock rules may affect the ability of broker-dealers to trade our securities. We believe that the penny stock rules discourage investor interest in and limit the marketability of our common stock.

***FINRA sales practice requirements may also limit a stockholder's ability to buy and sell our stock.***

In addition to the "penny stock" rules described above, the Financial Industry Regulatory Authority ("FINRA") has adopted rules that require that in recommending an investment to a customer, a broker-dealer must have reasonable grounds for believing that the investment is suitable for that customer. Prior to recommending speculative low priced securities to their non-institutional customers, broker-dealers must make reasonable efforts to obtain information about the customer's financial status, tax status, investment objectives and other information. Under interpretations of these rules, FINRA believes that there is a high probability that speculative low priced securities will not be suitable for at least some customers. The FINRA requirements make it more difficult for broker-dealers to recommend that their customers buy our common stock, which may limit your ability to buy and sell our stock and have an adverse effect on the market for our shares.

***Our internal controls over financial reporting have been determined to not be effective, which could have a significant and adverse effect on our business.***

Section 404 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 and the related rules and regulations of the SEC, which we collectively refer to as "Section 404," require us to evaluate our internal controls over financial reporting to allow management to report on those internal controls as of the end of each year. Effective internal controls are necessary for us to produce reliable financial reports and are important in our effort to prevent financial fraud. In the course of our Section 404 evaluations, we have identified conditions that resulted in significant deficiencies or material weaknesses and we have concluded that enhancements, modifications or changes to our internal controls are necessary or desirable. Implementing any such matters would divert the attention of our management, could involve significant costs, and may negatively impact our results of operations.

We note that there are inherent limitations on the effectiveness of internal controls, as they cannot prevent collusion, management override or failure of human judgment. If we fail to maintain an effective system of internal controls or if management or our independent registered public accounting firm were to discover material weaknesses in our internal controls, we may be unable to produce reliable financial reports or prevent fraud, and it could harm our financial condition and results of operations, result in a loss of investor confidence and negatively impact our share price.

***We may not have satisfactory title or rights to all of our current or future properties.***

Prior to acquiring undeveloped properties, our contract land professionals review title records or other title review materials relating to substantially all of such properties. The title investigation performed by us prior to acquiring undeveloped properties is thorough, but less rigorous than that conducted prior to drilling, consistent with industry standards. Prior to drilling we obtain a title opinion on the drill site. However, a title opinion does not necessarily ensure satisfactory title. We believe we have satisfactory title to our producing properties in accordance with standards generally accepted in the oil and gas industry. Our properties are subject to customary royalty interests, liens incident to operating agreements, liens for current taxes and other burdens, which we believe do not materially interfere with the use of or affect the value of such properties. In the normal course of our business, title defects and lease issues of varying degrees arise, and, if practicable, reasonable efforts are made to cure such defects and issues.

***Governmental regulations could adversely affect our business.***

Our business is subject to certain federal, state and local laws and regulations on taxation, the exploration for, and development, production and marketing of, oil and natural gas, and environmental and safety matters. Many laws and regulations require drilling permits and govern the spacing of wells, rates of production, prevention of waste and other matters. These laws and regulations have increased the costs of our operations. In addition, these laws and regulations, and any others that are passed by the jurisdictions where we have production, could limit the total number of wells drilled or the allowable production from successful wells, which could limit our revenues.

***Laws and regulations relating to our business frequently change, and future laws and regulations, including changes to existing laws and regulations, could adversely affect our business.***

In particular and without limiting the foregoing, various tax proposals currently under consideration could result in an increase and acceleration of the payment of federal income taxes assessed against independent oil and natural gas producers, for example by eliminating the ability to expense intangible drilling costs, removing the percentage depletion allowance and increasing the amortization period for geological and geophysical expenses. Any of these changes would increase our tax burden.

All states in which the Company owns leases require permits for drilling operations, drilling bonds and reports concerning operations and impose other requirements relating to the exploration for and production of oil and gas. Such states also have statutes or regulations addressing conservation matters, including provisions for the unitization or pooling of oil and gas properties, the establishment of maximum rates of production from wells and the regulation of spacing, plugging and abandonment of such wells. The statutes and regulations of these states limit the rate at which oil and gas can be produced from our properties. However, we do not believe we will be affected materially differently by these statutes and regulations than any other similarly situated oil and gas company.

***Environmental liabilities could adversely affect our business.***

In the event of a release of oil, natural gas or other pollutants from our operations into the environment, we could incur liability for any and all consequences of such release, including personal injuries, property damage, cleanup costs and governmental fines. We could potentially discharge these materials into the environment in several ways, including:

- from a well or drilling equipment at a drill site;
- leakage from gathering systems, pipelines, transportation facilities and storage tanks;
- damage to oil and natural gas wells resulting from accidents during normal operations; and
- blowouts, cratering and explosions.

In addition, because we may acquire interests in properties that have been operated in the past by others, we may be liable for environmental damage, including historical contamination, caused by such former operators. Additional liabilities could also arise from continuing violations or contamination that we have not yet discovered relating to the acquired properties or any of our other properties.

To the extent we incur any environmental liabilities, it could adversely affect our results of operations or financial condition.

***Climate change legislation, regulation and litigation could materially adversely affect us.***

There is an increased focus by local, state and national regulatory bodies on greenhouse gas (“GHG”) emissions and climate change. Various regulatory bodies have announced their intent to regulate GHG emissions, including the United States Environmental Protection Agency, which promulgated several GHG regulations in 2010 and late 2009. As these regulations are under development or are being challenged in the courts, we are unable to predict the total impact of these potential regulations upon our business, and it is possible that we could face increases in operating costs in order to comply with GHG emission legislation.

Passage of legislation or regulations that regulate or restrict emissions of GHG, or GHG-related litigation instituted against us, could result in direct costs to us and could also result in changes to the consumption and demand for natural gas and carbon dioxide produced from our oil and natural gas properties, any of which could have a material adverse effect on our business, financial position, results of operations and prospects.

*We may be responsible for additional costs in connection with abandonment of properties.*

We are responsible for payment of plugging and abandonment costs on our oil and gas properties pro rata to our working interest. There can be no assurance that we will be successful in avoiding additional expenses in connection with the abandonment of any of our properties. In addition, abandonment costs and their timing may change due to many factors, including actual production results, inflation rates and changes in environmental laws and regulations.

## **ITEM 1B. UNRESOLVED STAFF COMMENTS**

None.

## **ITEM 2. PROPERTIES**

### ***Missouri***

At April 30, 2014, the Company's Missouri lease holdings totaled 1,272 gross acres with a 98.4% working interest.

On separate pilot projects at Deerfield, the Company built two 500 barrel of oil per day steam drive production facilities (Marmaton River and Grassy Creek) comprised of 116 production wells, 39 steam injection wells and 14 service and observation wells. Throughout the Deerfield area, the predecessor Company has drilled 73 exploration/delineation wells with a 67% success rate.

As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, all Missouri assets were carried at salvage value, since the Company's current business plans do not contemplate raising the necessary capital to develop these properties. The company is in current discussions with third parties to use the acreage as a testing site for heavy oil solutions with contemplated profit sharing opportunities.

### ***Kentucky***

As a result of the Share Exchange, the Company acquired Kentucky lease holdings which include a 37.5 % working interest in 27,150 unproved gross acres (10,181 net acres). At April 30, 2014 the Kentucky lease holdings acquired as a result of the share exchange have expired.

### ***Montana***

As of April 30, 2014, the Montana leasehold in the Devils Basin prospect have expired.

As April 30, 2013, the assets were carried at salvage value. During the year ended April 30, 2014, management fully impaired the asset to zero as a result of the leases expiring.

### ***Kansas***

The Company has 105,277 gross/80,225 net acres in the Mississippi Lime play. The Company also acquired over 60 square miles of proprietary 3D seismic data over prospective Mississippi Lime acreage in the same area.

The acquisition of the Mississippi Lime play oil and gas assets for \$12.2 million in 2012, consisted of a 100% interest in 120 oil and gas leases which cover approximately 85,000 gross mineral acres located in various counties in the state of Kansas. During the year ended April 30, 2014, the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013 and for the period February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012, the Company capitalized approximately an additional \$327,002, \$98,764 and \$12,191,965 of Kansas oil and gas expenditures.

As of April 30, 2014, management engaged an independent third party to test the Kansas assets for impairment. Throughout the year, management was not aware of any impairment indicators, but during the annual impairment test, the third party specialist concluded that the Kansas assets were impaired by \$4,638,973, principally due to comparable acreage values.

**Other**

Other property consists primarily of four used steam generators and related equipment that will be assigned to future projects. As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, management concluded that an impairment was not necessary because the assets are being carried at salvage value.

**Operational and Project Review**

The following table summarizes the costs incurred in oil and gas property acquisition, exploration, and development activities for the Company for the year ended April 30, 2014, the four months ended April 30, 2013 and for the period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012:

<u>Cost</u>	<u>Missouri</u>	<u>Kentucky</u>	<u>Montana</u>	<u>Kansas</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Total</u>
Balance, February 2, 2012	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Additions	-	-	-	12,191,965	-	12,191,965
Asset retirement obligations	-	-	-	143,035	-	143,035
Depreciation and amortization	-	-	-	(80,481)	-	(80,481)
Balance December 31, 2012	-	-	-	12,254,519	-	12,254,519
Assets acquired in reverse merger	918,991	-	75,000	-	100,000	1,093,991
Additions	-	-	-	98,764	-	98,764
Excess purchase price paid	1,093,527	-	-	-	-	1,093,527
Impairment of excess purchase price	(1,093,527)	-	-	-	-	(1,093,527)
Depreciation and amortization	-	-	-	(24,185)	-	(24,185)
Balance April 30, 2013	918,991	-	75,000	12,329,098	100,000	13,423,089
Additions	-	-	-	327,002	-	327,002
Impairment of oil and gas assets	-	-	(75,000)	(4,638,973)	-	(4,713,973)
Depreciation and amortization	-	-	-	(94,526)	-	(94,526)
Balance April 30, 2014	<u>\$ 918,991</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 7,922,601</u>	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>\$ 8,941,592</u>

The Company performed a test of oil and gas assets as of April 30, 2013, and concluded that the excess purchase price paid for its Missouri property exceeded its net realizable value, and as a result it recognized an impairment in the amount of \$1,093,527. As of April 30, 2014, management performed a third party study of the oil and gas assets. Management concluded that the Montana assets were impaired by \$75,000 and the Kansas assets were impaired by \$4,638,973. The Company recorded a \$4,713,973 impairment to the statement of operations during the year ended April 30, 2014.

#### Oil Wells, Properties, Operations, and Acreage

The following table sets forth the number of oil wells in which we held a working interest as of April 30, 2014 and 2013:

	Producing				Non-Producing			
	April 30, 2014		April 30, 2013		April 30, 2014		April 30, 2013	
	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net	Gross	Net
Kansas	5	2.5	5	2.5	37	34.5	37	34.5
Missouri (1)	-	-	-	-	117	117	117	117
Kentucky (1)	-	-	-	-	5	1.9	5	1.9
Montana (1)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Texas (1)	-	-	-	-	5	3.75	5	3.75
<b>Total</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>2.5</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>157.15</b>	<b>164</b>	<b>157.15</b>

(1) We acquired the predecessor assets of Petro River Oil Corporation on April 23, 2013.

The following table sets forth the lease areas we have an interest in, by area, as of April 30, 2014 and 2013:

Project Areas	April 30, 2014		April 30, 2013	
	Gross	Net	Gross	Net
Kansas	105,277	80,225	115,366	85,182
Missouri (1)	1,272	1,212	22,832	22,470
Kentucky (1)	-	-	27,150	10,181
Texas (1)	-	-	-	-
Montana (1)	-	-	1,175	881
<b>Total</b>	<b>106,549</b>	<b>81,437</b>	<b>166,523</b>	<b>118,714</b>

(1) We have no plans for any further material expenditure on these properties as a result of the legal acquiror's prior drilling results and a lack of resources.

#### Oil and Natural Gas Reserves

Oil and natural gas information is provided in accordance with the United States Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") Topic 932 - "Extractive Activities - Oil and Gas".

Petro has no proven oil and gas reserves as of April 30, 2014 and 2013. The legal acquirer had proven reserves but had previously written down such reserves to net salvage value. As a result of the Share Exchange, the Company is carrying these reserves at net salvage value. The Company does not have any natural gas reserves. For the year ended April 30, 2013 the reports by GLJ Petroleum Consultants ("GLJ") covered 100% of the Company's oil reserves. The Company did not have any recorded reserves as of April 31, 2014 and 2013.

Proved oil and natural gas reserves, as defined within SEC Rule 4-10(a)(22) of Regulation S-X, are those quantities of oil and gas, which, by analysis of geoscience and engineering data can be estimated with reasonable certainty to be economically producible from a given date forward from known reservoirs, and under existing economic conditions, operating methods and government regulations prior to the time of which contracts providing the right to operate expire, unless evidence indicates that renewal is reasonably certain, regardless of whether determinable or probabilistic methods are used for the estimation. The project to extract the hydrocarbons must have commenced or the operator must be reasonably certain that it will commence the project within a reasonable time. Developed oil and natural gas reserves are reserves that can be expected to be recovered from existing wells with existing equipment and operating methods or in which the cost of the required equipment is relatively minor compared to the cost of a new well; and through installed extraction equipment and infrastructure operational at the time of the reserves estimate is the extraction is by means not involving a well. Estimates of the Company's oil reserves are subject to uncertainty and will change as additional information regarding producing fields and technology becomes available and as future economic and operating conditions change.

Our undeveloped acreage includes leased acres on which wells have not been drilled or completed to a point that would permit the production of commercial quantities of oil and natural gas, regardless of whether or not such acreage is held by production or contains proved reserves. A gross acre is an acre in which we own an interest. A net acre is deemed to exist when the sum of fractional ownership interests in gross acres equals one. The number of net acres is the sum of the fractional interests owned in gross acres.

#### Net Production, Unit Prices and Costs

The following table presents certain information with respect to our oil and natural gas production and prices and costs attributable to all oil and natural gas properties owned by us for the periods shown.

**For the year ended April 30, 2014, the period ended April 30, 2013 and  
for the period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) through December 31, 2012**

	<u>2014</u>	<u>2013</u>	<u>2012</u>
<b>Production volumes:</b>			
Oil (Bbls)	3,187	1,706	-
Natural gas (Mcf)	28,550	19,276	-
Total (Boe)	7,946	4,919	-
<b>Average realized prices:</b>			
Oil (per Bbl)	\$ 93.60	\$ 86.70	\$ -
Natural gas (per Mcf)	\$ 3.10	\$ 2.78	\$ -
Total per Boe	\$ 45.82	\$ 40.97	\$ -
<b>Average production cost:</b>			
Total per Boe	\$ 32.01	\$ 39.65	\$ -

#### Drilling and Other Exploratory and Development Activities

As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, the Company did not have any drilling, exploratory or development activity.

#### ITEM 3. LEGAL PROCEEDINGS

In January 2010, the Company experienced a flood in its Calgary office premises as a result of a broken water pipe. There was significant damage to the premises rendering them unusable until remediation was completed by the landlord. Pursuant to the lease contract, the Company asserted that rent should be abated during the remediation process and accordingly, the Company ceased making rent payments in December 2009. During the remediation process, the Company engaged an independent environmental testing company to test for air quality and for the existence of other potentially hazardous conditions. The testing revealed the existence of potentially hazardous mold and the consultant provided specific written instructions for the effective remediation of the premises. During the remediation process, the landlord did not follow the consultant's instructions to correct the potentially hazardous mold situation, and subsequently in June 2010, gave notice and declared the premises to be ready for occupancy. The Company re-engaged the consultant to re-test the premises and the testing results again revealed the presence of potentially hazardous mold. The Company determined that the premises were not fit for re-occupancy, considered the landlord to be in default of the lease, and considered the lease to be terminated.

The landlord disputed the Company's position and gave notice that it considers the Company to be in default of the lease for failure to re-occupy the premises.

The landlord has previously claimed that the Company owed monthly rent for the premises from January 2010 to June 30, 2010 in the amount of \$247,348 and as a result of the alleged default, pursuant to the terms of the lease, the Company owed three months accelerated rent in the amount of \$114,837. The landlord previously also asserted that the Company would be liable for an amount up to the full lease obligation of \$1,596,329 which otherwise would have been due as follows:

Year Ended April 30		
2011	\$	473,055
2012		473,055
2013		473,055
2014		177,164
Total	\$	<u>1,596,329</u>

On January 30, 2014, the landlord filed a Statement of Claim with the Court of Queen's Bench of Alberta against the Company in the approximate amount of \$759,000. On March 26, 2014, the Company filed a Statement of Defence in which it challenged the allegations made by the landlord. The Company claims that the two year limitation period as defined under the "Limitations Act", as established in Alberta, Canada, has been exceeded and therefore the Statement of Claim filed by the landlord should be barred in its entirety.

On March 15, 2013, a former employee of the Company (VP-Operations) commenced an action in the Court of Queen's Bench of Alberta claiming wrongful termination and seeking severance in an amount approximating US\$185,000. On May 3, 2013, the Company reached a settlement with the former employee and entered into a formal settlement and release of claims agreement. As consideration for full settlement and mutual release, the Company issued the former employee 200,000 shares of common stock of the Company, valued at \$0.40 per share or \$80,000, and paid \$50,000 during the year ended April 30, 2014, respectively.

In September 2013, the Company was notified by the Railroad Commission of Texas (the "Commission") that the Company was not in compliance with regulations promulgated by the Commission. The Company was therefore deemed to have lost its corporate privileges within the State of Texas and as a result, all wells within the state would have to be plugged. The Commission therefore collected \$25,000 from the Company, which was originally deposited with the Commission, to cover a portion of the estimated costs of \$88,960 to plug the wells. In addition to the above, the Commission also reserved its right to separately seek any remedies against the Company resulting from its noncompliance.

Petro River anticipates possible future litigation relating to the validity of its leasehold rights to one of its legacy assets, the Marmaton property, located in Missouri.

#### **ITEM 4. MINE SAFETY DISCLOSURES**

Not applicable

## PART II

### ITEM 5. MARKET FOR REGISTRANT'S COMMON EQUITY, RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS AND ISSUER PURCHASES OF EQUITY SECURITIES

Our common shares have traded in the United States on the Over-the-Counter Bulletin Board exchange (OTC) under the symbol "PTRC".

The following table sets forth the quarterly average high and low bid prices per share for our common stock for the two most recently completed fiscal years in the period that ended on April 30, 2014.

Fiscal Year Ended	Common Stock	
	High	Low
<b>April 30, 2014</b>		
First Quarter	\$ 0.225	\$ 0.215
Second Quarter	\$ 0.035	\$ 0.025
Third Quarter	\$ 0.09	\$ 0.085
Fourth Quarter	\$ 0.065	\$ 0.063
<b>April 30, 2013</b>		
First Quarter	\$ 0.115	\$ 0.0021
Second Quarter	\$ 0.094	\$ 0.041
Third Quarter	\$ 0.135	\$ 0.022
Fourth Quarter	\$ 0.500	\$ 0.130

#### Holders

As of August 5, 2014, we had 318 holders of record of our registered common stock, and our common stock had a closing bid price of \$0.05 per share.

#### Dividends and Related Policy

We presently intend to retain all earnings, if any, for use in our business operations and accordingly, the Board of Directors (the "Board") does not anticipate declaring any cash dividends for the foreseeable future. Any future determination to pay dividends will be at the discretion of the Board and will be contingent upon our financial condition, results of operations, current and anticipated cash needs, restrictions contained in current or future financing instruments, plans for expansion and such other factors as the Board deems relevant. We have not paid any cash dividends on our common stock.

#### Transfer Agent and Registrar

Our transfer agent is Computer Share Investor Services located at 510 Burrard Street, 3<sup>rd</sup> Floor, Vancouver, British Columbia V6C3B9, Canada. Their telephone number is 604-661-9408.

#### Recent Sales of Unregistered Securities

None.

#### Purchases of Equity Securities by the Issuer and Affiliated Purchasers.

None.

### ITEM 6. SELECTED FINANCIAL DATA

Not applicable.

## ITEM 7. MANAGEMENT'S DISCUSSION AND ANALYSIS OF FINANCIAL CONDITION AND RESULTS OF OPERATION

### Forward Looking Statements

The following is management's discussion and analysis of certain significant factors which have affected our financial position and operating results during the periods included in the accompanying consolidated financial statements, as well as information relating to the plans of our current management and should be read in conjunction with the accompanying financial statements and their related notes included in this Report. References in this section to "we," "us," "our," or the "Company" are to the consolidated business of Petro River Oil Corp. and its wholly owned and majority owned subsidiaries.

This Report contains forward-looking statements. Generally, the words "believes," "anticipates," "may," "will," "should," "expects," "intends," "estimates," "continues," and similar expressions or the negative thereof or comparable terminology are intended to identify forward-looking statements. Such statements are subject to certain risks and uncertainties, including the matters set forth in this Report or other reports or documents we file with the SEC from time to time, which could cause actual results or outcomes to differ materially from those projected. Undue reliance should not be placed on these forward-looking statements which speak only as of the date hereof. We undertake no obligation to update these forward-looking statements.

### Business Overview

The ultimate goal of the management of the Company is to maximize shareholder value. Specific targets include: increasing production by developing our acreage, increasing profitability margins by evaluating and optimizing our production, and executing our business plan to increase property values, reserves, and expanding our asset base.

We benefit from having an experienced management team with proven acquisition, operating and financing capabilities. Mr. Scot Cohen, our Executive Chairman, has over 20 years of financial management experience including five years as managing partner of Iroquois Capital Opportunity Fund, a private equity fund focused on oil and gas. He has raised equity and debt for a number of small and microcap public companies.

Mr. Cohen is joined by Luis Vierma, Daniel Smith and Ruben Alba who make up the Company's technical leadership. Mr. Vierma has 35 years of experience in oil and gas including VP of Exploration and Production at Petróleos de Venezuela, S.A. ("PDVSA") the fourth largest oil company in the world. Mr. Vierma has a BS in Chemistry and MS in Geology and leads the Company's Geological and Geophysical team. Mr. Smith is a registered petroleum engineer with over 15 years' experience. Mr. Smith spent his career at XTO Energy where he served as an operations engineer responsible for managing fields producing in excess of 100 million cubic feet of natural gas per day. Mr. Alba has been active in the oil and gas industry since 1997. Previously he was with Halliburton Energy Services and Superior Well Services overseeing regional technical staff and operations. Mr. Alba manages the Company's heavy oil projects in Missouri and Kentucky.

The Company is focused on developing its recently acquired Mississippi Lime acreage. Over the last 12 months the Company has continued to build out its leadership and technical team. Additionally, the Company has been in discussions with industry partners to capitalize and develop acreage in the Mississippi Lime. The Company continues to seek out joint venture partners and acquisition targets.

Projects related to our legacy heavy oil reservoirs are still in technical review but a determination has been made to continue testing pilot technologies and processes on the Missouri heavy oil assets. The Company has an extensive amount of technical and reservoir information on the Missouri positions. In Missouri, we are continuing to analyze reservoir data and testing results. The data is being utilized in the understanding and test phases to develop an economic heavy oil production reserve base.

Projects related to the heavy oil reservoirs are in technical review. The Company has an extensive amount of technical and reservoir information on both the Missouri and Kentucky positions. The data is being utilized in the understanding and test phases to develop an economic heavy oil production reserve base.

The Company continues to explore various opportunities to raise capital to support the growth of the Company. These opportunities include, without limitation, potential joint ventures with various on and off-shore entities and potential private issuances of equity, debt or a combination thereof. There can be no assurance that the Company will enter into any of these transactions. Mr. Cohen and Mr. Vierma have extensive experience in capital markets and oil and gas joint ventures. During his time as VP of Exploration and Production at PDVSA, Mr. Vierma negotiated billions of dollars of joint ventures with foreign oil and gas companies.

On December 12, 2013, the Company signed a Securities Purchase Agreement (the “Agreement”) with Petrol Lakes Holding Limited (“Petrol Lakes”). Pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, Petrol Lakes agreed to purchase: (i) 81,250,000 shares of the Company’s common stock, at a per share price of \$0.08, for an aggregate purchase price of \$6,500,000; and (ii) a warrant to purchase shares of the Company’s common stock. Under the terms of the warrant, Petrol Lakes may purchase up to 40,625,000 shares of the Company’s common stock at a per share price of \$0.1356, for an aggregate purchase price of \$6,500,000. The warrant, which is exercisable in whole or in part, will expire on December 12, 2015. The Company paid issuances costs of \$650,000.

Under the Agreement, Petrol Lakes also has the right to appoint one director to the Company’s Board of Directors, which director shall remain on the Board at least through the first annual meeting of the Company after the one year anniversary of the Agreement. As of the date hereof, Petrol Lakes has not exercised this right.

### Financial Condition and Results of Operations

As a result of the April 23, 2013 acquisition and share exchange transaction, Petro River Oil, LLC was deemed the accounting acquirer. All historical financial information is that of Petro River Oil, LLC.

*For the Year ended April 30, 2014 and the Period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013 and for the Period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012:*

Operations	<u>For the Year Ended April 30, 2014</u>	<u>For the Four Month Period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013</u>	<u>For the Period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012</u>
<b>Revenues</b>			
Oil and natural gas sales	\$ 372,179	\$ 184,676	\$ 16,901
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<u>372,179</u>	<u>184,676</u>	<u>16,901</u>
<b>Operating Expenses</b>			
Operating	286,507	144,439	82,663
General and administrative	4,195,437	623,136	526,460
Depreciation and accretion	153,108	29,304	80,481
Impairment of oil and gas assets	4,713,973	-	-
Impairment of excess purchase price	-	1,093,527	-
Gain on settlement of liability	(20,069)	-	-
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<u>9,328,956</u>	<u>1,890,406</u>	<u>689,604</u>
<b>Operating loss</b>	<u>(8,956,777)</u>	<u>(1,705,730)</u>	<u>(672,703)</u>
<b>Other income (expenses)</b>			
Interest and other income	3,253	5,174	34,658
Interest expense and amortization of debt discount	(5)	(619,178)	(1,277,572)
<b>Total other income (expenses)</b>	<u>3,248</u>	<u>(614,004)</u>	<u>(1,242,914)</u>
<b>Net Loss</b>	<u>\$ (8,953,529)</u>	<u>\$ (2,319,734)</u>	<u>\$ (1,915,617)</u>
<b>Net Loss per Common Share</b>			
<b>Basic and Diluted</b>	<u>\$ (0.01)</u>	<u>\$ (0.00)</u>	<u>\$ (0.00)</u>

### Oil Sales

During the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company recognized \$372,179 in oil and gas sales. The Company had \$253,779 in oil sales and \$118,400 in gas sales during the period. Sales were \$184,676 for the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013. Sales were \$16,901 for the period February 2, 2012 (inception) to December 31, 2012. The Company continues to recognize minimal sales. The Company is focused on raising capital in order to execute the business plan, as a result the Company is yet to generate material oil and gas sales.

### ***Interest and Other Income***

During the year ended April 30, 2014 interest and other income of \$3,253 consisted mainly of interest on cash balances, as compared interest and other income for period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013 of \$5,174 from the cash balances. For period February 2, 2012 (inception) to December 31, 2012 of \$34,658 which consisted mainly of interest earned on 10% demand notes to a related party. As of the date of the share exchange agreement, these demand loans were eliminated in the consolidation.

### ***Operating Expenses***

During the year ended April 30, 2014, operating expenses were \$286,507, as compared to operating expenses of \$144,439 for the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013 and \$82,663 for the period February 2, 2012 to December 31, 2012. The increases in operating expenses are primarily attributable to a full year of operations for the Company as of April 30, 2014 and newly commenced operations during 2012. As of April 30, 2014, management performed a third party study of the oil and gas assets. Management concluded that the Montana assets was impaired by \$75,000 and the Kansas assets were impaired by \$4,638,973. We recorded a \$4,713,973 impairment to the statement of operations during the year ended April 30, 2014. We performed a test of oil and gas assets as of April 30, 2013, and concluded that the excess purchase price paid for its Missouri property exceeded its net realizable value, and as a result it recognized an impairment in the amount of \$1,093,527.

For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company recorded a gain on the settlement of liability of \$20,069 for an outstanding liability with a vendor.

### ***General and Administrative Expenses***

General and administrative expenses for the year ended April 30, 2014 were \$4,195,437, as compared to \$623,136 for the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013 and \$526,460 for the period February 2, 2012 to December 31, 2012. The increases are primarily attributable to the Company operating for a full year compared to the prior year and the newly commenced operations during 2012. The changes are outlined below:

	<b>For the Year Ended April 30, 2014</b>	<b>For the Period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013</b>	<b>For the Period February 2, 2012 To December 31, 2012</b>
Salaries and benefits	\$ 2,128,463	\$ 133,391	\$ -
Professional fees	1,630,781	432,161	379,609
Office and administrative	427,890	57,499	64,076
Information technology	8,303	85	82,775
	<u>\$ 4,195,437</u>	<u>\$ 623,136</u>	<u>\$ 526,460</u>

The increases in general and administrative expenses are primarily attributable to the Company ramping up operations after the completion of the Share Exchange and conducting operations for a full year. This consists of increases in salary and benefits, insurance costs and other office expenses. Salary and benefits include non-cash stock-based compensation of \$1,501,766. In addition, the Company recorded a major increase in professional fees as a result of legal, accounting and audit fees associated with the Share Exchange and remaining compliant with required filings.

During the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company granted certain options in accordance with the following agreements:

#### **Employment Agreements:**

- a) Upon completion of the Share Exchange, the Company entered into an Employment Agreement with Scot Cohen, the Company's Executive Chairman (the "Employment Agreement"). On November 20, 2013, the Company amended the Employment Agreement with Scot Cohen. Based on this amendment, the Company granted Mr. Cohen 41,666,667 fair value options to purchase an equal amount of shares of common stock of the Company. The options have a term of 10 years and an exercise price of \$0.059. These options will vest in five equal installments, with the first 20% vesting immediately upon grant (as consideration for the service period from April 29, 2013 to November 20, 2013), and the remaining options vesting in four equal installments on the anniversary of the grant date.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$2,006,227. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed non-cash stock-based compensation of \$576,034, respectively, to general and administrative expenses.

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#### ***Impairment of oil and gas assets***

As of April 30, 2014, management performed an impairment test of the oil and gas assets. All Montana leases expired during the year ended April 30, 2014, and as a result, management fully impaired the Montana assets by \$75,000. In addition, management engaged an independent third party to test the Kansas assets for impairment. Throughout the year, management was not aware of any impairment indicators, but during the annual impairment test, the third party specialist concluded that the Kansas assets were impaired by \$4,638,973, principally due to comparable acreage values.

#### ***Impairment of excess purchase price***

As a result of the Share Exchange, the Company recorded goodwill on the excess of the fair value of the shares maintained by existing shareholders as compared to the net assets acquired. Based on the overall market capitalization of the Company at the time of the share exchange, the aggregate fair value of these shares (20% of the market capitalization) was \$1,117,404, which exceeded the fair value of the net assets acquired by \$1,093,527.

The Company prior to the merger, impaired its assets to net salvage value and determined upon consummation of the merger the excess purchase price paid for the assets continued to be impaired, thus the Company recognized an immediate charge of \$1,093,527 in its accompanying consolidated statement of operations for the four months period ended April 30, 2013.

### ***Interest expense***

Interest was \$5 for the year ended April 30, 2014 as compared to \$619,178 for the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013. The decrease in interest expense is primarily attributable to the Company converting the notes and accrued interest to shares of common stock on April 23, 2013. Interest expense for the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013 decreased from \$1,277,572 for the period February 2, 2012 to December 31, 2012. The decrease in interest expense is primarily attributable to the Company incurring interest for the entire period ended December 31, 2012, as compared to only incurring interest for four months during the period ended April 30, 2013.

### **Liquidity and Capital Resources**

At April 30, 2014, the Company had working capital of approximately \$7.5 million and has incurred losses since it commenced operations and utilized cash in its operating activities to date. In addition, Petro has a limited operating history. At April 30, 2014, the Company had cash and cash equivalents of approximately \$8.4 million. Management believes that the current level of working capital is sufficient to maintain operations for at least the next 12 months. Management intends to continue to raise capital through debt and equity instruments in order to achieve its business plans.

Our current capital and our other existing resources are sufficient to provide working capital for the balance of fiscal year 2015. We will require additional capital to continue to operate our business and to further expand our exploration and development programs. We may be unable to obtain additional capital required. Furthermore, inability to maintain capital may damage our reputation and credibility with industry participants. Our inability to raise additional funds when required may have a negative impact on our consolidated results of operations and financial condition.

The Company is focused on developing its recently acquired Mississippi Lime acreage. Over the last 12 months the Company has continued to build out its leadership and technical team. Additionally, the Company has been in discussions with industry partners to capitalize and develop acreage in the Mississippi Lime. The Company continues to seek out joint venture partners and acquisition targets.

Projects related to our legacy heavy oil reservoirs are still in technical review but a determination has been made to continue to testing pilot technologies and processes on the Missouri heavy oil assets. The Company has an extensive amount of technical and reservoir information on the Missouri positions. In Missouri, we are continuing to analyze reservoir data and testing results. The data is being utilized in the understanding and test phases to develop an economic heavy oil production reserve base.

The ultimate goal of the management is to maximize shareholder value. Specific targets include: increasing production by developing its acreage, increasing profitability margins by evaluating and optimizing its production, and executing its business plan to increase property values, reserves, and expanding our asset base.

### ***Operating Activities***

The Company used \$2,873,131 in operating activities during the year ended April 30, 2014, as compared to using \$670,248 in operating activities during the four months ended April 30, 2013. The Company incurred a net loss during the year ended April 30, 2014 of \$8,953,529 as compared to a loss of \$2,319,734 for the four month period ended April 30, 2013. The Company used \$511,924 in operating activities and incurred a net loss of \$1,915,617 during the period from February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012.

### ***Investing Activities***

During the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company incurred \$327,002 of expenditures on oil and gas assets compared to \$98,764 during the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013. During the period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012, the Company incurred \$13,016,965 of expenditures on oil and gas assets. In addition, during the period from February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012, the Company loaned Petro River Corp \$825,000 in demand promissory notes. The notes were eliminated at the time of the Share Exchange.

### **Financing Activities**

During the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company had \$5,850,000 in cash provided by financing activities as compared to \$0 in cash provided by financing activities during the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013. During the period February 2, 2012 to December 31, 2012, the Company had \$20,000,983 in cash provided by financing activities. During that period Petro sold and issued \$19,999,983 in 10% notes payable to investors. On April 23, 2013, the notes were fully diluted into shares of common stock as part of the share exchange transaction. In addition, Petro River Members contributed \$1,000 during the period from February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012.

On December 12, 2013, the Company signed a Securities Purchase Agreement (the "Agreement") with Petrol Lakes Holding Limited ("Petrol Lakes"). Pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, Petrol Lakes agreed to purchase: (i) 81,250,000 shares of the Company's common stock, at a per share price of \$0.08, for an aggregate purchase price of \$6,500,000; and (ii) a warrant to purchase shares of the Company's common stock. Under the terms of the warrant, Petrol Lakes may purchase up to 40,625,000 shares of the Company's common stock at a per share price of \$0.1356, for an aggregate purchase price of \$6,500,000. The warrant, which is exercisable in whole or in part, will expire on December 12, 2015. The Company paid issuances costs of \$650,000.

Under the Agreement, Petrol Lakes also has the right to appoint one director to the Company's Board of Directors, which director shall remain on the Board at least through the first annual meeting of the Company after the one year anniversary of the Agreement. As of the date hereof, Petrol Lakes has not exercised this right.

### **Capitalization**

The number of outstanding shares and the number of shares that could be issued if all convertible instruments are converted to shares is as follows:

As of	April 30, 2014	April 30, 2013
Common shares	818,567,746	737,117,746
Stock Options	88,038,281	290,000
Stock Purchase Warrants	40,625,000	-
Compensation Warrants	-	230,000
	<u>947,231,027</u>	<u>737,637,746</u>

### **Critical Accounting Policies and Estimates**

The Company's significant accounting policies are described in Note 3 to the annual consolidated financial statements for the year ended April 30, 2014 and the four month period ended April 30, 2013 and for the period February 2, 2012 (inception) to December 31, 2012 respectively. The consolidated financial statements are prepared in conformity with U.S. GAAP.

The accounting policies set out in note 3 have been applied consistently to all periods presented in these audited consolidated financial statements.

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities as of the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Significant estimates include volumes of oil and natural gas reserves, abandonment obligations, impairment of oil and natural gas properties, depreciation and accretion, income taxes, fair value of financial instruments, and contingencies.

The critical accounting policies used in the preparation of our consolidated financial statements are described below.

### ***Oil and Gas Operations***

The Company follows the full cost method of accounting for oil and gas operations whereby all costs related to exploration and development of oil and gas reserves are capitalized. Under this method, the Company capitalizes all acquisition, exploration and development costs incurred for the purpose of finding oil and natural gas reserves, including salaries, benefits and other internal costs directly attributable to these activities. Costs associated with production and general corporate activities, however, are expensed in the period incurred. Costs are capitalized on a country-by-country basis. To date, there has only been one cost center, the United States.

The present value of estimated future net cash flows is computed by applying the average first-day-of-the-month prices during the previous twelve-month period of oil and natural gas to estimated future production of proved oil and natural gas reserves as of year-end less estimated future expenditures to be incurred in developing and producing the proved reserves and assuming continuation of existing economic conditions. Prior to December 31, 2009, prices and costs used to calculate future net cash flows were those as of the end of the appropriate quarterly period.

Following the discovery of reserves and the commencement of production, the Company will compute depletion of oil and natural gas properties using the unit-of-production method based upon production and estimates of proved reserve quantities. Costs associated with unproved properties are excluded from the depletion calculation until it is determined whether or not proved reserves can be assigned to such properties. Unproved properties are assessed for impairment annually. Significant properties are assessed individually.

The Company assesses all items classified as unproved property on an annually basis for possible impairment. The Company assesses properties on an individual basis or as a group if properties are individually insignificant. The assessment includes consideration of the following factors, among others: land relinquishment; intent to drill; remaining lease term; geological and geophysical evaluations; drilling results and activity; the assignment of proved reserves; and the economic viability of development if proved reserves are assigned. During any period in which these factors indicate impairment, the related exploration costs incurred are transferred to the full cost pool and are then subject to depletion and the ceiling limitations on development oil and natural gas expenditures.

Proceeds from the sale of oil and gas assets are applied against capitalized costs, with no gain or loss recognized, unless a sale would alter the rate of depletion and depreciation by 25 percent or more.

Significant changes in these factors could reduce our estimates of future net proceeds and accordingly could result in an impairment of our oil and gas assets. Management will perform annual assessments of the carrying amounts of its oil and gas assets as additional data from ongoing exploration activities becomes available.

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### **Off-Balance Sheet Arrangements**

None.

### **Related Party Transactions**

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#### ***Separation and Release Agreement***

In addition, in June and July of 2013, the Company signed a series of agreements with Jeffrey Freedman, former Chief Executive Officer, in relation to his departure from the Company. Pursuant to these agreements, the Company has provided to Mr. Freedman the sum of \$12,000 and issued 465,116 options to purchase common stock with a \$56,047 aggregate fair value as of the July 24, 2013 option grant date. These options will expire on July 23, 2016 and have an exercise price of \$0.215. The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company’s common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.215; exercise price of \$0.215; expected volatility of 88%; and a discount rate of 0.64%. The options were immediately vested and the Company recorded the \$56,047 to general and administrative expense on the date of grant.

### ***Demand Promissory Notes***

During the period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012, the Company entered into a series of demand promissory notes totaling \$825,000 with Petro. The demand promissory notes bear interest at 8% per annum and are due two business days after receipt of demand for payment. In an event of default, the notes bear a default rate of 15% per annum. The notes are unsecured.

During the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013, the Company entered into a series of demand promissory notes totaling \$256,950 with Petro. The demand promissory notes bore interest at 8% per annum and were due two business days after receipt of demand for payment. In an event of default, the notes bear a default rate of 15% per annum. The notes were unsecured.

As a result of the share exchange agreement, on April 23, 2013, the balance of the aforementioned demand promissory notes and accrued interest totaling \$1,163,530 was converted to equity, reclassified from liability to equity and the excess was recorded as a dividend distribution.

### **Recent Accounting Pronouncements**

In July 2013, the FASB issued ASU 2013-11, *Income Taxes (Topic 740): Presentation of an Unrecognized Tax Benefit When a Net Operating Loss Carry forward, a Similar Tax Loss, or a Tax Credit Carryforward Exists*. Under this new guidance, companies must present this unrecognized tax benefit in the financial statements as a reduction to deferred tax assets created by net operating losses or other tax credits from prior periods that occur in the same taxing jurisdiction. If the unrecognized tax benefit exceeds such credits it should be presented in the financial statements as a liability. This update is effective for annual and interim reporting periods for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2013. The Company is currently evaluating the effects of ASU 2013-11 on the consolidated financial statements.

In May 2014, the Financial Accounting Standards Board (“FASB”) issued Accounting Standards Update (“ASU”) 2014-09, *Revenue from Contracts with Customers*. Amendments in this ASU create Topic 606, Revenue from Contracts with Customers, and supersede the revenue recognition requirements in Topic 605, Revenue Recognition, including most industry-specific revenue recognition guidance throughout the Industry Topics of the Codification. In addition, the amendments supersede the cost guidance in Subtopic 605-35, Revenue Recognition—Construction-Type and Production-Type Contracts, and create new Subtopic 340-40, Other Assets and Deferred Costs—Contracts with Customers. In summary, the core principle of Topic 606 is that an entity recognizes revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. This ASU is the final version of Proposed Accounting Standards Update 2011-230—Revenue Recognition (Topic 605) and Proposed Accounting Standards Update 2011-250—Revenue Recognition (Topic 605): Codification Amendments, both of which have been deleted. The amendments in this ASU are effective for the Company for annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016, including interim periods within that reporting period. The Company is currently evaluating the effects of ASU 2014-09 on the consolidated financial statements.

In June 2014, the FASB issued ASU 2014-12, *Compensation - Stock Compensation*. The amendments in this update apply to reporting entities that grant their employees share-based payments in which the terms of the award provide that a performance target can be achieved after the requisite service period. This ASU is the final version of Proposed Accounting Standards Update EITF-13D--Compensation--Stock Compensation (Topic 718): Accounting for Share-Based Payments When the Terms of an Award Provide That a Performance Target Could Be Achieved after the Requisite Service Period, which has been deleted. The proposed amendments would apply to reporting entities that grant their employees share-based payments in which the terms of the award provide that a performance target could be achieved after the requisite service period. The amendments in this ASU are effective for annual periods and interim periods within those annual periods beginning after December 15, 2015, and early adoption is permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the effects of ASU 2014-12 on the consolidated financial statements.

Management does not believe that any recently issued, but not yet effective accounting pronouncements, if adopted, would have a material effect on the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

### **ITEM 7A. QUANTITATIVE AND QUANTITATIVE DISCLOSURES ABOUT MARKET RISK**

Not applicable

## ITEM 8. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND SUPPLEMENTARY DATA

Reference is made to pages F-1 through F-24 comprising a portion of this annual report on Form 10-K.

## ITEM 9. CHANGES IN AND DISAGREEMENTS WITH ACCOUNTANTS ON ACCOUNTING AND FINANCIAL DISCLOSURE

None.

### ITEM 9A. CONTROLS AND PROCEDURES

We maintain disclosure controls and procedures that are designed to ensure that information required to be disclosed in our Exchange Act reports is recorded, processed, summarized and reported within the time periods specified in the Securities and Exchange Commission's rules and forms, and that such information is accumulated and communicated to our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer to allow timely decisions regarding required disclosure. Our management, including our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer, conducted an evaluation of the effectiveness of our disclosure controls and procedures, as defined under Exchange Act Rule 13a-15(e), as of April 30, 2014. Based upon that evaluation, our Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer have concluded that our disclosure controls and procedures were not effective as of April 30, 2014 due to a material weakness in our internal control over financial reporting, as discussed below.

#### Management's Annual Report on Internal Control over Financial Reporting

Our management is responsible for establishing and maintaining adequate internal control over financial reporting as required under applicable United States securities regulatory requirements. Internal control over financial reporting is defined in Rule 13a-15(f) or 15d-15(f) promulgated under the Exchange Act as a process designed by, or under the supervision of, the company's chief executive and chief financial officers and effected by the company's board of directors, management and other personnel, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles and includes those policies and procedures that:

- pertain to the maintenance of records that in reasonable detail accurately and fairly reflect the transactions and dispositions of the assets of the company;
- provide reasonable assurance that transactions are recorded as necessary to permit preparation of financial statements in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles, and that receipts and expenditures of the company are being made only in accordance with authorizations of management and directors of the company; and
- provide reasonable assurance regarding prevention or timely detection of unauthorized acquisition, use or disposition of the company's assets that could have a material effect on the financial statements.

Because of its inherent limitations, internal control over financial reporting may not prevent or detect all misstatements. A system of internal controls can provide only reasonable, not absolute, assurance that the objectives of the control system are met, no matter how well the system is conceived or operated. Projections of any evaluation of effectiveness to future periods are subject to the risk that controls may become inadequate because of changes in conditions, or that the degree of compliance with the policies or procedures may deteriorate.

Our management assessed the effectiveness of our internal control over financial reporting as of April 30, 2014. In making this assessment, our management used the criteria set forth by the Committee of Sponsoring Organizations of the Treadway Commission (COSO) in 1992 in Internal Control Integrated Framework. Based on that evaluation under this framework, our management concluded that as of April 30, 2014, our internal control over financial reporting was not effective because of the following material weaknesses in our internal control over financial reporting:

- Due to our small number of employees and resources, we have limited segregation of duties, as a result of which there is insufficient independent review of duties performed.
- As a result of the limited number of accounting personnel, we rely on outside consultants for the preparation of our financial reports, including financial statements and management discussion and analysis, which could lead to overlooking items requiring disclosure.

This annual report does not include an attestation report by our independent registered public accounting firm regarding internal control over financial reporting. As we are neither a large accelerated filer nor an accelerated filer, our management's report was not subject to attestation by our registered public accounting firm pursuant to rules of the Securities and Exchange Commission that permit us to provide only management's report in this annual report.

#### **Remediation Plan**

To begin to remediate the material weakness identified in internal control over financial reporting of the Company, the Company engaged Brio Financial Group and appointed its Managing Member, David Briones, to act as the Company's Chief Financial Officer on August 15, 2013, and intends to hire additional accounting staff, and operations and administrative executives.

We will continue to monitor and assess our remediation initiatives to ensure that the aforementioned material weaknesses are remediated.

#### **Changes to Internal Controls and Procedures for Financial Reporting**

There was no significant changes in the Company's internal control over financial reporting that was identified in connection with such evaluation that occurred during the period covered by this Annual Report on Form 10-K that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the Company's internal control over financial reporting. To begin remediating the material weakness identified in internal control over financial reporting of the Company, the Company engaged Brio Financial Group and appointed its Managing Member, David Briones, to act as the Company's Chief Financial Officer on August 15, 2013. During the year ended April 30, 2015, Management intends to hire additional accounting staff, and operations and administrative executives. Management believes that by preparing and implementing sufficient written policies and checklists will remedy the material weaknesses identified above.

### PART III

#### ITEM 10. DIRECTORS, EXECUTIVE OFFICERS AND CORPORATE GOVERNANCE

Our Board of Directors is currently comprised of four members. The term of each director is until the next annual meeting of shareholders or until he resigns or is succeeded by another qualified director who has been elected. The following is a list of our executive officers and the current members of our Board of Directors, including each member's age, the year he became a director or officer of the Company and his current positions with the Company:

<u>Name</u>	<u>Position With the Company</u>	<u>Age</u>	<u>Since</u>
Scot Cohen	Executive Chairman	45	2012
Glenn C. Pollack (1)(2)	Director	56	2012
John Wallace	Director	40	2013
Fred Zeidman (1)(2)	Director	68	2012
David Briones	Chief Financial Officer	38	2013
Ruben Alba	Executive Vice President - Unconventional	41	2012
Luis Vierma	Executive Vice President – Geological and Geophysical	55	2013
Daniel Smith	Executive Vice President - Operations	42	2013

(1) Member of Audit Committee

(2) Member of Compensation Committee

Scot Cohen, a member of the Board since 2012, has served as Executive Chairman of the Company since 2013. He earned a Bachelor of Science degree from Ohio University in 1991. Mr. Cohen is a Co-Founder and Managing Partner at Iroquois Capital Opportunity Fund, a private equity fund focused on identifying and realizing investment opportunities in companies developing onshore oil and gas assets in North America. Additionally, Mr. Cohen manages several operating and non-operating partnerships which invest in domestic oil and gas assets.

Glenn C. Pollack, a member of the Board since 2012, is a Managing Director and Founder of Candlewood Partners, LLC ("Candlewood"), a merchant bank focused on middle market corporate finance and infrastructure projects. Prior to founding Candlewood, Mr. Pollack was a Managing Director and Principal of a middle market investment banking firm with offices in Chicago and Cleveland. He was responsible for the Restructuring Group and was involved in other corporate finance transactions including mergers and acquisitions and capital raising for special situations. He also spent five years as the CEO of a regional distributor of perishable foods with annual revenues of \$180 million and over 250 employees in four states. Mr. Pollack is a certified public accountant and has worked for Price Waterhouse as a consultant and Touche Ross as an auditor.

John Wallace, a member of the Board since 2013, graduated from Syracuse University in May 1996 with a Bachelor's of Science degree in sociology. From June 1996 through May 2004, Mr. Wallace was a professional basketball player associated with the National Basketball Association. Since April 2009, Mr. Wallace has been an alumni relations and fan development representative for the New York Knicks, a professional basketball team aligned with the National Basketball Association. In that capacity, Mr. Wallace works on community public relations and fan development initiatives, along with sponsorship and marketing programs. In January 2013, Mr. Wallace joined Hotaling Insurance Group as an insurance agent. In February 2013, Mr. Wallace became an Executive Board Member of Heavenly Productions Foundation, a not for profit charitable organization dedicated to helping children in need or in distress. Since October 2007, Mr. Wallace has served as Vice President of Winning Because I Tried, a non-profit he co-founded in 2007, and whose focus is on academic success, social interaction, peer pressure awareness, and sound decision-making for children ages 8-18. Since 2006, Mr. Wallace has been President and General Manager of Rochester AAU Basketball, a program he founded in March 2006, which is designed to leverage sports as a means for youth to obtain a college education.

Fred Zeidman, a member of the Board since 2012, has served as Chairman of the Board of Directors of Petroflow Energy Corporation since September 2011. Mr. Zeidman has also served as a director of Hyperdynamics Corporation since 2009 and as a director of Prosperity Bancshares, Inc. since 1986. He currently also serves as trustee for the AremisSoft Liquidating Trust, a position he has held since 2004. In March 2008, Mr. Zeidman was appointed the Interim President of Nova Biosource Fuels, Inc. ("Nova"), a publicly-traded biodiesel technology company, and served in that position until the company's acquisition in November 2009. Mr. Zeidman also served as a director of Nova from June 2007 to November 2009. From August 2009 through November 2009, Mr. Zeidman served as Chief Restructuring Officer for Transmeridian Exploration, Inc. He also served as CEO, President and Chairman of the Board of Seitel Inc., an oil field services company, from June 2002 until its sale in February 2007. Mr. Zeidman served as a Managing Director of the law firm Greenberg Traurig, LLP from July 2003 to December 2008. Mr. Zeidman has served as CEO, Interim CEO and Chairman of the Board of a variety of companies, including several in the oil and gas sector. In March 2013, Mr. Zeidman was appointed to the Board of Straight Path Communications Inc. Mr. Zeidman is the Chairman Emeritus of the United States Holocaust Memorial Council. He was appointed to that position by former President George W. Bush in March 2002 and served from 2002-2010. He is also Chairman Emeritus of the University of Texas Health Science System Houston and is on the Board of Trustees of the Texas Heart Institute (where he currently serves as Interim Chief Financial Officer) and the Institute for Rehabilitation and Research. He currently serves on the Board of Directors and Executive Committee of the University of Saint Thomas and chairs its Development Committee and Houston Community College. Mr. Zeidman received his Bachelor of Science and Bachelor of Arts from Washington University and a Masters of Business Administration from New York University.

David Briones was appointed Chief Financial Officer on August 15, 2013. Since October 1, 2010, Mr. Briones has acted as the managing member of Brio Financial Group, LLC, a financial reporting consulting firm. From January 2006 through September 2010, Mr. Briones had managed the public company and hedge fund practices at Bartolomei Pucciarelli, LLC ("BP"). Within that capacity, Mr. Briones performed audit services, outsourced CFO functions, and/or consulted clients through difficult SEC comment periods particularly through application of complex accounting principles for a vast public company client base. BP is a registered firm with the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board. BP is an independent member of the BDO Seidman Alliance. Mr. Briones served as the chief financial officer of NXT Nutritionals Holdings, Inc. from February 2, 2009 to May 15, 2012. Mr. Briones also served as the chief financial officer of Clear-Lite Holdings, Inc. from August 3, 2009 to March 21, 2011. Prior to joining BP, Mr. Briones was an auditor with PricewaterhouseCoopers LLP in New York, New York. Mr. Briones specialized in the financial services group, and most notably worked on the MONY Group, Prudential Financial, and MetLife initial public offerings.

Ruben Alba received his B.S. in Chemical Engineering from New Mexico State University and has been active in the oil & gas industry since 1997. Mr. Alba spent the majority of his career with both Halliburton Energy Services and Superior Well Services, overseeing regional technical staff and operations. In this capacity, Mr. Alba introduced a number of new and novel technologies involving new fluid chemistry to the industry, as well as completion processes to reservoirs requiring cutting edge technology, where he holds three US Patents. Mr. Alba was appointed Executive Vice President Unconventional, effective July 3, 2013.

Luis Vierma was appointed Executive Vice President Geological and Geophysical, effective July 3, 2013. Mr. Vierma, who has 35 years of experience in the oil and gas industry, holds a Bachelor's Degree in Chemistry from Universidad Central de Venezuela (1979) and earned a master's degree in Geology (Geochemistry of Petroleum) in 1984 from the University of Indiana. Mr. Vierma held numerous leadership positions at Petróleos de Venezuela, S.A, the fourth largest oil company in the world, including VP of Exploration and Production, and also served as a director of CITGO.

Daniel Smith is a registered Professional Engineer in Petroleum Engineering and has over 15 years of experience in the oil and gas industry. Mr. Smith spent his career at XTO Energy where he served as an Operations Engineer specializing in hydraulic fracturing and artificial lift. Mr. Smith was directly responsible for managing fields producing in excess of 100 million cubic feet of natural gas per day. Mr. Smith has also worked on numerous drilling, production, and development projects ranging from the Marcellus Shale to the Permian Basin. Mr. Smith received a Bachelor's of Science degree in Chemical Engineering from Texas A&M University. Mr. Smith was appointed Executive Vice President Operations, effective July 3, 2013.

#### **Section 16(a) Beneficial Ownership Reporting Compliance**

Section 16(a) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, requires the Company's directors, executive officers and persons who own more than 10% of a registered class of the Company's equity securities, to file with the SEC initial reports of ownership and reports of changes in ownership of Common Stock and other equity securities of the Company. Directors, officers and greater than 10% stockholders are required to furnish the Company with copies of all Section 16(a) forms they file.

To the Company's knowledge, based solely on a review of the copies of such reports furnished to the Company, with respect to the fiscal year ended April 30, 2014, all officers, directors and beneficial owners of more than 10% of our Common Stock have filed their initial statements of ownership on Form 3 on a timely basis, and the officers, directors and beneficial owners of more than 10% of our Common Stock have also filed the required Forms 4 or 5 on a timely basis, other than Gary Williky, who filed a Form 4 on December 18, 2013 reporting a stock option award which was granted on November 22, 2013, and David Briones, who filed a Form 4 on February 21, 2014 reporting a stock option award which was granted on November 26, 2013.

#### **Code of Ethics**

Prior to the completion of the Share Exchange on April 23, 2013, the Company operated under a Code of Ethics filed as an exhibit to our Annual Report on Form 20-F, filed on November 16, 2010.

Following the acquisition of Petro, the Board engaged in a corporate governance reorganization, and pursuant to a unanimous written consent of the Board (the "Unanimous Written Consent"), formally adopted a new Code of Ethics, effective July 3, 2013, a copy of which was attached as an exhibit to our Transition Report on Form 10-K, filed on August 28, 2013. The Code of Ethics applies to all officers, directors, and employees of the Company.

#### **Board of Directors Meetings and Committees**

The Board held 7 meetings during the fiscal year ended April 30, 2014. Each Director attended, either in person or telephonically, at least 75% of the aggregate Board of Directors meetings and meetings of committees on which he served during his tenure as a director or committee member.

#### ***Audit Committee***

Prior to the completion of the Share Exchange on April 23, 2013, and as of April 30, 2013, the Audit Committee was composed of one director, Fred Zeidman, who was considered independent under the Canadian Securities Regulators' Multilateral Instrument 52-110-Audit Committees.

By the Unanimous Written Consent, the Board affirmed the designation, effective July 3, 2013, of an Audit Committee comprised of 3 directors, Ryan Estis, Glenn Pollack, and Fred Zeidman, each of whom are "independent" as independence is currently defined in applicable Securities and Exchange Commission (the "SEC") rules and the NYSE Company Guide. The Board has determined that Glenn Pollack qualifies as an "Audit Committee financial expert," as defined in applicable SEC rules implementing Section 407 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002. The Board made a qualitative assessment of Mr. Pollack's level of knowledge and experience based on a number of factors, including his formal education and experience.

The Audit Committee is responsible for overseeing the Company's corporate accounting, financial reporting practices, audits of financial statements and the quality and integrity of the Company's financial statements and reports. In addition, the Audit Committee oversees the qualifications, independence and performance of the Company's independent auditors. In furtherance of these responsibilities, the Audit Committee's duties include the following: evaluating the performance of and assessing the qualifications of the independent auditors; determining and approving the engagement of the independent auditors to perform audit, review and attest services and performing any proposed permissible non-audit services; evaluating employment by the Company of individuals formerly employed by the independent auditors and engaged on the Company's account and any conflicts or disagreements between the independent auditors and management regarding financial reporting, accounting practices or policies; discussing with management and the independent auditors the results of the annual audit; reviewing the financial statements proposed to be included in the Company's annual report on Form 10-K; discussing with management and the independent auditors the results of the auditors' review of the Company's quarterly financial statements; conferring with management and the independent auditors regarding the scope, adequacy and effectiveness of internal auditing and financial reporting controls and procedures; and establishing procedures for the receipt, retention and treatment of complaints regarding accounting, internal accounting control and auditing matters and the confidential and anonymous submission by employees of concerns regarding questionable accounting or auditing matters. The Audit Committee operates under the written Audit Committee Charter adopted by the Unanimous Written Consent. A copy of the Audit Committee Charter is available on the Company's website.

### Compensation Committee

The responsibilities of a compensation committee were performed by the board as a whole. Pursuant to the Unanimous Written Consent, the board ratified the designation of a Compensation Committee, effective July 3, 2013. The Compensation Committee is currently comprised of two directors, Glenn Pollack and Fred Zeidman, each of whom is independent as independence is currently defined in applicable SEC rules and the NYSE Company Guide.

The Compensation Committee reviews, and as it deems appropriate, recommends to the Board, policies, practices, and procedures relating to the compensation of the officers and other managerial employees, and the establishment and administration of employee benefit plans. It advises and consults with the officers of the Company as may be requested regarding managerial personnel policies. The Compensation Committee also has such additional powers as may be conferred upon it from time to time by the Board.

The Compensation Committee operates under the written Compensation Committee Charter that was adopted by the Unanimous Written Consent. A copy of the Compensation Committee Charter is available on the Company's website.

### Board Nominations

In lieu of a formal Board Nomination Committee, Board nomination decisions are to be made by the independent directors of the Board in compliance with criteria adopted in the Unanimous Written Consent. The independent directors prepare a list of candidates to fill the expiring terms of directors serving on our Board, which they then submit to the Board who determines which candidates will be nominated to serve on the Board. The names of nominees are then submitted for election at our Annual Meeting of Stockholders. The independent directors also submit to the entire Board a list of nominees to fill any interim vacancies on the Board resulting from the departure of a member of the Board for any reason prior to the expiration of his term. In recommending nominees, the independent directors are to consider various criteria, including general business experience, general financial experience, knowledge of the Company's industry (including past industry experience), education, and demonstrated character and judgment. The independent directors will also consider director nominees recommended by a stockholder if the stockholder mails timely notice to the Secretary of the Company at its principal offices. Any person nominated by a stockholder for election to the Board will be evaluated based on the same criteria as all other nominees.

During the fiscal year ended April 30, 2014, there were no changes to the procedures by which holders of our common stock may recommend nominees to the Board.

## ITEM 11. EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION

### Summary Executive Compensation Table

The following table sets forth a summary of all compensation paid during the period ended April 30, 2014 to the Named Executive Officers and other individuals who served as Named Executive Officers for some period during the year:

Summary Compensation Table

Name and Principal Position	Year Ended April 30,	Salary \$	Bonus \$	Stock awards \$	Option awards \$ <sup>(1)</sup>	Nonequity Incentive plan compensation \$	Nonqualified Deferred compensation Earnings \$	All other compensation \$	Total \$
Scot Cohen (2), Executive Chairman	2014	120,000	--	--	576,035	--	--	--	696,035
	2013	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Ruben Alba, EVP (3)	2014	120,000	--	--	165,337	--	--	--	285,337
	2013	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Daniel Smith, EVP (4)	2014	130,000	--	--	165,337	--	--	--	295,337
	2013	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Jeffrey Freedman (5), Interim CEO and CFO	2014	--	--	--	56,047	--	--	--	56,047
	2013	25,000	--	--	--	--	--	--	25,000
David Briones (6) CFO	2014	94,000	--	--	7,742	--	--	--	101,742
	2013	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Pat McCarron (7), Vice President, Operations	2014	--	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
	2013	38,550	--	--	--	--	--	--	38,550

- (1) “Options” includes all options granted by us as compensation for employment services or office.
- (2) Mr. Cohen was appointed Executive Chairman on April 23, 2013 following the Share Exchange, and received no compensation from the Company in the year ended April 30, 2013.
- (3) Mr. Alba entered into employment agreements with the Company on November 22, 2013.
- (4) Mr. Smith entered into an employment agreement with the Company on November 27, 2013.
- (5) Mr. Freedman served as the Company’s interim Chief Executive Officer from January 23, 2012 until April 23, 2013, and as the Company’s interim Chief Financial Officer from July 1, 2011 until April 23, 2013.
- (6) On November 26, 2013, the Company entered into a consulting agreement with Brio Financial Group (“Brio”) and its Managing Member, David Briones, was appointed the Chief Financial Officer of the Company on August 15, 2013.
- (7) Mr. McCarron served as the VP of Operations until March 15, 2013.

The Company’s compensation program is designed to provide our executive officers with competitive remuneration and to reward their efforts and contributions to the Company. Elements of compensation for our executive officers include base salary and bonuses paid as stock options pursuant to the Company’s Amended and Restated 2012 Equity Compensation Plan (the “Plan”). Company performance does not play a significant role in the determination of base salary.

The Compensation Committee, working in conjunction with the Executive Chairman, reviews and makes recommendations to the Board regarding all forms of compensation to be provided to officers and directors of the Company, including all bonus and stock compensation. The Compensation Committee may also set general compensation goals and guidelines for the Company’s employees from time to time.

Upon completion of the Share Exchange, the Company entered into an Employment Agreement with Scot Cohen, the Company’s Executive Chairman (the “Employment Agreement”). Under the terms of the Employment Agreement, Mr. Cohen will be entitled to all earned but unpaid salary, expense reimbursements, bonuses (if applicable), and any vested benefits, upon termination of the Employment Agreement by the Company for cause, by Mr. Cohen without good reason, or upon the Employment Agreement’s expiration date in the event Mr. Cohen does not choose to renew his contract. In the event Mr. Cohen’s employment is terminated by the Company without cause, upon a change in control of the company, or by Mr. Cohen for good reason, he shall be entitled to any accrued obligations (detailed in the preceding sentence), severance in a single lump sum installment in an amount equal to twice the sum of the base salary in effect on the termination date plus two times the maximum annual bonus for which Mr. Cohen was eligible in the fiscal year in which the termination date occurred, a pro-rata portion of Mr. Cohen’s annual bonus for the fiscal year in which the termination occurred, and a full vesting in the initial grant and in any and all previously granted outstanding equity-based incentive awards subject to time-based vesting criteria.

On November 20, 2013, the Company and the Executive Chairman entered into an amendment (the “Amendment”) to the Employment Agreement. Under the terms of the Amendment, the Company substituted a stock option grant of 41,666,667 fair market value stock options under the Plan, at the exercise price of \$0.059 per share, for cash-settled restricted stock units representing 66,340,597 shares of the Company’s common stock, which the Company had previously agreed to grant Mr. Cohen under the terms of the Employment Agreement. These options will vest in five equal installments, with the first 20% vesting immediately upon grant, and the remaining options vesting in four equal installments on the anniversary of the grant date

On November 22, 2013, the Company entered into an employment agreement with Ruben Alba, who was appointed Executive Vice President, Unconventional of the Company on July 7, 2013. Under the terms of this agreement, Mr. Alba will receive an annual base salary of \$120,000. Mr. Alba was also granted 12,500,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Plan, to vest in five equal installments. The first installment vested immediately upon granting. The final four installments will vest on the anniversaries of the initial grant date, subject to Mr. Alba's continued employment with the Company.

On November 27, 2013, the Company entered into an employment agreement with Daniel Smith, who was appointed Executive Vice President, Operations of the Company on July 7, 2013. Mr. Smith's agreement is the same in all material respects to Mr. Alba's agreement.

On November 26, 2013, the Company entered into a consulting agreement with Brio Financial Group ("Brio") and its Managing Member, David Briones, was appointed the Chief Financial Officer of the Company on August 15, 2013. Under the terms of this agreement, Brio will receive a monthly consulting fee of \$7,500, as well as a grant of 750,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Plan. The options will vest in six installments. The first 125,000 options vested immediately upon execution of the consulting agreement, and the remaining 5 installments will vest monthly, on the 26th of each subsequent month.

#### Outstanding Equity Awards at April 30, 2014

The Plan was adopted to promote the success and enhance the value of the Corporation by continuing to link the personal interest of participants to those of its Shareholders and by providing participants with an incentive for outstanding performance. The Plan is administered by the Board, and all employees of the Corporation and its subsidiaries, as determined by the Board, and all members of the Board are eligible to participate. An aggregate of 120,000,000 Common Shares are available for grant pursuant to the Plan.

The plan was approved at a special meeting of the shareholders on September 7, 2012, and an amendment to the plan was approved at the Company's annual meeting of shareholders on April 16, 2014. The following table outlines awards issued pursuant to the Plan as of July 14, 2014.

Plan Category	Number of securities underlying unexercised options	Option Exercise Price	Option Expiration Date	Number of securities underlying unvested options	Weighted-average exercise price of outstanding options, warrants, and rights
Scot Cohen	41,666,667	0.059	11/20/23	33,333,334	0.059
Ruben Alba	12,500,000	0.059	11/22/23	10,000,000	0.059
Daniel Smith	12,500,000	0.059	11/27/23	10,000,000	0.059
Gary Williky	6,250,000	0.059	11/22/23	5,000,000	0.059
Luis Vierma	6,250,000	0.059	11/25/23	5,000,000	0.059
David Briones	750,000	0.059	11/26/14	500,000	0.059
Glenn Pollack	847,458	0.059	11/20/20	--	0.059
John Wallace	847,458	0.059	11/20/20	--	0.059
Fred Zeidman	847,458	0.059	11/20/20	--	0.059
Ryan Estis	847,458	0.059	11/20/20	--	0.059
Jeffrey Freedman	565,116	0.500-0.215	11/20/20	--	0.265
<b>Total</b>	<b>83,871,615</b>			<b>63,833,334</b>	

## Director Compensation for the Year Ended April 30, 2014

The Company has no formal arrangement pursuant to which directors are compensated for their services in their capacity as directors, except for the granting from time to time of incentive stock options. The following table sets forth the compensation of the directors of the Company during the fiscal year ended April 30, 2014.

Name	Fees Earned or Paid in Cash (\$)	Stock Awards (\$)	Option Awards (\$)	Non-Equity Incentive Plan Compensation (\$)	Nonqualified Deferred Compensation Earnings (\$)	All Other Compensation (\$)	Total (\$)
Scot Cohen (2)	--	--	--	--	--	--	--
Ryan Estis (3)	--	--	36,861(1)	--	--	--	36,861
Glenn Pollack	--	--	36,861(1)	--	--	--	36,861
Fred Zeidman	--	--	36,861(1)	--	--	--	36,861
John Wallace	--	--	36,861(1)	--	--	--	36,861

- (1) The Company made awards to each of the Company's non-employee Directors of 847,457 options to purchase Common Stock of the Company under the Plan on November 20, 2013.
- (2) Mr. Cohen did not receive compensation for his services as a director.
- (3) On November 18, 2013, Ryan Estis resigned from the Board of Directors of the Company. Mr. Estis was also a member of the Audit Committee at the time of his resignation. The resignation was not due to any disagreement with the Company or its management on any matter relating to the Company's operations, policies, or practices.

## ITEM 12. SECURITY OWNERSHIP OF CERTAIN BENEFICIAL OWNERS AND MANAGEMENT AND RELATED STOCKHOLDER MATTERS.

The following table sets forth information regarding the beneficial ownership of our common stock as of August 12, 2014 for each person known by us to be the beneficial owner of more than 5% of our outstanding shares of common stock. Unless otherwise indicated, we believe that all persons named in the table have sole voting and investment power with respect to all shares of common stock beneficially owned by them. Set forth below is information regarding the shares of the Company's Common Stock which are owned on August 12, 2014 or which the person has the right to acquire within 60 days of August 12, 2014 for each director, executive officer, all directors and executive officers as a group, and each person who is the beneficial owner of more than 5 percent of the outstanding shares of the Company's Common Stock.

Name and Address of Beneficial Owner(1)	Number of Shares Beneficially Owned	Stock Options Exercisable within 60 days	Percentage of Shares Beneficially Owned(3)	Position
Scot Cohen	195,769,947(2)	8,333,333	24.68%	Executive Chairman
David Briones	0	625,000	0.08%	Chief Financial Officer
Ruben Alba	0	2,500,000	0.3%	Executive Vice President, Unconventional
Daniel Smith	1,436,280	2,500,000	0.48%	Executive Vice President, Operations
Luis Vierma	0	1,250,000	0.15%	Executive Vice President, Geological and Geophysical
Glenn C. Pollack	3,341,644	847,457	0.51%	Director
John Wallace	0	847,457	0.10%	Director
Fred Zeidman	0	847,457	0.10%	Director
All Directors and Officers as a Group (8 persons)	218,298,575(3)	17,750,704	26.10%	
Petrol Lakes Holding Limited(4)	81,250,000		9.93%	5% owner
Iroquois Capital Opportunity Fund, L.P.(5)	53,685,800		6.72%	5% owner
Aaron Wolfson(6)	53,207,137(7)		6.5%	5% owner

- (1) Except where otherwise indicated, the address of the beneficial owner is deemed to be the same address of the Company.
- (2) The beneficial owner is a Managing Member of (i) Iroquois Opportunity Management, LLC, which controls Iroquois Capital Opportunity Fund, L.P, (ii) Structure Oil Corp., and (iii) Mega Partners 1 LLC. In addition, he serves as a Director of the Scot Jason Cohen Foundation. By virtue of these positions, he may be deemed, pursuant to Rule 13d-3 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended (the “Exchange Act”), to beneficially own all Common Stock directly owned by such entities.
- (3) Includes Stock Options exercisable within 60 days of July 14, 2014.
- (4) The principal business address of the beneficial owner is Unit D, 12/F, Seabright Plaza, 9-23 Shell Street, North Point, Hong Kong.
- (5) The principal business address of the beneficial owner is 641 Lexington Avenue, 26th Floor, New York, New York, 10022.
- (6) The principal business address of the beneficial owner is 1 State Street Plaza, Floor 29, New York, New York, 10004.
- (7) The beneficial owner is a Partner of South Ferry Building Company L.P. (“South Ferry”). By virtue of this relationship, he may be deemed, pursuant to Rule 13d-3 promulgated under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended, to beneficially own the Company’s Common Stock held by South Ferry; however, full voting and dispositive power over the shares of the Company held by South Ferry has been delegated to the portfolio manager.

**Securities Authorized for Issuance Under Equity Compensation Plans.**

As of the fiscal year ended April 30, 2014:

<u>Plan category</u>	<u>Number of securities to be issued upon exercise of outstanding options, warrants and rights</u>	<u>Weighted-average exercise price of outstanding options, warrants and rights</u>	<u>Number of securities remaining available for future issuance under equity compensation plans (excluding securities reflected at left)</u>
Equity compensation plans approved by security holders	88,038,281	\$ 0.06	31,961,719

**ITEM 13. CERTAIN RELATIONSHIPS AND RELATED TRANSACTIONS, AND DIRECTOR INDEPENDENCE.**

*Director Independence*

Glenn Pollack, John Wallace, and Fred Zeidman are independent directors of the Company, and as such, they satisfy the definition of independence in accordance with SEC rules and the NYSE Company Guide.

## Employment Agreements

- a) Upon completion of the Share Exchange, the Company entered into an Employment Agreement with Scot Cohen, the Company's Executive Chairman (the "Employment Agreement"). On November 20, 2013, the Company amended the Employment Agreement with Scot Cohen. Based on this amendment, the Company granted Mr. Cohen 41,666,667 fair value options to purchase an equal amount of shares of common stock of the Company. The options have a term of 10 years and an exercise price of \$0.059. These options will vest in five equal installments, with the first 20% vesting immediately upon grant (as consideration for the service period from April 29, 2013 to November 20, 2013), and the remaining options vesting in four equal installments on the anniversary of the grant date.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$2,006,227. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$576,034, respectively, to general and administrative expenses.

- b) On November 22, 2013, Petro River Oil Corp. entered into an employment agreement with Ruben Alba. Under the terms of this agreement, Mr. Alba will receive an annual base salary of \$120,000. Mr. Alba was also granted 12,500,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Company's 2012 Equity Compensation Plan (the "Plan"), to vest in five equal installments. The first installment vested immediately upon granting. The final four installments will vest on the anniversaries of the initial grant date, subject to the following conditions: (i) the adoption by the Company of an amendment to the Plan, approved by a vote of the shareholders of the Company, to increase the number of shares permitted to be granted under the Plan, and to put in place a stock option grant limitation in accordance with §162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and (ii) Mr. Alba's continued employment with the Company.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$575,839. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$165,337 to general and administrative expenses.

- c) On November 22, 2013, the Company entered into an employment agreement with Gary Williky on November 20, 2013. Under the terms of this agreement, Mr. Williky will receive an annual base salary of \$120,000. Mr. Williky was also granted 6,250,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Plan, to vest in five equal installments. The first installment vested immediately upon granting. The final four installments will vest on the anniversaries of the initial grant date, subject to the following conditions: (i) the adoption by the Company of an amendment to the Plan, approved by a vote of the shareholders of the Company, to increase the number of shares permitted to be granted under the Plan, and to put in place a stock option grant limitation in accordance with §162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and (ii) Mr. Williky's continued employment with the Company.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$287,919. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$82,668 to general and administrative expenses.

- d) On November 25, 2013, the Company entered into an employment agreement with Luis Vierma. Under the terms of this agreement, Mr. Vierma will receive an annual base salary of \$84,000. Mr. Vierma was also granted 6,250,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Plan, to vest in five equal installments. The first installment vested immediately upon granting. The final four installments will vest on the anniversaries of the initial grant date, subject to the following conditions: (i) the adoption by the Company of an amendment to the Plan, approved by a vote of the shareholders of the Company, to increase the number of shares permitted to be granted under the Plan, and to put in place a stock option grant limitation in accordance with §162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and (ii) Mr. Vierma's continued employment with the Company.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$287,919. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$82,668 to general and administrative expenses.

- e) On November 26, 2013, the Company entered into a consulting agreement with Brio Financial Group ("Brio") and its Managing Member, David Briones, was appointed the Chief Financial Officer of the Company on August 15, 2013. Under the terms of this agreement, Brio will receive a monthly consulting fee of \$7,500, as well as a grant of 750,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Plan. The options will vest in six installments. The first 125,000 options vested immediately upon execution of the consulting agreement, and the remaining 5 installments will vest monthly, on the 26th of each subsequent month.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 65%; and a discount rate of 0.12%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$8,764. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$7,742 to general and administrative expenses.

- f) On November 27, 2013, the Company entered into an employment agreement with Daniel Smith. Under the terms of this agreement, Mr. Smith will receive an annual base salary of \$120,000. Mr. Smith was also granted 12,500,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Company's Plan to vest in five equal installments. The first installment vested immediately upon granting. The final four installments will vest on the anniversaries of the initial grant date, subject to the following conditions: (i) the adoption by the Company of an amendment to the Plan, approved by a vote of the shareholders of the Company, to increase the number of shares permitted to be granted under the Plan, and to put in place a stock option grant limitation in accordance with §162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and (ii) Mr. Smith's continued employment with the Company.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$575,839. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$165,337 to general and administrative expenses.

### *Board of Director Grants*

On November 20, 2013, the Company's Board of Directors authorized the grants of 3,389,832 stock options to four members of the Board. The option grants have an exercise price equal to the closing price of shares of the Company's common stock as of the date of the grant. All options granted vested immediately upon grant and have a maturity of ten years.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grants as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the awards were \$147,442. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$147,442 to general and administrative expenses.

### *Separation and Release Agreement*

In addition, in June and July of 2013, the Company signed a series of agreements with Jeffrey Freedman, former Chief Executive Officer, in relation to his departure from the Company. Pursuant to these agreements, the Company has provided to Mr. Freedman the sum of \$12,000 and issued 465,116 options to purchase common stock with a \$56,047 aggregate fair value as of the July 24, 2013 option grant date. These options will expire on July 23, 2016 and have an exercise price of \$0.215. The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.215; exercise price of \$0.215; expected volatility of 88%; and a discount rate of 0.64%. The options were immediately vested and the Company recorded the \$56,047 to general and administrative expense on the date of grant.

### *Demand Promissory Notes*

During the period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012, the Company entered into a series of demand promissory notes totaling \$825,000 with Petro. The demand promissory notes bear interest at 8% per annum and are due two business days after receipt of demand for payment. In an event of default, the notes bear a default rate of 15% per annum. The notes are unsecured.

During the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013, the Company entered into a series of demand promissory notes totaling \$256,950 with Petro. The demand promissory notes bore interest at 8% per annum and were due two business days after receipt of demand for payment. In an event of default, the notes bear a default rate of 15% per annum. The notes were unsecured.

As a result of the share exchange agreement, on April 23, 2013, the balance of the aforementioned demand promissory notes and accrued interest totaling \$1,163,530 was converted to equity and was reclassified from liability to equity and the excess was recorded as a dividend distribution.

#### **ITEM 14. PRINCIPAL ACCOUNTING FEES AND SERVICES**

Our independent registered public accounting firm is Marcum LLP. Set forth below are the aggregate fees we were billed or expected to be billed by Marcum LLP for professional services rendered for the years ended April 30, 2014 and 2013.

##### *Audit Fees*

During the fiscal years ended April 30, 2014 and 2013, the fees for Marcum LLP were approximately \$273,000 and \$183,000, respectively.

##### *Tax Fees*

During the fiscal years ended April 30, 2014 and 2013, the fees paid to Marcum LLP for tax compliance, tax advice and tax planning were approximately \$52,800 and \$42,500, respectively.

##### *All Other Fees*

During the fiscal years ended April 30, 2014 and April 30, 2013 there were no fees billed for products and services provided by the principal accountants other than those set forth above.

The Audit Committee has reviewed the above fees for non-audit services and believes such fees are compatible with the independent registered public accountants' independence.

#### **Policy on Audit Committee Pre-Approval of Audit and Non-Audit Services of Independent Accountant**

The Audit Committee shall approve the audit engagement and fees related thereto and pre-approve any other services and fees related thereto to be provided by the independent auditors. The Audit Committee shall schedule meetings to review and approve the scope of the annual audit to be performed by the Company's independent auditors.

The Audit Committee shall select, evaluate, and if appropriate, terminate or replace the independent auditors. The Audit Committee will arrange to receive from the independent auditors a formal written statement on at least an annual basis delineating all relationships between the independent auditor and the Company, consistent with Independence Standards Board Standard 1, which shall (a) set forth all relationships between the independent auditor and its related entities and the Company and its related entities that in the independent auditor's professional judgment may reasonably be thought to bear on independence, and (b) confirm that in the auditor's professional judgment, it is independent of the Company within the meaning of the Exchange Act and the Securities Act. On an annual basis, the Audit Committee will review and discuss with the auditors all significant relationships, including non-audit services proposed or performed, the auditors have with the Company to determine the auditors' independence, especially in light of any disclosed relationships or services that may impact the objectivity and independence of the auditor. The independent auditors are accountable to the Audit Committee and to the Board.

**PART IV**

**ITEM 15. EXHIBITS AND FINANCIAL STATEMENT SCHEDULES**

**(a) Financial Statements.**

Our financial statements as set forth in the Index to Financial Statements attached hereto commencing on page F-1 are hereby incorporated by reference.

**(b) Exhibits.**

The following exhibits, which are numbered in accordance with Item 601 of Regulation S-K, are filed herewith or, as noted, incorporated by reference herein:

<b>Exhibit Number</b>	<b>Exhibit Description</b>
3.1 (1)	Certificate of Incorporation of the Company
3.2 (1)	Bylaws of the Company
10.1(2)	Securities Purchase Agreement of Petro River Oil LLC, dated as of April 23, 2013, by and among Petro River Oil Corp., Petro River Oil, LLC, the holders of outstanding secured promissory notes of Petro River Oil, LLC, the members of Petro River Oil, LLC and Mega Partners 1 LLC
10.2*	Amended and Restated 2012 Equity Compensation Plan
14.1(3)	Code of Business Conduct and Ethics
21.1(2)	Subsidiaries
24.1*	Power of Attorney (included on the Signature page of this Annual Report on Form 10-K)
31.1*	Certification of Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
31.2*	Certification of Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
32.1*	Certification of Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
101.INS*	XBRL Instance Document
101.SCH*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
101.CAL*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document
101.DEF*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document
101.LAB*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Labels Linkbase Document
101.PRE*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document

\* Attached hereto

(1) Incorporated by reference to our Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 13, 2012.

(2) Incorporated by reference to our Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 29, 2013.

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**PETRO RIVER OIL CORP.**  
**FINANCIAL INFORMATION**

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**REPORT OF INDEPENDENT REGISTERED PUBLIC ACCOUNTING FIRM**

To the Audit Committee of the  
Board of Directors and Shareholders of  
Petro River Oil Corp.

We have audited the accompanying consolidated balance sheets of Petro River Oil Corp. and Subsidiaries (the "Company") as of April 30, 2014 and 2013, and the related consolidated statements of operations and cash flows for the year ended April 30, 2014, four month period from January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013 and period from February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) through December 31, 2012, stockholders' equity (deficiency) for the period from February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) through April 30, 2014. These consolidated financial statements are the responsibility of the Company's management. Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these consolidated financial statements based on our audits.

We conducted our audits in accordance with the standards of the Public Company Accounting Oversight Board (United States). Those standards require that we plan and perform the audits to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the consolidated financial statements are free of material misstatement. The Company is not required to have, nor were we engaged to perform, an audit of its internal control over financial reporting. Our audits included consideration of internal control over financial reporting as a basis for designing audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the Company's internal control over financial reporting. Accordingly, we express no such opinion. An audit also includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements, assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audits provide a reasonable basis for our opinion.

In our opinion, the consolidated financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the financial position of Petro River Oil Corp. and Subsidiaries, as of April 30, 2014 and 2013, and the results of its operations and its cash flows for the year ended April 30, 2014, four month period from January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013 and period from February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) through December 31, 2012 in conformity with accounting principles generally accepted in the United States of America.

*/s/ Marcum llp*

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New York, New York  
August 13, 2014

**Petro River Oil Corp. and Subsidiaries**  
**Consolidated Balance Sheets**

	As of	
	April 30, 2014	April 30, 2013
<b>Assets</b>		
<b>Current Assets:</b>		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 8,352,949	\$ 5,703,082
Accounts receivable	51,979	31,394
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	40,297	58,390
<b>Total Current Assets</b>	<b>8,445,225</b>	<b>5,792,866</b>
Oil and gas assets, net	8,941,592	13,423,089
Property, plant and equipment, net of accumulated depreciation of \$314,308 and \$310,700	930	4,538
Other assets	6,000	30,500
<b>Total Other Assets</b>	<b>8,948,522</b>	<b>13,458,127</b>
<b>Total Assets</b>	<b>\$ 17,393,747</b>	<b>\$ 19,250,993</b>
<b>Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity</b>		
<b>Current Liabilities:</b>		
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	\$ 480,637	\$ 871,094
Current portion of asset retirement obligations	481,658	213,302
<b>Total Current Liabilities</b>	<b>962,295</b>	<b>1,084,396</b>
<b>Long-term liabilities:</b>		
Asset retirement obligations , net of current portion	336,352	549,734
<b>Total Liabilities</b>	<b>1,298,647</b>	<b>1,634,130</b>
<b>Commitments and contingencies</b>		
<b>Stockholders' Equity:</b>		
Preferred Shares - 5,000,000 authorized; par value \$0.00001 per share	-	-
Preferred B shares - 29,500 authorized; 0 issued with a \$100 stated value, par value \$0.00001 per share	-	-
Common shares - 2,250,000,000 authorized; par value \$0.00001 per share; Issued and outstanding; 818,567,746 and 737,117,746	8,186	7,371
Additional paid-in capital	27,748,045	20,317,094
Accumulated deficit	(11,661,131)	(2,707,602)
<b>Total Stockholders' Equity</b>	<b>16,095,100</b>	<b>17,616,863</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Stockholders' Equity</b>	<b>\$ 17,393,747</b>	<b>\$ 19,250,993</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

**Petro River Oil Corp. and Subsidiaries**  
**Consolidated Statements of Operations**

	<b>For the Year Ended April 30, 2014</b>	<b>For the Four Month Period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013</b>	<b>For the Period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012</b>
<b>Operations</b>			
<b>Revenues</b>			
Oil and natural gas sales	\$ 372,179	\$ 184,676	\$ 16,901
<b>Total Revenues</b>	<b>372,179</b>	<b>184,676</b>	<b>16,901</b>
<b>Operating Expenses</b>			
Operating	286,507	144,439	82,663
General and administrative	4,195,437	623,136	526,460
Depreciation and accretion	153,108	29,304	80,481
Impairment of oil and gas assets	4,713,973	-	-
Impairment of excess purchase price	-	1,093,527	-
Gain on settlement of liability	(20,069)	-	-
<b>Total Expenses</b>	<b>9,328,956</b>	<b>1,890,406</b>	<b>689,604</b>
<b>Operating loss</b>	<b>(8,956,777)</b>	<b>(1,705,730)</b>	<b>(672,703)</b>
<b>Other income (expenses)</b>			
Interest and other income	3,253	5,174	34,658
Interest expense and amortization of debt discount	(5)	(619,178)	(1,277,572)
<b>Total other income (expenses)</b>	<b>3,248</b>	<b>(614,004)</b>	<b>(1,242,914)</b>
<b>Net Loss</b>	<b>\$ (8,953,529)</b>	<b>\$ (2,319,734)</b>	<b>\$ (1,915,617)</b>
<b>Net Loss per Common Share</b>			
<b>Basic and Diluted</b>	<b>\$ (0.01)</b>	<b>\$ (0.00)</b>	<b>\$ (0.00)</b>
<b>Weighted Average Number of Common Shares</b>			
<b>Outstanding - Basic and Diluted</b>	<b>768,257,883</b>	<b>584,966,838</b>	<b>402,985,653</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

**Petro River Oil Corp. and Subsidiaries**  
**Consolidated Statements of Stockholders' Equity (Deficiency)**  
**For the Period from February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) through April 30, 2014**

	<b>Common Shares</b>	<b>Common Amount</b>	<b>Additional Paid-in Capital</b>	<b>Accumulated Deficit</b>	<b>Total Stockholders' Equity (Deficiency)</b>
February 2, 2012 (Commencement of operations)	27,556	\$ 1	\$ 999	\$ -	\$ 1,000
Shares issued for conversion of convertible notes and accrued interest	575,514,005	5,755	(5,755)	-	-
Net loss	-	-	-	(1,915,617)	(1,915,617)
<b>Balance at December 31, 2012</b>	<b>575,541,561</b>	<b>5,756</b>	<b>(4,756)</b>	<b>(1,915,617)</b>	<b>(1,914,617)</b>
Shares issued for conversion of convertible notes and accrued interest	15,479,450	155	21,896,578	-	21,896,733
Shares issued in reverse merger	146,096,735	1,460	1,115,944	-	1,117,404
Recapitalization of Petro River LLC's accumulated losses through the date of merger			(2,691,279)	2,691,279	-
Stock-based compensation	-	-	607	-	607
Dividend distribution	-	-	-	(1,163,530)	(1,163,530)
Net loss	-	-	-	(2,319,734)	(2,319,734)
<b>Balance at April 30, 2013</b>	<b>737,117,746</b>	<b>7,371</b>	<b>20,317,094</b>	<b>(2,707,602)</b>	<b>17,616,863</b>
Shares issued for settlement of employment agreement	200,000	2	79,998	-	80,000
Issuance of stock and warrants for cash	81,250,000	813	6,499,187	-	6,500,000
Cost of equity raise	-	-	(650,000)	-	(650,000)
Stock-based compensation	-	-	1,501,766	-	1,501,766
Net loss	-	-	-	(8,953,529)	(8,953,529)
<b>Balance at April 30, 2014</b>	<b>818,567,746</b>	<b>\$ 8,186</b>	<b>\$ 27,748,045</b>	<b>(11,661,131)</b>	<b>\$ 16,095,100</b>

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.

**Petro River Oil Corp. and Subsidiaries**  
**Consolidated Statements of Cash Flows**

	<b>For the Year Ended April 30, 2014</b>	<b>For the Four Month Period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013</b>	<b>For the Period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012</b>
<b>CASH FLOWS FROM OPERATING ACTIVITIES:</b>			
Net loss	\$ (8,953,529)	\$ (2,319,734)	\$ (1,915,617)
Adjustments to reconcile net loss to net cash used in operating activities			
Stock-based compensation	1,501,766	607	-
Depreciation and amortization	98,134	25,087	80,481
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	54,974	4,217	-
Impairment of oil and gas assets	4,713,973	-	-
Impairment of excess purchase price	-	1,093,527	-
Gain on settlement of liability	(20,069)	-	-
Changes in operating assets and liabilities:			
Accounts receivable	(20,585)	(31,394)	-
Prepaid expenses and other assets	18,093	43,278	(22,112)
Interest receivable	-	-	(34,658)
Other assets	24,500	(5,500)	-
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(290,388)	(99,514)	102,410
Accrued interest payable	-	619,178	1,277,572
<b>Net Cash Used in Operating Activities</b>	<b>(2,873,131)</b>	<b>(670,248)</b>	<b>(511,924)</b>
<b>Cash Flows From Investing Activities:</b>			
Capitalized expenditures on oil and gas assets	(327,002)	(98,764)	(12,191,965)
Issuance of notes receivable to related party	-	-	(825,000)
<b>Net Cash Used in Investing Activities</b>	<b>(327,002)</b>	<b>(98,764)</b>	<b>(13,016,965)</b>
<b>Cash Flows From Financing Activities:</b>			
Proceeds from the issuance of common stock and warrants	6,500,000	-	-
Cost of equity raise	(650,000)	-	-
Proceeds from issuance of notes	-	-	19,999,983
Capital contributions	-	-	1,000
<b>Net Cash Provided by Financing Activities</b>	<b>5,850,000</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>20,000,983</b>
<b>Change in cash and cash equivalents</b>	<b>2,649,867</b>	<b>(769,012)</b>	<b>6,472,094</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of period</b>	<b>5,703,082</b>	<b>6,472,094</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>Cash and cash equivalents, end of period</b>	<b>\$ 8,352,949</b>	<b>\$ 5,703,082</b>	<b>\$ 6,472,094</b>
<b>SUPPLEMENTARY CASH FLOW INFORMATION:</b>			
Cash Paid During the Period for:			
Income taxes	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Interest paid	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
<b>Non-cash investing and financing activities:</b>			
Conversion of accrued settlement liability into common stock	\$ 80,000	\$ -	\$ -
Conversion of notes and accrued interest into shares of common stock	\$ -	\$ 21,896,733	\$ -
Recognition of asset retirement obligation	\$ -	\$ -	\$ 143,035
Dividend distribution	\$ -	\$ 1,163,530	\$ -
<b>Assets acquired and liabilities assumed in reverse merger:</b>			
Prepaid expenses and other current assets	\$ -	\$ 104,556	\$ -
Property and equipment	-	4,538	-
Oil and gas assets	-	1,093,991	-
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	-	(563,424)	-
Asset retirement obligations	-	(615,784)	-
Net assets acquired	-	23,877	-
Consideration for net assets acquired	-	1,117,404	-
Excess purchase price	\$ -	\$ 1,093,527	\$ -

The accompanying notes are an integral part of these consolidated financial statements.



**PETRO RIVER OIL CORP.**  
**Notes to the Consolidated Financial Statements**  
**For the year ended April 30, 2014, four month period ended April 30, 2013 and**  
**for the period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) through December 31, 2012**

**1. Organization and Liquidity:**

Petro River Oil Corp (the “Company”) is an enterprise engaged in the exploration and exploitation of heavy oil properties. The Company’s principal administrative office is located in Houston, Texas and its principal operations are in Kansas and Western Missouri.

Petro River Oil LLC (“Petro”) was incorporated under the laws of the State of Delaware on March 3, 2011. Through proceeds received from the issuance of various promissory notes, on February 1, 2012, Petro purchased various interests in oil and gas leases, wells, records, data and related personal property located along the Mississippi Lime play in the state of Kansas from Metro Energy Corporation (“Metro”), a Louisiana company, and other interrelated entities, which were in financial distress. These assets were purchased by Petro from Metro through a court approved order as Metro was undergoing Chapter 11 Bankruptcy proceedings as a Debtor-In-Possession of these various oil and gas assets. Petro purchased these assets for cash consideration of \$2,000,000 as well as a 25% non-managing membership interest in the Company. Subsequent to the Metro purchase the Company engaged Energy Source Advisors to renew a number of the leases acquired in the Metro purchase and to lease additional acreage. As a result of the asset purchase from Metro and the completion of the additional lease renewals and additional acreage purchases, the Company obtained a total of 115,000 gross/85,000 net acres of leases, having unproven reserves at the time of acquisition, in the Mississippi Lime in Southeast Kansas for total cost of \$12.2 million.

On April 23, 2013, the Company executed and consummated a securities purchase agreement (the “Securities Purchase Agreement”) by and among the Company, Petro, and the investors in Petro (the “Investors”), namely, the holders of outstanding secured promissory notes of Petro (the “Notes”), and the members of Petro holding membership interests in Petro (the “Membership Interests”, and, together with the Notes, the “Acquired Securities”) sold by the Company (the “Share Exchange”).

In the Share Exchange, the Investors exchanged their Acquired Securities for 591,021,011 newly issued shares of common stock of the Company (“Common Stock”). As a result, upon completion of the Share Exchange, Petro became the Company’s wholly-owned subsidiary.

As a result of the Share Exchange, the Company acquired 100% of the member units of Petro and consequently, control of the business and operations of Petro. Under generally accepted accounting principles in the United States, (“U.S. GAAP”) because Petro’s former members and note holders held 80% of the issued and outstanding shares of the Company as a result of the Share Exchange, Petro is deemed the accounting acquirer while the Company remains the legal acquirer. Petro adopted the fiscal year of the Company. Prior to the Share Exchange, all historical financial statements presented are those of Petro. The equity of the Company is the historical equity of Petro, retrospectively restated to reflect the number of shares issued by the Company in the transaction.

**Liquidity and Management Plans**

The Company is focused on developing its recently acquired Mississippi Lime acreage. Over the last 12 months the Company has continued to build out its leadership and technical team. Additionally, the Company has been in discussions with industry partners to capitalize and develop acreage in the Mississippi Lime. The Company continues to seek out joint venture partners and acquisition targets.

Projects related to our legacy heavy oil reservoirs are still in technical review but a determination has been made to continue to testing pilot technologies and processes on the Missouri heavy oil assets. In Missouri, we are continuing to analyze reservoir data and testing results. The data is being utilized in the understanding and test phases to develop an economic heavy oil production reserve base.

Projects related to the heavy oil reservoirs are in technical review. The Company has an extensive amount of technical and reservoir information on both Missouri and Kansas positions. The data is being utilized in the understanding and test phases to develop an economic heavy oil production reserve base.

The ultimate goal of the management of the Company is to maximize shareholder value. Specific targets include: increasing production by developing its acreage, increasing profitability margins by evaluating and optimizing its production, and executing its business plan to increase property values, prove its reserves, and expand its asset base.

At April 30, 2014, the Company had working capital of approximately \$7.5 million and has incurred losses since it commenced operations and utilized cash in its operating activities to date. In addition, Petro has a limited operating history. At April 30, 2014, the Company had cash and cash equivalents of approximately \$8.4 million. Management believes that the current level of working capital is sufficient to maintain current operations in Kansas and Missouri as well as the planned added operations for the next 12 months. Management intends to continue to raise capital through debt and equity instruments in order to achieve its business plans. Management can provide no assurances that the Company will be successful in capital raising efforts.

## **2. Basis of Preparation:**

The consolidated financial statements and accompanying footnotes are prepared in accordance with U.S. GAAP and include the accounts of the Company and its wholly-owned subsidiaries. All material intercompany balances and transactions have been eliminated in consolidation.

These consolidated financial statements include the below wholly-owned subsidiaries:

Petro River Oil LLC, Petro Spring, LLC, and MegaWest Energy USA Corp. and its wholly owned subsidiaries:

MegaWest Energy Texas Corp.  
MegaWest Energy Kentucky Corp.  
MegaWest Energy Missouri Corp.  
MegaWest Energy Kansas Corp.  
MegaWest Energy Montana Corp.

## **3. Significant Accounting Policies:**

### **(a) Use of Estimates**

The preparation of consolidated financial statements in conformity with U.S. GAAP requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities and the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities as of the date of the financial statements and the reported amounts of revenues and expenses during the reporting period. Actual results could differ from those estimates. Significant estimates include volumes of oil and natural gas reserves, abandonment obligations, impairment of oil and natural gas properties, depreciation and accretion, income taxes, fair value of financial instruments, and contingencies.

Oil and gas proven reserve estimates, which are the basis for unit-of-production depletion and the full cost ceiling test, have a number of inherent uncertainties. The accuracy of any reserve estimate is a function of the quality of available data and of engineering and geological interpretation and judgment. Results of drilling, testing, and production subsequent to the date of the estimate may justify revision of such estimate. Accordingly, reserve estimates are often different from the quantities of oil and gas that are ultimately recovered. In addition, reserve estimates are vulnerable to changes in prices of crude oil and gas. Such prices have been volatile in the past and can be expected to be volatile in the future. As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, the Company had no estimated proven reserves.

### **(b) Cash and Cash Equivalents:**

Cash and cash equivalents include all highly liquid monetary instruments with original maturities of three months or less when purchased to be cash equivalents. These investments are carried at cost, which approximates fair value. Financial instruments that potentially subject the Company to concentrations of credit risk consist primarily of cash deposits. The Company maintains its cash in institutions insured by the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (“FDIC”). At times, the Company’s cash and cash equivalent balances may be uninsured or in amounts that exceed the FDIC insurance limits.

(c) Oil and Gas Operations:

*Oil and Gas Properties:* The Company uses the full-cost method of accounting for its exploration and development activities. Under this method of accounting, the costs of both successful and unsuccessful exploration and development activities are capitalized as oil and gas property and equipment. Proceeds from the sale or disposition of oil and gas properties are accounted for as a reduction to capitalized costs unless the gain or loss would significantly alter the relationship between capitalized costs and proved reserves of oil and natural gas attributable to a country, in which case a gain or loss would be recognized in the statement of operations. All of the Company's oil and gas properties are located within the continental United States, its sole cost center.

Oil and gas properties may include costs that are excluded from costs being depleted. Oil and gas costs excluded represent investments in unproved properties and major development projects in which the Company owns a direct interest. These unproved property costs include non-producing leasehold, geological and geophysical costs associated with leasehold or drilling interests and in process exploration drilling costs. All costs excluded are reviewed at least annually to determine if impairment has occurred.

The Company accounts for its unproven long-lived assets in accordance with Accounting Standards Codification (“ASC”) Topic 360-10-05, “Accounting for the Impairment or Disposal of Long-Lived Assets.” ASC Topic 360-10-05 requires that long-lived assets be reviewed for impairment whenever events or changes in circumstances indicate that the historical cost carrying value of an asset may no longer be appropriate. The Company performed a comparable study of unproven long-lived assets as of April 30, 2013 and determined that none of its long-term assets at April 30, 2013 were impaired. As of April 30, 2014, management performed a third party study of the oil and gas assets. Management concluded that the Montana assets was impaired by \$75,000 and the Kansas assets were impaired by \$4,638,973. The Company recorded a \$4,713,973 impairment to the statement of operations during the year ended April 30, 2014.

*Proved Oil and Gas Reserves:* In accordance with Rule 4-10 of SEC Regulation S-X, proved oil and gas reserves are the estimated quantities of crude oil, natural gas and natural gas liquids which geological and engineering data demonstrate with reasonable certainty to be recoverable in future years from known reservoirs under existing economic and operating conditions. All the oil and gas properties with proven reserves were impaired to the salvage value prior to the merger. The price used to establish economic producibility is the average price during the 12-month period preceding the end of the entity's fiscal year and calculated as the un-weighted arithmetic average of the first-day-of-the-month price for each month within such 12-month period.

*Depletion, Depreciation and Amortization:* Depletion, depreciation and amortization is provided using the unit-of-production method based upon estimates of proved oil and gas reserves with oil and gas production being converted to a common unit of measure based upon their relative energy content. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the four month period ended April 30, 2013 and the period February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012, all oil and gas reserves were classified as unproven. Investments in unproved properties and major development projects are not amortized until proved reserves associated with the projects can be determined or until impairment occurs. If the results of an assessment indicate that the properties are impaired, the amount of the impairment is deducted from the capitalized costs to be amortized. Once the assessment of unproved properties is complete and when major development projects are evaluated, the costs previously excluded from amortization are transferred to the full cost pool and amortization begins. The amortizable base includes estimated future development costs and, where significant, dismantlement, restoration and abandonment costs, net of estimated salvage value.

In arriving at rates under the unit-of-production method, the quantities of recoverable oil and natural gas reserves are established based on estimates made by the Company's geologists and engineers which require significant judgment, as does the projection of future production volumes and levels of future costs, including future development costs. In addition, considerable judgment is necessary in determining when unproved properties become impaired and in determining the existence of proved reserves once a well has been drilled. All of these judgments may have significant impact on the calculation of depletion expenses. There have been no material changes in the methodology used by the Company in calculating depletion, depreciation and amortization of oil and gas properties under the full cost method during the year ended April 30, 2014, the four month period ended April 30, 2013 and the period February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012.

(d) Asset Retirement Obligations:

The Company recognizes a liability for the estimated fair value of site restoration and abandonment costs when the obligations are legally incurred and the fair value can be reasonably estimated. The fair value of the obligations is based on the estimated cash flow required to settle the obligations discounted using the Company's credit adjusted risk-free interest rate. The obligation is recorded as a liability with a corresponding increase in the carrying amount of the oil and gas assets. The capitalized amount will be depleted on a unit-of-production method. The liability is increased each period, or accretes, due to the passage of time and a corresponding amount is recorded in the statement of operations.

Revisions to the estimated fair value would result in an adjustment to the liability and the capitalized amount in oil and gas assets.

(e) Oil and Gas Revenue:

Sales of oil and gas, net of any royalties, are recognized when oil has been delivered to a custody transfer point, persuasive evidence of a sales arrangement exists, the rights and responsibility of ownership pass to the purchaser upon delivery, collection of revenue from the sale is reasonably assured, and the sales price is fixed or determinable. The Company sells oil and gas on a monthly basis. Virtually all of its contracts' pricing provisions are tied to a market index, with certain adjustments based on, among other factors, whether a well delivers to a gathering or transmission line, the quality of the oil and gas, and prevailing supply and demand conditions, so that the price of the oil and gas fluctuates to remain competitive with other available oil supplies.

(f) Stock-Based Compensation:

Generally, all forms of stock-based compensation, including stock option grants, warrants, and restricted stock grants are measured at their fair value utilizing an option pricing model on the award's grant date, based on the estimated number of awards that are ultimately expected to vest. Share-based compensation awards issued to non-employees for services rendered are recorded at either the fair value of the services rendered or the fair value of the share-based payment, whichever is more readily determinable. The expenses resulting from stock-based compensation are recorded as general and administrative expenses in the consolidated statement of operations, depending on the nature of the services provided.

(g) Income Taxes:

Prior to the Share Exchange, Petro was not subject to income taxes in any jurisdiction. The members of Petro were responsible for the tax liability, if any, related to Petro's taxable income. Accordingly, no provision for income taxes was reflected in the accompanying consolidated financial statements. The Petro members have concluded that Petro was a pass-through entity and there were no uncertain tax positions that would require recognition in the consolidated financial statements. If Petro were to incur an income tax liability in the future, interest on any income tax liability would be reported as interest expense and penalties on any income tax liability would be reported as income taxes. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the four month period ended April 30, 2013 and the period February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012, no interest and penalties were required to be recorded. The Members' conclusions regarding uncertain tax positions may be subject to review and adjustment at a later date based upon ongoing analyses of tax laws, regulations and interpretations thereof as well as other factors. At the time of the share exchange, all undistributed losses were closed to additional paid in capital.

Subsequent to the Share Exchange, the Company applies the elements of ASC 740-10 "Income Taxes — Overall" regarding accounting for uncertainty in income taxes. This clarifies the accounting for uncertainty in income taxes recognized in consolidated financial statements and requires the impact of a tax position to be recognized in the consolidated financial statements if that position is more likely than not of being sustained by the taxing authority. As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, the Company did not have any unrecognized tax benefits. The Company does not expect that the amount of unrecognized tax benefits will significantly increase or decrease within the next twelve months. The Company's federal and state income tax returns are subject to examination by tax authorities beginning with the tax year ended April 30, 2009.

The Company operates in Kansas, Texas and Missouri. The Company accounts for any tax penalties and interest as general and administrative expenses.

Deferred taxes are computed based on the tax liability or benefit in future years of the reversal of temporary differences in the recognition of income or deduction of expenses between financial and tax reporting purposes. The net difference, if any, between the provision for taxes and taxes currently payable is reflected in the balance sheet as deferred taxes. Deferred tax assets and/or liabilities, if any, are classified as current and non-current based on the classification of the related asset or liability for financial reporting purposes, or based on the expected reversal date for deferred taxes that are not related to an asset or liability. Valuation allowances are recorded to reduce deferred tax assets to that amount which is more likely than not to be realized.

(h) Per Share Amounts:

Basic net loss per common share is computed by dividing net loss attributable to common stockholders by the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding during the period. Diluted net earnings (loss) per common share is determined using the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding during the period, adjusted for the dilutive effect of common stock equivalents. In periods when losses are reported, which is the case for the year ended April 30, 2014, the four month period ended April 30, 2013, and the period February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012 presented in these consolidated financial statements, the weighted-average number of common shares outstanding excludes common stock equivalents because their inclusion would be anti-dilutive.

The Company had the following common stock equivalents at April 30, 2014, April 30, 2013 and December 31, 2012:

As at	April 30, 2014	April 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
Stock Options	88,038,281	290,000	-
Stock Purchase Warrants	40,625,000	-	-
Compensation Warrants	-	230,000	-
	128,663,281	520,000	-

(i) Fair Value of Financial Instruments:

All financial instruments, including cash and cash equivalents, accounts receivable, prepaid expenses and accounts payable and accrued expenses are to be recognized on the consolidated balance sheet initially at carrying value. The carrying value of these assets approximates their fair value due to their short-term maturities.

At each balance sheet date, the Company assesses financial assets for impairment with any impairment recorded in the consolidated statement of operations. To assess loans and receivables for impairment, the Company evaluates the probability of collection of accounts receivable and records an allowance for doubtful accounts, which reduces loans and receivables to the amount management reasonably believes will be collected. In determining the amount of the allowance, the following factors are considered: the length of the time the receivable has been outstanding, specific knowledge of each customer's financial condition and historical experience.

Market risk is the risk that changes in commodity prices will affect the Company's oil sales, cash flows or the value of its financial instruments. The objective of commodity price risk management is to manage and control market risk exposures within acceptable limits while maximizing returns.

The Company is exposed to changes in oil prices which impact its revenues and to changes in natural gas process which impact its operating expenses.

The Company does not utilize financial derivatives or other contracts to manage commodity price risks.

Fair value is the price that would be received to sell an asset or paid to transfer a liability in an orderly transaction between market participants at the measurement date (exit price).

Fair value measurements are categorized using a valuation hierarchy for disclosure of the inputs used to measure fair value, which prioritize the inputs into three broad levels:

Level 1 - Quoted prices are available in active markets for identical assets or liabilities as of the reporting date. Active markets are those in which transactions for the asset or liability occur in sufficient frequency and volume to provide pricing information on an ongoing basis.

Level 2 - Pricing inputs are other than quoted prices in active markets included in level 1, which are either directly or indirectly observable as of the reported date, and include those financial instruments that are valued using models or other valuation methodologies.

Level 3 - Pricing inputs include significant inputs that are generally less observable from objective sources. These inputs may be used with internally developed methodologies that result in management's best estimate of fair value.

(j) Subsequent Events:

The Company evaluates subsequent events through the date when the consolidated financial statements are issued.

(k) Recent Accounting Pronouncements:

In July 2013, the FASB issued ASU 2013-11, "Income Taxes (Topic 740): Presentation of an Unrecognized Tax Benefit When a Net Operating Loss Carryforward, a Similar Tax Loss, or a Tax Credit Carryforward Exists." Under this new guidance, companies must present this unrecognized tax benefit in the financial statements as a reduction to deferred tax assets created by net operating losses or other tax credits from prior periods that occur in the same taxing jurisdiction. If the unrecognized tax benefit exceeds such credits it should be presented in the financial statements as a liability. This update is effective for annual and interim reporting periods for fiscal years beginning after December 15, 2013. The Company is currently evaluating the effects of ASU 2013-11 on the consolidated financial statements.

In May 2014, the Financial Accounting Standards Board ("FASB") issued Accounting Standards Update ("ASU") 2014-09, Revenue from Contracts with Customers. Amendments in this ASU create Topic 606, Revenue from Contracts with Customers, and supersede the revenue recognition requirements in Topic 605, Revenue Recognition, including most industry-specific revenue recognition guidance throughout the Industry Topics of the Codification. In addition, the amendments supersede the cost guidance in Subtopic 605-35, Revenue Recognition—Construction-Type and Production-Type Contracts, and create new Subtopic 340-40, Other Assets and Deferred Costs—Contracts with Customers. In summary, the core principle of Topic 606 is that an entity recognizes revenue to depict the transfer of promised goods or services to customers in an amount that reflects the consideration to which the entity expects to be entitled in exchange for those goods or services. This ASU is the final version of Proposed Accounting Standards Update 2011-230—Revenue Recognition (Topic 605) and Proposed Accounting Standards Update 2011-250—Revenue Recognition (Topic 605): Codification Amendments, both of which have been deleted. The amendments in this ASU are effective for the Company for annual reporting periods beginning after December 15, 2016, including interim periods within that reporting period. The Company is currently evaluating the effects of ASU 2014-09 on the consolidated financial statements.

In June 2014, the FASB issued ASU 2014-12, *Compensation- Stock Compensation*. The amendments in this update apply to reporting entities that grant their employees share-based payments in which the terms of the award provide that a performance target can be achieved after the requisite service period. This ASU is the final version of Proposed Accounting Standards Update EITF-13D—Compensation—Stock Compensation (Topic 718): Accounting for Share-Based Payments When the Terms of an Award Provide That a Performance Target Could Be Achieved after the Requisite Service Period, which has been deleted. The proposed amendments would apply to reporting entities that grant their employees share-based payments in which the terms of the award provide that a performance target could be achieved after the requisite service period. The amendments in this ASU are effective for annual periods and interim periods within those annual periods beginning after December 15, 2015, and early adoption is permitted. The Company is currently evaluating the effects of ASU 2014-12 on the consolidated financial statements.

Management does not believe that any recently issued, but not yet effective accounting pronouncements, if adopted, would have a material effect on the accompanying consolidated financial statements.

#### 4. Reverse Acquisition:

Prior to the reverse acquisition, the existing shareholders of the Company (the Legal Acquirer) held 146,096,735 or 20% of the outstanding shares of the common stock. Based on the overall market capitalization of the Company at the time of the share exchange, the aggregate fair value of these shares (20% of the market capitalization) was \$1,117,404, which exceeded the fair value of the net assets acquired by \$1,093,527.

<b>Purchase price allocation</b>	
Prepaid expenses	\$ 104,556
Property and equipment	4,538
Oil and gas assets	1,093,991
Accounts payable and accrued expenses	(563,424)
Asset retirement obligations	\$ (615,784)
<b>Net assets acquired</b>	<b>\$ 23,877</b>
<b>Consideration for net assets acquired</b>	<b>\$ 1,117,404</b>
<b>Excess purchase price</b>	<b>\$ 1,093,527</b>

The Company prior to the merger, impaired its assets to net salvage value and determined upon consummation of the merger the excess purchase price paid for the assets continued to be impaired, thus the Company recognized an immediate charge of \$1,093,527 in its accompanying consolidated statement of operations for the four month period ended April 30, 2013.

The following table summarizes, on an unaudited pro forma basis, the results of operations of the Company as though the acquisition had occurred as of February 2, 2012 (Commencement of operations). The pro forma amounts give effect to appropriate adjustments of amortization of intangible assets and interest expense associated with the financing of the purchase. The pro forma amounts presented are not necessarily indicative of either the actual operation results had the acquisition transaction occurred as of February 2, 2012 and as of January 1, 2013.

	<u>April 30, 2013</u>	<u>December 31, 2012</u>
Revenues	\$ 184,676	16,901
Net loss	(2,276,797)	(2,216,470)
Loss per share of common stock	(0.00)	(0.00)
Basic and diluted	737,117,746	737,117,746

**5. Oil and Gas Assets:**

The following table summarizes the oil and gas assets by project:

<u>Cost</u>	<u>Missouri</u>	<u>Kentucky</u>	<u>Montana</u>	<u>Kansas</u>	<u>Other</u>	<u>Total</u>
Balance, February 2, 2012	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Additions	-	-	-	12,191,965	-	12,191,965
Asset retirement obligations	-	-	-	143,035	-	143,035
Depreciation and amortization	-	-	-	(80,481)	-	(80,481)
Balance December 31, 2012	-	-	-	12,254,519	-	12,254,519
Assets acquired in reverse merger	918,991	-	75,000	-	100,000	1,093,991
Additions	-	-	-	98,764	-	98,764
Excess purchase price paid	1,093,527	-	-	-	-	1,093,527
Impairment of excess purchase price	(1,093,527)	-	-	-	-	(1,093,527)
Depreciation and amortization	-	-	-	(24,185)	-	(24,185)
Balance April 30, 2013	918,991	-	75,000	12,329,098	100,000	13,423,089
Additions	-	-	-	327,002	-	327,002
Impairment of oil and gas assets	-	-	(75,000)	(4,638,973)	-	(4,713,973)
Depreciation and amortization	-	-	-	(94,526)	-	(94,526)
Balance April 30, 2014	<u>\$ 918,991</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ 7,922,601</u>	<u>\$ 100,000</u>	<u>\$ 8,941,592</u>

The Company performed a test of oil and gas assets as of April 30, 2013, and concluded that the excess purchase price paid for its Missouri property exceeded its net realizable value, and as a result it recognized an impairment in the amount of \$1,093,527.

As of April 30, 2014, management performed an impairment test of the oil and gas assets. All Montana leases expired during the year ended April 30, 2014, and as a result, management fully impaired the Montana assets by \$75,000. In addition, management engaged an independent third party to test the Kansas assets for impairment. Management was not aware of any impairment indicators, but the third party specialist concluded that the Kansas assets were impaired by \$4,638,973, specifically as a result of expiring leases and comparable acreage values. The Company recorded a \$4,713,973 impairment to the statement of operations during the year ended April 30, 2014.

### ***Missouri***

At April 30, 2014, the Company's Missouri lease holdings totaled 1,272 gross acres with 98.4% working interest.

On separate pilot projects at Deerfield, the Company built two 500 barrel of oil per day steam drive production facilities (Marmaton River and Grassy Creek) comprised of 116 production wells, 39 steam injection wells and 14 service and observation wells. Throughout the Deerfield area, the Company has drilled 73 exploration/delineation wells with a 67% success rate.

As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, all Missouri assets were carried at salvage value, since the Company's current business plans do not contemplate raising the necessary capital to develop these properties. The Company is in current discussions with third parties to use the acreage as a testing site for heavy oil solutions with contemplated profit sharing opportunities.

### ***Kentucky***

As a result of the share exchange, the Company acquired Kentucky lease holdings which include a 37.5% working interest in 27,150 unproved gross acres (10,181 net acres). At April 30, 2014 the Kentucky lease holdings acquired as a result of the share exchange have expired.

### ***Montana***

As of April 30, 2014, the Montana leasehold in the Devils Basin prospect have expired.

As April 30, 2013, the assets were carried at salvage value. During the year ended April 30, 2014, management fully impaired the asset to zero due to the expiration of the leases.

### ***Kansas***

Through proceeds received from the issuance of various promissory notes, on February 1, 2012 Petro purchased various interests in oil and gas leases, wells, records, data and related personal property located along the Mississippi Lime play in the state of Kansas from Metro Energy Corporation ("Metro"), a Louisiana company and other interrelated entities, which were in financial distress. These assets were purchased by Petro from Metro through a court approved order as Metro was undergoing Chapter 11 Bankruptcy proceedings as a Debtor-In-Possession of these various oil and gas assets. Petro purchased these assets for cash considerations of \$2,000,000 as well as a 25% non-managing membership interest in the Company. Subsequent to the Metro purchase the Company engaged Energy Source Advisors to renew a number of the leases acquired in the Metro purchase and to lease additional acreage. As a result of the asset purchase from Metro and the completion of the additional lease renewals and additional acreage purchases, the Company obtained a total of 115,000 gross/85,000 net acres of leases, having unproven reserves at the time of acquisition, in the Mississippi Lime play in Southeast Kansas for total cost of \$12.2 million. The Company also acquired over 60 square miles of proprietary 3D seismic data over prospective Mississippi Lime acreage in the same area. During the year ended April 30, 2014, the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013 and for the period February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012, the Company capitalized approximately \$327,002, \$98,764 and \$12,191,965 of Kansas oil and gas expenditures. As of April 30, 2014, management engaged an independent third party to test the Kansas assets for impairment. Throughout the year, management was not aware of any impairment indicators, but during the annual impairment test, the third party specialist concluded that the Kansas assets were impaired by \$4,638,973, principally due to comparable acreage values.

### ***Other***

Other property consists primarily of four used steam generators and related equipment that will be assigned to future projects. As of April 30, 2014, management concluded that impairment was not necessary as all other assets were carried at salvage value.

## 6. Asset Retirement Obligations:

The total future asset retirement obligation was estimated based on the Company's ownership interest in all wells and facilities, the estimated legal obligations required to retire, dismantle, abandon and reclaim the wells and facilities and the estimated timing of such payments. The Company estimated the present value of its asset retirement obligations at both April 30, 2014 and 2013, based on a future undiscounted liability of \$1,087,292. These costs are expected to be incurred within one to 24 years. A credit-adjusted risk-free discount rate of 10% and an inflation rate of 2% were used to calculate the present value.

Changes to the asset retirement obligation were as follows:

	<u>April 30, 2014</u>	<u>April 30, 2013</u>
Balance, beginning of period	\$ 763,036	\$ 143,035
Additions	-	615,784
Disposition	-	-
Revisions	-	-
Accretion	54,974	4,217
	<u>818,010</u>	<u>763,036</u>
Less: Current portion for cash flows expected to be incurred within one year	<u>(481,658)</u>	<u>(213,302)</u>
Long-term portion, end of period	<u>\$ 336,352</u>	<u>\$ 549,734</u>

Expected timing of asset retirement obligations:

<u>Year Ending April 30,</u>	
2015	481,658
2016	81,181
2017	212,000
2018	-
2019	-
Thereafter	312,453
	<u>1,087,292</u>
Effect of discount	<u>(269,282)</u>
Total	<u>\$ 818,010</u>

As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, the Company has \$0 and \$25,000, respectively, of reclamation deposits with authorities to secure certain abandonment liabilities.

## 7. Notes payable:

For the period from February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) through December 31, 2012, the Company received proceeds from the issuance of promissory notes of \$19,999,983. Advances under each bear interest, accruing with respect to each advance from the date of such advance, at the rate of 10% per annum, compounding annually, with a maturity of February 10, 2015. The Notes were entered into contemporaneously with and were secured by certain Mortgage, Assignment of Production, Security Agreement and Financing Statement dated of even date herewith (for up to an aggregate Principal Amount of up to \$20,000,000).

The Company recorded interest expense of \$619,178 and \$1,277,572 for the four month period ended April 30, 2013 and for the period February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) through December 31, 2012, respectively. On April 23, 2013, as part of the share exchange transaction, the notes and accrued interest aggregating \$21,896,733 were converted into 590,993,455 shares of the Company's common stock.

## 8. Related Party Transactions:

### *Employment Agreements*

- a) Upon completion of the Share Exchange, the Company entered into an Employment Agreement with Scot Cohen, the Company's Executive Chairman (the "Employment Agreement"). On November 20, 2013, the Company amended the Employment Agreement with Scot Cohen. Based on this amendment, the Company granted Mr. Cohen 41,666,667 fair value options to purchase an equal amount of shares of common stock of the Company. The options have a term of 10 years and an exercise price of \$0.059. These options will vest in five equal installments, with the first 20% vesting immediately upon grant (as consideration for the service period from April 29, 2013 to November 20, 2013), and the remaining options vesting in four equal installments on the anniversary of the grant date.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$2,006,227. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$576,034, respectively, to general and administrative expenses.

- b) On November 22, 2013, Petro River Oil Corp. entered into an employment agreement with Ruben Alba. Under the terms of this agreement, Mr. Alba will receive an annual base salary of \$120,000. Mr. Alba was also granted 12,500,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Company's 2012 Equity Compensation Plan (the "Plan"), to vest in five equal installments. The first installment vested immediately upon granting. The final four installments will vest on the anniversaries of the initial grant date, subject to the following conditions: (i) the adoption by the Company of an amendment to the Plan, approved by a vote of the shareholders of the Company, to increase the number of shares permitted to be granted under the Plan, and to put in place a stock option grant limitation in accordance with §162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and (ii) Mr. Alba's continued employment with the Company.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$575,839. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$165,337 to general and administrative expenses.

- c) On November 22, 2013, the Company entered into an employment agreement with Gary Williky on November 20, 2013. Under the terms of this agreement, Mr. Williky will receive an annual base salary of \$120,000. Mr. Williky was also granted 6,250,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Plan, to vest in five equal installments. The first installment vested immediately upon granting. The final four installments will vest on the anniversaries of the initial grant date, subject to the following conditions: (i) the adoption by the Company of an amendment to the Plan, approved by a vote of the shareholders of the Company, to increase the number of shares permitted to be granted under the Plan, and to put in place a stock option grant limitation in accordance with §162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and (ii) Mr. Williky's continued employment with the Company.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$287,919. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$82,668 to general and administrative expenses.

- d) On November 25, 2013, the Company entered into an employment agreement with Luis Vierma. Under the terms of this agreement, Mr. Vierma will receive an annual base salary of \$84,000. Mr. Vierma was also granted 6,250,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Plan, to vest in five equal installments. The first installment vested immediately upon granting. The final four installments will vest on the anniversaries of the initial grant date, subject to the following conditions: (i) the adoption by the Company of an amendment to the Plan, approved by a vote of the shareholders of the Company, to increase the number of shares permitted to be granted under the Plan, and to put in place a stock option grant limitation in accordance with §162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and (ii) Mr. Vierma's continued employment with the Company.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$287,919. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$82,668 to general and administrative expenses.

- e) On November 26, 2013, the Company entered into a consulting agreement with Brio Financial Group ("Brio") and its Managing Member, David Briones, was appointed the Chief Financial Officer of the Company on August 15, 2013. Under the terms of this agreement, Brio will receive a monthly consulting fee of \$7,500, as well as a grant of 750,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Plan. The options will vest in six installments. The first 125,000 options vested immediately upon execution of the consulting agreement, and the remaining 5 installments will vest monthly, on the 26th of each subsequent month.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 65%; and a discount rate of 0.12%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$8,764. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$7,742 to general and administrative expenses.

- f) On November 27, 2013, the Company entered into an employment agreement with Daniel Smith. Under the terms of this agreement, Mr. Smith will receive an annual base salary of \$120,000. Mr. Smith was also granted 12,500,000 stock options of the Company pursuant to the Company's Plan to vest in five equal installments. The first installment vested immediately upon granting. The final four installments will vest on the anniversaries of the initial grant date, subject to the following conditions: (i) the adoption by the Company of an amendment to the Plan, approved by a vote of the shareholders of the Company, to increase the number of shares permitted to be granted under the Plan, and to put in place a stock option grant limitation in accordance with §162(m) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended; and (ii) Mr. Smith's continued employment with the Company.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the award was \$575,839. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$165,337 to general and administrative expenses.

#### ***Board of Director Grants***

On November 20, 2013, the Company's Board of Directors authorized the grants of 3,389,832 stock options to four members of the Board. The option grants have an exercise price equal to the closing price of shares of the Company's common stock as of the date of the grant. All options granted vested immediately upon grant and have a maturity of ten years.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grants as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the awards were \$147,442. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company expensed \$147,442 to general and administrative expenses.

### ***Separation and Release Agreement***

In addition, in June and July of 2013, the Company signed a series of agreements with Jeffrey Freedman, former Chief Executive Officer, in relation to his departure from the Company. Pursuant to these agreements, the Company has provided to Mr. Freedman the sum of \$12,000 and issued 465,116 options to purchase common stock with a \$56,047 aggregate fair value as of the July 24, 2013 option grant date. These options will expire on July 23, 2016 and have an exercise price of \$0.215. The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.215; exercise price of \$0.215; expected volatility of 88%; and a discount rate of 0.64%. The options were immediately vested and the Company recorded the \$56,047 to general and administrative expense on the date of grant.

### ***Demand Promissory Notes***

During the period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of Operations) to December 31, 2012, the Company entered into a series of demand promissory notes totaling \$825,000 with Petro. The demand promissory notes bear interest at 8% per annum and are due two business days after receipt of demand for payment. In an event of default, the notes bear a default rate of 15% per annum. The notes are unsecured.

During the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013, the Company entered into a series of demand promissory notes totaling \$256,950 with Petro. The demand promissory notes bore interest at 8% per annum and were due two business days after receipt of demand for payment. In an event of default, the notes bear a default rate of 15% per annum. The notes were unsecured.

As a result of the share exchange agreement, on April 23, 2013, the balance of the aforementioned demand promissory notes and accrued interest totaling \$1,163,530 was converted to equity, reclassified from liability to equity and the excess was recorded as a dividend distribution.

### **9. Stockholders' Equity:**

As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, the Company had 5,000,000 shares of blank check preferred stock authorized with a par value of \$0.00001 per share. None of the blank check preferred shares were issued or outstanding.

As of April 30, 2014 and 2013, the Company had 29,500 shares of preferred B shares authorized with a par value of \$0.00001 per share. No preferred B shares were issued or outstanding as of April 30, 2014 and 2013.

### **Securities Purchase Agreement:**

On December 12, 2013, the Company signed a Securities Purchase Agreement (the "Agreement") with Petrol Lakes Holding Limited ("Petrol Lakes"). Pursuant to the terms of the Agreement, Petrol Lakes agreed to purchase: (i) 81,250,000 shares of the Company's common stock, at a per share price of \$0.08, for an aggregate purchase price of \$6,500,000; and (ii) a warrant to purchase shares of the Company's common stock. Under the terms of the warrant, Petrol Lakes may purchase up to 40,625,000 shares of the Company's common stock at a per share price of \$0.1356, for an aggregate purchase price of \$6,500,000. The warrant, which is exercisable in whole or in part, will expire on December 12, 2015. The Company paid issuances costs of \$650,000.

### **10. Stock Options:**

As of April 30, 2014, the Company has one equity incentive plan. The number of shares reserved for issuance in aggregate under the plan is limited to 120 million shares. The exercise price, term and vesting schedule of stock options granted are set by the board of directors at the time of grant. Stock options granted under the plan may be exercised on a cashless basis, if such exercise is approved by the Board. In a cashless exercise, the employee receives a lesser amount of shares in lieu of paying the exercise price based on the quoted market price of the shares on the trading day immediately preceding the exercise date.

As of April 30, 2013, the Company had 290,000 options outstanding and exercisable with a weighted average exercise price of \$0.50. The options expire during April to June 2014. As of April 30, 2014, the Company had a total of 88,038,281 options outstanding and 24,204,947 exercisable with a weighted average exercise price of \$0.06.

The following table summarizes information about the options outstanding and exercisable at April 30, 2014:

	<u>Options</u>	<u>Weighted Average Exercise Prices</u>
Outstanding, February 2, 2012	-	-
Granted	-	-
Expired	-	-
Forfeited	-	-
Outstanding, December 31, 2012	-	-
Granted/Acquired in reverse merger	290,000	0.50
Granted	-	-
Expired	-	-
Forfeited	-	-
<b>Outstanding – April 30, 2013</b>	<u>290,000</u>	<u>\$ 0.50</u>
<b>Exercisable – April 30, 2013</b>	<u>290,000</u>	<u>\$ 0.50</u>
Granted	87,938,281	\$ 0.06
Exercised	-	-
Forfeited/Cancelled	(190,000)	\$ 0.50
<b>Outstanding April 30, 2014</b>	<u>88,038,281</u>	<u>\$ 0.06</u>
<b>Exercisable – April 30, 2014</b>	<u>24,204,947</u>	<u>\$ 0.06</u>
<b>Outstanding - Aggregate Intrinsic Value</b>		<u>\$ 437,365</u>
<b>Exercisable - Aggregate Intrinsic Value</b>		<u>\$ 118,199</u>

The following table summarizes information about the options outstanding and exercisable at April 30, 2014:

Exercise Price	Options Outstanding			Options Exercisable		
	Options	Weighted Avg. Life Remaining	Weighted Avg. Exercise Price	Options	Weighted Avg. Exercise Price	
\$ 0.50	100,000	0.00 years	\$ 0.50	100,000	\$ 0.50	
\$ 0.22	465,116	0.01 years	\$ 0.22	465,116	\$ 0.22	
\$ 0.06	87,473,165	9.43 years	\$ 0.06	23,639,831	\$ 0.06	
Aggregate Intrinsic Value			<u>\$ 437,365</u>			<u>\$ 118,199</u>

For the year ended April 30, 2014, the four months ended April 30, 2013 and the period February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012, the Company recorded stock-based compensation of \$1,283,275, \$607, and \$0, respectively, which is included in general and administrative expenses.

Intrinsic value is the Company's current per share fair value as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board on the balance sheet date (\$0.064) less the current exercise price.

Other than the issuances disclosed in Note 8 and below, during the year ended April 30, 2014, the Company had no other stock based compensation expense. During the four month period ended April 30, 2013, the Company recorded stock-based compensation expenses of \$607. During the period February 2, 2012 to December 31, 2012, the Company did not record stock based compensation.

As of April 30, 2014, the Company has \$2,662,721 in unrecognized stock based compensation expense which will be amortized over a weighted average exercise period of 3.57 years.

**Advisor Grants:**

On November 20, 2013, the Board of Directors authorized the grant of fair value options to two consultants. The option grants have an exercise price equal to the closing price of shares of the Company's common stock as of the date of the grant. One consultant was granted 2,333,333 fair value options and the second consultant was granted 1,833,333 fair value options. All options granted vested immediately upon grant and mature in ten years.

The Company computed the economic benefit of the grant as of the date of grant utilizing a Black-Scholes option pricing model. The Company utilized the following assumptions: common share value based on the fair value of the Company's common stock as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, \$0.059; Exercise price of \$0.059; expected volatility of 96%; and a discount rate of 2.80%. The grant date fair value of the awards was \$218,491. For the year ended April 30, 2014, the four month period ended April 30, 2013 and the period February 2, 2012 (commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012, the Company expensed \$218,491, \$0, and \$0 respectively, to general and administrative expenses.

**Warrants:**

	Number of Warrants	Weighted Average Exercise Price	Weighted Average Life Remaining
Outstanding and exercisable, February 2, 2012	-	-	-
Granted	-	-	-
<b>Outstanding and exercisable – December 31, 2012</b>	-	-	-
Acquired in reverse merger	230,000	0.50	0.65
<b>Outstanding and exercisable – April 30, 2013</b>	<b>230,000</b>	<b>0.50</b>	<b>0.65</b>
Forfeited	(230,000)	-	-
Granted	40,625,000	0.14	1.62
<b>Outstanding and exercisable – April 30, 2014</b>	<b>40,625,000</b>	<b>0.14</b>	<b>1.62</b>

The aggregate intrinsic value of the warrants was \$0. Intrinsic value is the Company's current per share fair value as quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board on the balance sheet date (\$0.064) less the current exercise price.

**11. Segment Information:**

Petro presently has one reportable business segment, that being oil and gas exploration and exploitation. Petro's corporate and administrative operations are conducted in both Canada and the United States, while predominantly all of the oil and gas properties and operations are located in the United States.

	Year ended April 30, 2014		
	Canada	USA	Consolidated
Revenue	\$ -	\$ 372,179	\$ 372,179
Expenses	-	(9,325,708)	(9,325,708)
Net loss	-	(8,953,529)	(8,953,529)
Oil and gas assets	100,000	8,841,592	8,941,592
Property and equipment	-	930	930

	Four Month Period ended April 30, 2013		
	Canada	USA	Consolidated
Revenue	\$ -	\$ 184,676	\$ 184,676
Expenses	-	(2,504,410)	(2,504,410)
Net loss	-	(2,319,734)	(2,319,734)
Oil and gas assets	100,000	13,323,089	13,423,089
Property and equipment	-	4,538	4,538
Oil and gas asset additions (reverse merger)	100,000	993,991	1,093,991
Oil and gas asset impairment	-	-	-
Property and equipment additions (reverse merger)	-	4,538	4,538

**Period February 2, 2012  
(Commencement of Operations)  
to December 31, 2012**

	<b>Canada</b>	<b>USA</b>	<b>Consolidated</b>
Revenue	\$ -	\$ 16,901	\$ 16,901
Expenses	-	(1,932,518)	(1,932,518)
Net loss	-	(1,915,617)	(1,915,617)
Oil and gas assets	-	12,254,519	12,254,519
Property and equipment	-	-	-
Oil and gas additions	-	12,254,519	12,254,519
Oil and gas impairment	-	-	-
Property and equipment additions	-	-	-

**12. Income Taxes:**

As of April 30, 2014 and April 30, 2013, the Company had approximately \$6.4 million and \$3.5 million of net operating loss carryovers ("NOLs") which expire beginning in 2027. The U.S. net operating loss carryovers are subject to limitation under Internal Revenue Code Section 382 should there be a greater than 50% ownership change as determined under the regulations. Management has determined that a change in ownership occurred as a result of the share exchange on April 23, 2013. Therefore, the net operating loss carryovers are subject to an annual limitation of approximately \$156,000.

The income tax expense (benefit) consists of the following:

	For the year ended April 30, 2014	For the period January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013	For the period February 2, 2012 (Commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012
Foreign			
Current	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -
Deferred	-	(562,868)	-
U.S. Federal			
Current	-	-	-
Deferred	(3,373,053)	22,735,263	-
U.S. State & Local			
Current	-	-	-
Deferred	(458,338)	2,758,372	-
Change in valuation allowance	3,831,391	(24,930,767)	-
Income tax provision (benefit)	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

In assessing the realization of deferred tax assets, management considers whether it is more likely than not that some portion or all of the deferred tax assets will be realized. The ultimate realization of deferred tax assets is dependent upon the generation of future taxable income during the periods in which those temporary differences become deductible. Management considers the scheduled reversal of deferred tax liabilities, projected future taxable income and tax planning strategies in making this assessment. Based on this assessment management has established a full valuation allowance against all of the deferred tax assets for every period, since it is more likely than not that all of the deferred tax assets will not be realized.

The Company's deferred tax assets (liabilities) consisted of the effects of temporary differences attributable to the following:

	April 30, 2014	April 30, 2013	December 31, 2012
U.S. Net operating loss carryovers	\$ 2,473,922	\$ 1,203,780	\$ -
Depreciation	16,897,095	15,017,106	-
Accretion of asset retirement obligation	315,915	214,638	-
Stock-based compensation	579,982	-	-
Total deferred tax assets	\$ 20,266,915	\$ 16,435,524	-
Valuation allowance	(20,266,915)	(16,435,524)	-
Deferred tax asset, net of valuation allowance	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>	<u>\$ -</u>

The expected tax expense (benefit) based on the statutory rate is reconciled with actual tax expense benefit as follows:

	For the year ended April 30, 2014	For the period from January 1, 2013 to April 30, 2013	For the period from February 2, 2012 (Commencement of operations) to December 31, 2012
U.S. federal statutory rate	(34.00)%	(34.00)%	(34.00)%
State income tax, net of federal benefit	(4.62)%	(4.13)%	-%
Impairment of excess purchase price	-%	17.97%	-%
Non-taxable flow through loss from Petro	-%	12.75%	34.00%
Section 382 NOL impairment	-%	1098.96%	-%
Foreign deferred tax write down	-%	(24.26)%	-%
Other permanent differences	(4.17)%	7.44	-%
Change in valuation allowance	42.79%	(1074.73)%	-%
Income tax provision (benefit)	<u>0.00%</u>	<u>0.00%</u>	<u>0.00%</u>

### 13. Contingency and Contractual Obligations:

As a result of the Share Exchange, the Company inherited the following contingencies:

(a) In January 2010, the Company experienced a flood in its Calgary office premises as a result of a broken water pipe. There was significant damage to the premises rendering them unusable until remediation was completed by the landlord. Pursuant to the lease contract, the Company asserted that rent should be abated during the remediation process and accordingly, the Company ceased making rent payments in December 2009. During the remediation process, the Company engaged an independent environmental testing company to test for air quality and for the existence of other potentially hazardous conditions. The testing revealed the existence of potentially hazardous mold and the consultant provided specific written instructions for the effective remediation of the premises. During the remediation process, the landlord did not follow the consultant's instructions to correct the potentially hazardous mold situation, and subsequently in June 2010, gave notice and declared the premises to be ready for occupancy. The Company re-engaged the consultant to re-test the premises and the testing results again revealed the presence of potentially hazardous mold. The Company determined that the premises were not fit for re-occupancy, considered the landlord to be in default of the lease, and considered the lease to be terminated.

The landlord disputed the Company's position and gave notice that it considers the Company to be in default of the lease for failure to re-occupy the premises.

The landlord has previously claimed that the Company owed monthly rent for the premises from January 2010 to June 30, 2010 in the amount of \$247,348 and as a result of the alleged default, pursuant to the terms of the lease, the Company owed three months accelerated rent in the amount of \$114,837. The landlord previously also asserted that the Company would be liable for an amount up to the full lease obligation of \$1,596,329 which otherwise would have been due as follows:

Year Ended April 30		
2011	\$	473,055
2012		473,055
2013		473,055
2014		177,164
Total	\$	<u>1,596,329</u>

On January 30, 2014, the landlord filed a Statement of Claim with the Court of Queen's Bench of Alberta against the Company in the approximate amount of \$759,000. On March 26, 2014, the Company filed a Statement of Defence in which it challenged the allegations made by the landlord. The Company claims that the two year limitation period as defined under the "Limitations Act", as established in Alberta, Canada, has been exceeded and therefore the Statement of Claim filed by the landlord should be barred in its entirety.

(b) On March 15, 2013, a former employee of the Company (VP-Operations) commenced an action in the Court of Queen's Bench of Alberta claiming wrongful termination and seeking severance in an amount approximating US\$185,000. On May 3, 2013, the Company reached a settlement with the former employee and entered into a formal settlement and release of claims agreement. As consideration for full settlement and mutual release, the Company issued the former employee 200,000 shares of common stock of the Company, valued at \$0.40 per share or \$80,000, and paid \$50,000 during the year ended April 30, 2014, respectively.

(c) In September 2013, the Company was notified by the Railroad Commission of Texas (the "Commission") that the Company was not in compliance with regulations promulgated by the Commission. The Company was therefore deemed to have lost its corporate privileges within the State of Texas and as a result, all wells within the state would have to be plugged. The Commission therefore collected \$25,000 from the Company, which was originally deposited with the Commission, to cover a portion of the estimated costs of \$88,960 to plug the wells. In addition to the above, the Commission also reserved its right to separately seek any remedies against the Company resulting from its noncompliance.

(d) The Company is from time to time involved in legal proceedings in the ordinary course of business. It does not believe that any of these claims and proceedings against it is likely to have, individually or in the aggregate, a material adverse effect on its financial condition or results of operations.

#### **14. Subsequent Events:**

##### **Investment in Bandolier Energy LLC. and Acquisition of Spyglass Energy Group, LLC / Pearsonia West Concession**

On May 30, 2014, Petro River Oil Corp. (the "Company"), entered into a Subscription Agreement, pursuant to which the Company purchased a 50% interest in Bandolier Energy LLC ("Bandolier"). The Company has the right to appoint a majority of the board of managers of Bandolier. Thereafter, Bandolier, pursuant to that certain Securities Purchase Agreement, effective January 1, 2014, acquired from Nadel and Gussman, LLC, Charles W. Wickstrom, and Shane E. Matson, in an all-cash transaction, all of the issued and outstanding equity of Spyglass Energy Group, LLC ("Spyglass"), the owner of a 100% working interest in the Pearsonia West Concession ("Pearsonia") in Osage County, Oklahoma. Pearsonia comprises the largest contiguous oil and gas acreage position in Northeastern Oklahoma, approximately 106,000 acres, with substantial original oil in place, stacked reservoirs, as well as exploratory and development opportunities that can be accessed through both horizontal and vertical drilling. Significant infrastructure is already in place including 32 square miles of 3D seismic, 3 phase power, a dedicated sub-station as well as multiple oil producing horizontal wells.

The Company has filed a request for confidential treatment for certain terms of the Subscription Agreement and the Securities Purchase Agreement, including the purchase price and capital contribution paid by the Company. Subsequent to the transactions described above, Bandolier assigned a 51% interest in Spyglass to PO1, LLC ("PO1"), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, pursuant to an Assignment and Assumption Agreement, dated as of May 30, 2014. Pursuant to the terms of the Assignment, PO1 has 180 days to pay Bandolier an amount equal to the aggregate initial capital contributions made by all Series A members of Bandolier pursuant to the Subscription Agreement, otherwise the assignment of the 51% interest to PO1 shall be cancelled. The foregoing description of the transactions and agreements does not purport to be complete and is qualified in its entirety by the Subscription Agreement, the Securities Purchase Agreement and the Assignment, which have been filed, as attachments to the Form 8-K filed by the Company with the Securities and Exchange Commission on June 5, 2014.

The Company's Executive Chairman, Scot Cohen, is a manager of, and investor in, Pearsonia West Investment Group, LLC ("PWIG"), a special purpose vehicle formed for the purpose of investing in Bandolier with the Company. The Board of Directors of the Company was informed of Mr. Cohen's participation in these transactions and pre-approved of them in accordance with the Company's Code of Ethics. In connection with PWIG's investment in Bandolier, the Company and PWIG entered into an agreement, dated May 30, 2014, granting the members of PWIG an option, exercisable at any time prior to May 30, 2017, to exchange their pro rata share of the Bandolier interests for shares of the Company's common stock, at a price of \$0.08 per share of common stock, subject to adjustment (the "Option"). The Option, if fully exercised, would result in the Company issuing 55,000,000 shares of its common stock to the members of PWIG.

**Memorandum of Understanding with Sichuan Renzhi Oilfield Technology Services Ltd.**

On July 3, 2014, Petro River Oil Corp. (the “Company”) entered into a memorandum of understanding with Sichuan Renzhi Oilfield Technology Services Co. Ltd., a corporation incorporated under the laws of the People’s Republic of China and traded on the Shenzhen Stock Exchange (“Renzhi”), which is memorialized in a Framework Agreement for Acquisition and Cooperation (the “MOU”). The MOU sets forth a framework for (i) the sale by the Company, and the purchase by Renzhi, of PO1, LLC (“PO1”), a wholly-owned subsidiary of the Company, which owns 51% of the issued and outstanding membership interests of Spyglass Energy Group, LLC (“Spyglass”), the owner of oil and gas leases, leaseholds, lands, and options and concessions thereto, located in Osage County, Oklahoma; and (ii) the joint development by the Company and Renzhi of oil and gas technology and properties (collectively, the “Transactions”), with an aggregate investment by Renzhi to the Company in the amount of \$87,500,000.

The Company and Renzhi intend to enter into one or more definitive agreements to effectuate the terms of the MOU. The execution of definitive documentation with respect to the Transactions remains subject to additional negotiations between the parties, further due diligence, Renzhi obtaining financing in order to comply with its obligations, and applicable Chinese regulatory approvals. There can be no assurance that definitive documentation for the Transactions will be entered into by the parties or that the Transactions will close.

**SIGNATURES**

In accordance with Section 13 or 15(d) of the Exchange Act, the registrant caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

**PETRO RIVER OIL CORP.**

By: /s/ Scot Cohen

Name: Scot Cohen

Title: Executive Chairman

By: /s/ David Briones

Name: David Briones

Title: Chief Financial Officer

Date: August 13, 2014

**POWER OF ATTORNEY**

The registrant and each person whose signature appears below hereby appoint Scot Cohen as attorney-in-fact with full power of substitution, severally, to execute in the name and on behalf of the registrant and each such person, individually and in each capacity stated below, one or more amendments to the annual report which amendments may make such changes in the report as the attorney-in-fact acting deems appropriate and to file any such amendment to the report with the US Securities and Exchange Commission.

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, this report has been signed below by the following persons on behalf of the registrant and in the capacities and on the dates indicated.

<u>Signature</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Date</u>
<u>/s/ Scot Cohen</u> Scot Cohen	Executive Chairman and Director (Principal Executive Officer)	August 13, 2014
<u>/s/ David Briones</u> David Briones	Chief Financial Officer (Principal Accounting Officer)	August 13, 2014
<u>/s/ Glenn C. Pollack</u> Glenn C. Pollack	Director	August 13, 2014
<u>/s/ John Wallace</u> John Wallace	Director	August 13, 2014
<u>/s/ Fred Zeidman</u> Fred Zeidman	Director	August 13, 2014

## Index to Exhibits

Exhibit Number	Exhibit Description
3.1 (1)	Certificate of Incorporation of the Company
3.2 (1)	Bylaws of the Company
10.1(2)	Securities Purchase Agreement of Petro River Oil LLC, dated as of April 23, 2013, by and among Petro River Oil Corp., Petro River Oil, LLC, the holders of outstanding secured promissory notes of Petro River Oil, LLC, the members of Petro River Oil, LLC and Mega Partners 1 LLC
10.2*	Amended and Restated 2012 Equity Compensation Plan
14.1(3)	Code of Business Conduct and Ethics
21.1(2)	Subsidiaries
24.1*	Power of Attorney (included on the Signature page of this Annual Report on Form 10-K)
31.1*	Certification of Chief Executive Officer Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
31.2*	Certification of Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to Section 302 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
32.1*	Certification of Chief Executive Officer and Chief Financial Officer Pursuant to 18 U.S.C. Section 1350, as Adopted Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002
101.INS*	XBRL Instance Document
101.SCH*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Schema Document
101.CAL*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Calculation Linkbase Document
101.DEF*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Definition Linkbase Document
101.LAB*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Labels Linkbase Document
101.PRE*	XBRL Taxonomy Extension Presentation Linkbase Document

\* Attached hereto.

- (1) Incorporated by reference to our Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on September 13, 2012.
- (2) Incorporated by reference to our Form 8-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on April 29, 2013.
- (3) Incorporated by reference to our Form 10-K filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission on August 28, 2013.

**PETRO RIVER OIL CORP.**  
**AMENDED AND RESTATED**  
**2012 EQUITY COMPENSATION PLAN**

**1. PURPOSES.**

(A) **ELIGIBLE STOCK AWARD RECIPIENTS** The persons eligible to receive Stock Awards are the Employees, Directors and Consultants of the Company and its Affiliates.

(B) **AVAILABLE STOCK AWARDS** The purpose of the Plan is to provide a means by which eligible recipients of Stock Awards may be given an opportunity to benefit from increases in value of the Common Stock through the granting of the following Stock Awards: (i) Stock Options, (iii) Common Stock, (iv) Restricted Stock, and (v) Restricted Stock Units.

(C) **GENERAL PURPOSE** The Company, by means of the Plan, seeks to retain the services of the group of persons eligible to receive Stock Awards, to secure and retain the services of new members of this group and to provide incentives for such persons to exert maximum efforts for the success of the Company and its Affiliates.

**2. DEFINITIONS.**

(a) **"Affiliate"** means any parent corporation or subsidiary corporation of the Company, whether now or hereafter existing, as those terms are defined in Sections 424(e) and (f), respectively, of the Code.

(b) **"Board"** means the Board of Directors of the Company.

(c) **"Cause"** for termination of Continuous Service means there exists (i) a reasonable and good faith finding by the Company as determined by it in its sole discretion, of a material and repeated failure of the Participant to provide his or her full business time and attention to his reasonably assigned duties for the Company (including, without limitation, unexcused failure to report for work) for reasons other than the Participant's death or disability, or the Participant's gross negligence or willful misconduct; which failure or deficiency remains uncured (if curable) for a period of thirty (30) days following written notice by the Company to the Participant which specifies the reasons for the potential cause determination; (ii) the material breach by the Participant of any of the provisions of his or her employment agreement (if the Participant has an employment agreement with the Company) for reasons other than the Participant's death or disability, which breach remains uncured (if curable) for a period of thirty (30) days following written notice by the Company to the Participant which specifies the reasons for the potential cause determination; (iii) the conviction of the Participant of, or the entry of a pleading of guilty or nolo contendere by the Participant to, any felony; (iv) the Participant having committed any theft, embezzlement, fraud or other intentional act of dishonesty involving the business of the Company; or (v) any adjudication in any civil suit, or written acknowledgment by the Participant in any agreement or stipulation of the commission of any theft, embezzlement, fraud or other intentional act of dishonesty involving any other person.

(d) **"Change of Control"** an event or series of events resulting in the current holders of more than 50% of the Common Stock of the Company (inclusive of their affiliates) thereafter holding less than 50% of the Common Stock of the Company.

(e) **"Code"** means the Internal Revenue Code of 1986, as amended. Reference to a specific section of the Code or regulation thereunder shall include such section or regulation, any valid regulation promulgated under such section, and any comparable provision of any future legislation or regulation amending, supplementing or superseding such section or regulation.

(f) **"Committee"** means a committee of one or more members of the Board appointed by the Board in accordance with subsection 3(c).

(g) “*Common Stock*” means the common stock of the Company.

(h) “*Company*” means Petro River Oil Corp, a Delaware corporation.

(i) “*Consultant*” means any person, including an advisor, (i) engaged by the Company or an Affiliate to render consulting or advisory services and who is compensated for such services or (ii) who is a member of the Board of Directors of an Affiliate. However, the term “*Consultant*” shall not include either Directors who are not compensated by the Company for their services as Directors or Directors who are merely paid a director’s fee by the Company for their services as Directors.

(j) “*Continuous Service*” means that the Participant’s service with the Company or an Affiliate, whether as an Employee, Director or Consultant, is not interrupted or terminated. The Participant’s Continuous Service shall not be deemed to have terminated merely because of a change in the capacity in which the Participant renders service to the Company or an Affiliate as an Employee, Consultant or Director or a change in the entity for which the Participant renders such service, provided that there is no interruption or termination of the Participant’s Continuous Service. For example, a change in status from an Employee of the Company to a Consultant of an Affiliate or a Director will not constitute an interruption of Continuous Service. The Board or the chief executive officer of the Company, in that party’s sole discretion, may determine whether Continuous Service shall be considered interrupted in the case of any leave of absence approved by that party, including sick leave, military leave or any other personal leave.

(k) “*Covered Employee*” means the chief executive officer and the four (4) other highest compensated officers of the Company for whom total compensation is required to be reported to stockholders under the Exchange Act, as determined for purposes of Section 162(m) of the Code.

(l) “*Director*” means a member of the Board of Directors of the Company.

(m) “*Disability*” means the permanent and total disability of a person within the meaning of Section 22(e)(3) of the Code.

(n) “*Employee*” means any person employed by the Company or an Affiliate. Mere service as a Director or payment of a director’s fee by the Company or an Affiliate shall not be sufficient to constitute “employment” by the Company or an Affiliate.

(o) “*Exchange Act*” means the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, as amended.

(p) “*Fair Market Value*” means, as of any date, the value of the Common Stock determined as follows:

(i) If the Common Stock is listed on any established stock exchange or traded on a NASDAQ Market or quoted on the Over the Counter Bulletin Board, the Fair Market Value of a share of Common Stock shall be the closing sales price (last trade) for such stock as quoted on such exchange or market (or the exchange or market with the greatest volume of trading in the Common Stock) on the last market trading day prior to the day of determination, as reported in *The Wall Street Journal* or such other source as the Board deems reliable.

(ii) In the absence of such markets for the Common Stock, the Fair Market Value shall be determined in good faith by the Board.

(q) “*Good Reason*” means, without the written consent of the Participant, (i) a material reduction by the Company in the Participant’s duties or position, (ii) a reduction of the Participant’s compensation or benefits as set forth in the Company’s benefits policies as of the date hereof or in Participant’s employment agreement, (iii) the relocation of the Participant’s principal place of employment by more than 50 miles, or (iv) any material breach by the Company of the Participant’s employment agreement, if any. Prior to a termination of Continuous Service with good reason, the Company shall have thirty (30) days to cure the deficiency or deficiencies related to the potential good reason determination.

**(r) Not used.**

**(s) “Non-Employee Director”** means a Director who either (i) is not a current Employee or Officer of the Company or its parent or a subsidiary, does not receive compensation (directly or indirectly) from the Company or its parent or a subsidiary for services rendered as a consultant or in any capacity other than as a Director (except for an amount as to which disclosure would not be required under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K promulgated pursuant to the Securities Act (“Regulation S-K”)), does not possess an interest in any other transaction as to which disclosure would be required under Item 404(a) of Regulation S-K and is not engaged in a business relationship as to which disclosure would be required under Item 404(b) of Regulation S-K; or (ii) is otherwise considered a “non-employee director” for purposes of Rule 16b-3.

**(t) “Non-statutory Stock Option”** means an Option not intended to qualify as an Incentive Stock Option.

**(u) “Officer”** means a person who is an officer of the Company within the meaning of Section 16 of the Exchange Act and the rules and regulations promulgated thereunder.

**(v) “Option”** means a Stock Option granted pursuant to the Plan.

**(w) “Option Agreement”** means a written agreement between the Company and an Optionholder evidencing the terms and conditions of an individual Option grant. Each Option Agreement shall be subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan.

**(x) “Optionholder”** means a person to whom an Option is granted pursuant to the Plan or, if applicable, such other person who holds an outstanding Option.

**(y) “Outside Director”** means a Director who either (i) is not a current employee of the Company or an “affiliated corporation” (within the meaning of Treasury Regulations promulgated under Section 162(m) of the Code), is not a former employee of the Company or an “affiliated corporation” receiving compensation for prior services (other than benefits under a tax-qualified pension plan), was not an officer of the Company or an “affiliated corporation” at any time and is not currently receiving direct or indirect remuneration from the Company or an “affiliated corporation” for services in any capacity other than as a Director or (ii) is otherwise considered an “outside director” for purposes of Section 162(m) of the Code.

**(z) “Participant”** means a person to whom a Stock Award is granted pursuant to the Plan or, if applicable, such other person who holds an outstanding Stock Award.

**(aa) “Plan”** means this Petro River Oil Corp. 2012 Equity Compensation Plan.

**(bb) “Restricted Stock”** means shares of Common Stock issued pursuant to a Restricted Stock award under Section 7(b) of the Plan.

**(cc) “Restricted Stock Unit”** means a bookkeeping entry representing an amount equal to the Fair Market Value of one share of Common Stock, granted pursuant to Section 7(c). Each Restricted Stock Unit represents an unfunded and unsecured obligation of the Company.

**(dd) “Rule 16b-3”** means Rule 16b-3 promulgated under the Exchange Act or any successor to Rule 16b-3, as in effect from time to time.

**(ee) “Securities Act”** means the Securities Act of 1933, as amended.

**(ff) “Stock Award”** means any equity grant under the Plan, including any grant of an Option, a Restricted Stock Unit, Common Stock, or Restricted Stock.

(gg) “*Stock Award Agreement*” means a written agreement between the Company and a holder of a Stock Award evidencing the terms and conditions of an individual Stock Award grant. Each Stock Award Agreement shall be subject to the terms and conditions of the Plan. In the case of a Stock Award consisting of Restricted Stock, it shall mean a written agreement between the Company and a Participant evidencing the terms and restrictions applying to an individual grant of Restricted Stock, and in the case of a Stock Award consisting of Restricted Stock Units, it shall mean a written agreement between the Company and a Participant evidencing the terms and restrictions applying to an individual grant of Restricted Stock Units.

(hh) “*Stock Award Transfer Program*” means any program instituted by the Board which would permit Participants the opportunity to transfer any outstanding Stock Awards to a financial institution or other person or entity approved by the Board.

(ii) “*Ten Percent Stockholder*” means a person who owns (or is deemed to own pursuant to Section 424(d) of the Code) stock possessing more than ten percent (10%) of the total combined voting power of all classes of stock of the Company or of any of its Affiliates.

### 3. ADMINISTRATION.

(A) **ADMINISTRATION BY BOARD.** The Board shall administer the Plan unless and until the Board delegates administration to a Committee, as provided in subsection 3(c).

(b) **Powers of Board.** The Board shall have the power, subject to, and within the limitations of, the express provisions of the Plan:

(i) To determine the Fair Market Value;

(ii) To select the persons to whom Stock Awards may be granted hereunder;

(iii) To determine the number of shares of Common Stock to be covered by each Stock Award granted hereunder;

(iv) To approve forms of Stock Award Agreements for use under the Plan;

(v) To determine the terms and conditions, not inconsistent with the terms of the Plan, of any Stock Award granted hereunder. Such terms and conditions include, but are not limited to, the exercise price, the time or times when Stock Awards may be exercised (which may be based on performance criteria), any vesting acceleration or waiver of forfeiture restrictions, and any restriction or limitation regarding any Stock Award or the shares of Common Stock relating thereto, based in each case on such factors as the Board will determine;

(vi) To determine the terms and conditions of any, and to institute any, Stock Award Transfer Program in accordance with Section 10(b);

(vii) To construe and interpret the terms of the Plan and Stock Awards granted pursuant to the Plan;

(viii) To prescribe, amend and rescind rules and regulations relating to the Plan, including rules and regulations relating to sub-plans established for the purpose of satisfying applicable foreign laws;

(ix) To modify or amend each Stock Award (subject to Section 13(e) of the Plan), including but not limited to the discretionary authority to extend the post-termination exercisability period of Stock Awards and to extend the maximum term of an Option (subject to Section 6(a) regarding Incentive Stock Options);

(x) To allow Participants to satisfy withholding tax obligations in such manner as prescribed in Section 11(f);

(xi) To authorize any person to execute on behalf of the Company any instrument required to effect the grant of a Stock Award previously granted by the Board;

(xii) To allow a Participant to defer the receipt of the payment of cash or the delivery of shares of Common Stock that would otherwise be due to such Participant under a Stock Award pursuant to such procedures as the Board may determine; and

(xiii) To make all other determinations deemed necessary or advisable for administering the Plan.

**(c) Delegation to Committee.**

(i) **GENERAL** The Board may delegate administration of the Plan to a Committee or Committees of one (1) or more members of the Board, and the term "Committee" shall apply to any person or persons to whom such authority has been delegated. If administration is delegated to a Committee, the Committee shall have, in connection with the administration of the Plan, the powers theretofore possessed by the Board, including the power to delegate to a subcommittee any of the administrative powers the Committee is authorized to exercise (and references in this Plan to the Board shall thereafter be to the Committee or subcommittee), subject, however, to such resolutions, not inconsistent with the provisions of the Plan, as may be adopted from time to time by the Board. The Board may abolish the Committee at any time and revert to the Board the administration of the Plan.

(ii) **COMMITTEE COMPOSITION.** In the discretion of the Board, a Committee may consist solely of two or more Outside Directors, in accordance with Section 162(m) of the Code, and/or solely of two or more Non-Employee Directors, in accordance with Rule 16b-3. Within the scope of such authority, the Board or the Committee may (1) delegate to a committee of one or more members of the Board who are not Outside Directors the authority to grant Stock Awards to eligible persons who are either (a) not then Covered Employees and are not expected to be Covered Employees at the time of recognition of income resulting from such Stock Award or (b) not persons with respect to whom the Company wishes to comply with Section 162(m) of the Code and/or (2) delegate to a committee of one or more members of the Board who are not Non-Employee Directors the authority to grant Stock Awards to eligible persons who are not then subject to Section 16 of the Exchange Act.

(d) **EFFECT OF BOARD'S AND/OR COMMITTEE'S DECISION** All determinations, interpretations and constructions made by the Board or the Committee in good faith shall not be subject to review by any person and shall be final, binding and conclusive on all persons.

**4. SHARES SUBJECT TO THE PLAN.**

(A) **SHARE RESERVE** Subject to the provisions of Section 12 relating to adjustments upon changes in Common Stock, the total number of shares of Common Stock that may be issued pursuant to Stock Awards shall not exceed in the aggregate of 120,000,000 shares (the "**Reserved Shares**").

(B) **REVERSION OF SHARES TO THE SHARE RESERVE** Subject to the provisions of 4(a) above, if any Stock Award shall for any reason expire or otherwise terminate, in whole or in part, without having been exercised in full, the shares of Common Stock not acquired under such Stock Award shall revert to and again become available for issuance under the Plan.

(C) **SOURCE OF SHARES** The shares of Common Stock subject to the Plan may be unissued shares or reacquired shares, bought on the market or otherwise.

**5. ELIGIBILITY.**

(a) **Not used.**

(b) **Not used**

(c) **SECTION 162(M) LIMITATION** Subject to the provisions of Section 12 relating to adjustments upon changes in the shares of Common Stock, no Employee shall be eligible to be granted Options covering more than nine million (9,000,000) shares of Common Stock during any calendar year.

**(d) Consultants.**

(i) A Consultant shall not be eligible for the grant of a Stock Award if, at the time of grant, either the offer or the sale of the Company's securities to such Consultant is not exempt under Rule 701 of the Securities Act ("Rule 701") because of the nature of the services that the Consultant is providing to the Company, or because the Consultant is not a natural person, or as otherwise provided by Rule 701, unless the Company determines that such grant need not comply with the requirements of Rule 701 and will satisfy another exemption under the Securities Act as well as comply with the securities laws of all other relevant jurisdictions.

(ii) A Consultant shall not be eligible for the grant of a Stock Award if, at the time of grant, a Form S-8 Registration Statement under the Securities Act ("Form S-8") is not available to register either the offer or the sale of the Company's securities to such Consultant because of the nature of the services that the Consultant is providing to the Company, or because the Consultant is not a natural person, or as otherwise provided by the rules governing the use of Form S-8, unless the Company determines both (i) that such grant (A) shall be registered in another manner under the Securities Act (e.g., on a Form S-3 Registration Statement) or (B) does not require registration under the Securities Act in order to comply with the requirements of the Securities Act, if applicable, and (ii) that such grant complies with the securities laws of all other relevant jurisdictions.

(iii) Rule 701 and Form S-8 generally are available to consultants and advisors only if (i) they are natural persons; (ii) they provide bona fide services to the issuer, its parents, its majority-owned subsidiaries or majority-owned subsidiaries of the issuer's parent; and (iii) the services are not in connection with the offer or sale of securities in a capital-raising transaction, and do not directly or indirectly promote or maintain a market for the issuer's securities.

**6. OPTION PROVISIONS.**

Each Option shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as the Board shall deem appropriate. All Options shall be non-statutory Stock Options at the time of grant. The provisions of separate Options need not be identical, but each Option shall include (through incorporation of provisions hereof by reference in the Option or otherwise) the substance of each of the following provisions:

**(a) Term.** No Stock Option shall be exercisable after the expiration of ten (10) years from the date it was granted.

**(b) Not used.**

**(c) EXERCISE PRICE OF A STOCK OPTION** The exercise price of each Stock Option shall be not less than one hundred percent (100%) of the Fair Market Value of the Common Stock subject to the Option on the date the Option is granted. Notwithstanding the foregoing, a Stock Option may be granted with an exercise price lower than that set forth in the preceding sentence if such Option is granted pursuant to an assumption or substitution for another option in a manner satisfying the provisions of Section 424(a) of the Code.

**(d) Consideration.** The purchase price of Common Stock acquired pursuant to an Option shall be paid, to the extent permitted by applicable statutes and regulations, either (i) in cash at the time the Option is exercised or (ii) at the discretion of the Board at the time of the grant of the Option (or subsequently in the case of a Non-statutory Stock Option) (1) by delivery to the Company of other Common Stock, (2) according to a deferred payment or other similar arrangement with the Optionholder or (3) in any other form of legal consideration that may be acceptable to the Board (which includes a cashless exercise election). Unless otherwise specifically provided in the Option, the purchase price of Common Stock acquired pursuant to an Option that is paid by delivery to the Company of other Common Stock acquired, directly or indirectly from the Company, shall be paid only by shares of the Common Stock of the Company that have been held for more than six (6) months (or such longer or shorter period of time required to avoid a charge to earnings for financial accounting purposes). At any time that the Company is incorporated in Delaware, payment of the Common Stock's "par value," as defined in the Delaware General Corporation Law, shall not be made by deferred payment.

In the case of any deferred payment arrangement, interest shall be compounded at least annually and shall be charged at the market rate of interest necessary to avoid a charge to earnings for financial accounting purposes.

In the case of a cashless exercise, the following formula will be used:

If elected by the Holder, the Holder shall be entitled to receive a certificate for the number of Option Shares equal to the quotient obtained by dividing [(A-B) (X)] by (A), where:

(A) = the closing stock price (trade) on the Trading Day immediately preceding the date of such election;

(B) = the Exercise Price of the Option, as adjusted; and

(X) = the number of Option Shares issuable upon exercise of the Option in accordance with the terms of the Option by means of a cash exercise rather than a cashless exercise.

Notwithstanding anything herein to the contrary, on the Termination Date, unexercised vested Options shall be automatically exercised via cashless exercise pursuant to this Section 6(d).

**(E) VESTING** (i) The total number of shares of Common Stock subject to an Option may, but need not, vest and therefore become exercisable in periodic installments that may, but need not, be equal. The Option may be subject to such other terms and conditions on the time or times when it may be exercised (which may be based on performance or other criteria) as the Board may deem appropriate. The vesting provisions of individual Options may vary. The provisions of this subsection 6(e) are subject to any Option provisions governing the minimum number of shares of Common Stock as to which an Option may be exercised.

**(F) TERMINATION OF CONTINUOUS SERVICE** In the event an Optionholder's Continuous Service terminates, the Optionholder (or the Optionholder's heirs, executor or successors) may exercise his or her Option (to the extent that the Optionholder was entitled to exercise such Option as of the date of termination) but only within such period of time ending on the earlier of (i) the date six (6) months following the termination of the Optionholder's Continuous Service (or such longer period specified in the Option Agreement), or (ii) the expiration of the term of the Option as set forth in the Option Agreement. If, after termination, the Optionholder does not exercise his or her Option within the time specified in the Option Agreement, the Option shall be exercised on a cashless basis per section 6(d) or terminate.

**(G) EXTENSION OF TERMINATION DATE** An Optionholder's Option Agreement may also provide that if the exercise of the Option following the termination of the Optionholder's Employment and/or Continuous Service would be prohibited at any time solely because the issuance of shares of Common Stock would violate the registration requirements under the Securities Act, then the Option shall terminate on the earlier of (i) the expiration of the term of the Option set forth in Section 6(a) or (ii) the expiration of a period of six (6) months after the termination of the Optionholder's Continuous Service during which the exercise of the Option would not be in violation of such registration requirements.

**(h) Not used.**

**(i) Not used.**

**(J) EARLY EXERCISE** The Option may, but need not, include a provision whereby the Optionholder may elect at any time before the Optionholder's Continuous Service terminates to exercise the Option as to any part or all of the shares of Common Stock subject to the Option prior to the full vesting of the Option.

## 7. PROVISIONS OF STOCK AWARDS OTHER THAN OPTIONS.

**(a) Stock Awards.** Each Stock Award Agreement with regard to Common Stock shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as the Board shall deem appropriate. The terms and conditions of Stock Award Agreements for Common Stock may change from time to time, and the terms and conditions of separate Stock Award Agreements for Common Stock need not be identical, but each Stock Award Agreement shall include (through incorporation of provisions hereof by reference in the agreement or otherwise) the substance of each of the following provisions:

**(i) CONSIDERATION.** A Stock Award of Common Stock may be awarded in consideration for past services actually rendered to the Company or an Affiliate for its benefit.

**(ii) Vesting.** Stock Awards other than Options shall vest in accordance with the schedule determined by the Board, which shall be set forth in the applicable Stock Award Agreement.

**(iii) TERMINATION OF PARTICIPANT'S CONTINUOUS SERVICE.** In the event a Participant's Continuous Service terminates, the Company may reacquire any or all of the shares of Common Stock held by the Participant which have not vested as of the date of termination under the terms of the Stock Award Agreement.

**(b) RESTRICTED STOCK AWARDS.** Each Stock Award Agreement with regard to Restricted Stock shall be in such form and shall contain such terms and conditions as the Board shall deem appropriate. The terms and conditions of the Stock Award Agreement may change from time to time, and the terms and conditions of separate Stock Award Agreement for Restricted Stock need not be identical, but each Stock Award Agreement regarding Restricted Stock shall include (through incorporation of provisions hereof by reference in the agreement or otherwise) the substance of each of the following provisions:

**(i) TRANSFERABILITY.** Except as provided in this Section 7(b) or Section 10, shares of Restricted Stock may not be sold, transferred, pledged, assigned, or otherwise alienated or hypothecated until such time as the shares of Restricted Stock have vested.

**(ii) OTHER RESTRICTIONS.** The Board, in its sole discretion, may impose such other restrictions on shares of Restricted Stock as it may deem advisable or appropriate.

**(iii) REMOVAL OF RESTRICTIONS.** Except as otherwise provided in this Section 7(b), shares of Restricted Stock covered by each Restricted Stock grant made under the Plan will be released from escrow as soon as practicable after the date the shares of Restricted Stock vest or at such other time as the Board may determine. The Board, in its discretion, may accelerate the time at which any restrictions will lapse or be removed.

**(iv) VOTING RIGHTS.** During the period in which the shares of Restricted Stock are not transferable, Participants holding shares of Restricted Stock granted hereunder may exercise full voting rights with respect to those Shares, unless the Board determines otherwise.

**(v) DIVIDENDS AND OTHER DISTRIBUTIONS.** During the period in which the shares of Restricted Stock are not transferable, Participants holding shares of Restricted Stock will be entitled to receive all dividends and other distributions paid with respect to such shares, unless the Board provides otherwise. If any such dividends or distributions are paid in shares, the shares will be subject to the same restrictions on transferability and forfeitability as the shares of Restricted Stock with respect to which they were paid.

**(vi) RETURN OF RESTRICTED STOCK TO THE COMPANY.** On the date set forth in the Stock Award Agreement, the Restricted Stock for which restrictions have not lapsed will revert to the Company and again will become available for grant under the Plan.

**(c) RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS.** Restricted Stock Units may be granted at any time and from time to time as determined by the Board. After the Board determines that it will grant Restricted Stock Units under the Plan, it shall advise the Participant in a Stock Award Agreement for Restricted Stock Units of the terms, conditions, and restrictions related to the grant, including the number of Restricted Stock Units.

**(i) VESTING CRITERIA AND OTHER TERMS**The Board shall set vesting criteria in its discretion, which, depending on the extent to which the criteria are met, will determine the number of Restricted Stock Units that will be paid out to the Participant. The Board may set vesting criteria based upon the achievement of Company-wide, business unit, or individual goals (including, but not limited to, continued employment), or any other basis determined by the Board in its discretion.

**(ii) SETTLEMENT OF RESTRICTED STOCK UNITS** Restricted Stock Units shall be settled within 10 business days after vesting, either by delivery to the Participant of shares of Common Stock (with appropriate Securities Act restrictive legends) or, at the election of the Company, by delivery to the Participant of a cash payment based upon the Fair Market Value of the Company's Common Stock on the date of vesting for each Restricted Stock Unit vested.

#### **8. COVENANTS OF THE COMPANY.**

**(A) AVAILABILITY OF SHARES** During the terms of the Stock Awards, the Company shall keep available at all times the number of shares of Common Stock required to satisfy such Stock Awards.

**(B) SECURITIES LAW COMPLIANCE** The Company shall seek to obtain from each regulatory commission or agency having jurisdiction over the Plan such authority as may be required to grant Stock Awards and to issue and sell shares of Common Stock upon exercise of the Stock Awards; provided, however, that this undertaking shall not require the Company to register under the Securities Act the Plan, any Stock Award or any Common Stock issued or issuable pursuant to any such Stock Award. If, after reasonable efforts, the Company is unable to obtain from any such regulatory commission or agency the authority which counsel for the Company deems necessary for the lawful issuance and sale of Common Stock under the Plan, the Company shall be relieved from any liability for failure to issue and sell Common Stock upon exercise of such Stock Awards unless and until such authority is obtained.

#### **9. USE OF PROCEEDS FROM STOCK**

Proceeds from the sale of Common Stock pursuant to Stock Awards shall constitute general funds of the Company.

#### **10. TRANSFERABILITY OF AWARDS.**

**(A) GENERAL** Unless determined otherwise by the Board, a Stock Award may not be sold, pledged, assigned, hypothecated, transferred, or disposed of in any manner other than by will, by the laws of descent or distribution, to a revocable trust, or as permitted by Rule 701, and may be exercised, during the lifetime of the Participant, only by the Participant. If the Board makes a Stock Award transferable, such Stock Award will contain such additional terms and conditions as the Board deems appropriate.

**(B) STOCK AWARD TRANSFER PROGRAM** Notwithstanding any contrary provision of the Plan, the Board shall have all discretion and authority to determine and implement the terms and conditions of any Stock Award Transfer Program instituted pursuant to this Section 10(b) and shall have the authority to amend the terms of any Stock Award participating, or otherwise eligible to participate in, the Stock Award Transfer Program, including (but not limited to) the authority to (i) amend (including to extend) the expiration date, post-termination exercise period and/or forfeiture conditions of any such Stock Award, (ii) amend or remove any provisions of the Stock Award relating to the Stock Award holder's continued service to the Company, (iii) amend the permissible payment methods with respect to the exercise or purchase of any such Stock Award, (iv) amend the adjustments to be implemented in the event of changes in the capitalization and other similar events with respect to such Stock Award, and (v) make such other changes to the terms of such Stock Award as the Board deems necessary or appropriate in its sole discretion.

## 11. MISCELLANEOUS.

**(a) Acceleration of Exercisability and Vesting.** The Board shall have the power to accelerate the time at which a Stock Award may first be exercised or the time during which a Stock Award or any part thereof will vest in accordance with the Plan, notwithstanding the provisions in the Stock Award stating the time at which it may first be exercised or the time during which it will vest.

**(b) STOCKHOLDER RIGHTS** Except to the limited extent provided in Section 7(b), no Participant (nor any beneficiary) shall have any of the rights or privileges of a stockholder of the Company with respect to any shares of Common Stock issuable pursuant to a Stock Award (or exercise thereof), unless and until certificates representing such shares shall have been issued, recorded on the records of the Company or its transfer agents or registrars, and delivered to the Participant (or beneficiary).

**(c) NO EMPLOYMENT OR OTHER SERVICE RIGHTS** Nothing in the Plan or any instrument executed or Stock Award granted pursuant thereto shall confer upon any Participant any right to continue to serve the Company or an Affiliate in the capacity in effect at the time the Stock Award was granted or shall affect the right of the Company or an Affiliate to terminate (i) the employment of an Employee with or without notice and with or without cause, (ii) the service of a Consultant pursuant to the terms of such Consultant's agreement with the Company or an Affiliate or (iii) the service of a Director pursuant to the Bylaws of the Company or an Affiliate, and any applicable provisions of the corporate law of the state in which the Company or the Affiliate is incorporated, as the case may be.

**(d) Not used.**

**(e) INVESTMENT ASSURANCES** The Company may require a Participant, as a condition of exercising or acquiring Common Stock under any Stock Award, (i) to give written assurances satisfactory to the Company as to the Participant's knowledge and experience in financial and business matters and/or to employ a purchaser representative reasonably satisfactory to the Company who is knowledgeable and experienced in financial and business matters and that he or she is capable of evaluating, alone or together with the purchaser representative, the merits and risks of exercising the Stock Award; and (ii) to give written assurances satisfactory to the Company stating that the Participant is acquiring Common Stock subject to the Stock Award for the Participant's own account and not with any present intention of selling or otherwise distributing the Common Stock. The foregoing requirements, and any assurances given pursuant to such requirements, shall be inoperative if (1) the issuance of the shares of Common Stock upon the exercise or acquisition of Common Stock under the Stock Award has been registered under a then currently effective registration statement under the Securities Act or (2) as to any particular requirement, a determination is made by counsel for the Company that such requirement need not be met in the circumstances under the then applicable securities laws. The Company may, upon advice of counsel to the Company, place legends on stock certificates issued under the Plan as such counsel deems necessary or appropriate in order to comply with applicable securities laws, including, but not limited to, legends restricting the transfer of the Common Stock.

**(f) Withholding Obligations.** To the extent provided by the terms of a Stock Award Agreement, the Participant may satisfy any federal, state or local tax withholding obligation relating to the exercise or acquisition of Common Stock under a Stock Award by any of the following means (in addition to the Company's right to withhold from any compensation paid to the Participant by the Company) or by a combination of such means: (i) tendering a cash payment; (ii) authorizing the Company to withhold shares of Common Stock from the shares of Common Stock otherwise issuable to the Participant as a result of the exercise or acquisition of Common Stock under the Stock Award, provided, however, that no shares of Common Stock are withheld with a value exceeding the minimum amount of tax required to be withheld by law; or (iii) delivering to the Company owned and unencumbered shares of Common Stock.

**(g) INFORMATION OBLIGATION** To the extent required by applicable state law, the Company shall deliver financial statements to Participants at least annually. This subsection 10(g) shall not apply to key Employees whose duties in connection with the Company assure them access to equivalent information.

## 12. ADJUSTMENTS UPON CHANGES IN STOCK.

**(a) Capitalization Adjustments.** If any change is made in the Common Stock subject to the Plan, or subject to any Stock Award, without the receipt of consideration by the Company (through merger, consolidation, reorganization, recapitalization, reincorporation, stock dividend, dividend in property other than cash, stock split, liquidating dividend, combination of shares, exchange of shares, change in corporate structure or other transaction not involving the receipt of consideration by the Company), the Plan will be appropriately adjusted in the class(es) and maximum number of securities subject to the Plan pursuant to Section 4(a) and the maximum number of securities subject to award to any person pursuant to Section 5(c), and the outstanding Stock Awards will be appropriately adjusted in the class(es) and number of securities and price per share of Common Stock subject to such outstanding Stock Awards. The Board shall make such adjustments, and its determination shall be final, binding and conclusive. (The conversion of any convertible securities of the Company shall not be treated as a transaction “without receipt of consideration” by the Company.)

**(b) DISSOLUTION OR LIQUIDATION** In the event of a dissolution or liquidation of the Company, then all outstanding Stock Awards shall terminate immediately prior to such event.

**(c) ASSET SALE, MERGER, CONSOLIDATION OR REVERSE MERGER** In the event of (i) a sale, lease or other disposition of all or substantially all of the assets of the Company, (ii) a merger or consolidation in which the Company is not the surviving corporation or (iii) a reverse merger in which the Company is the surviving corporation but the shares of Common Stock outstanding immediately preceding the merger are converted by virtue of the merger into other property, whether in the form of securities, cash or otherwise (individually, a “Corporate Transaction”), then any surviving corporation or acquiring corporation shall assume any Stock Awards outstanding under the Plan or shall substitute similar stock awards (including an award to acquire the same consideration paid to the stockholders in the Corporate Transaction) for those outstanding under the Plan. In the event any surviving corporation or acquiring corporation refuses to assume such Stock Awards or to substitute similar stock awards for those outstanding under the Plan, then with respect to Stock Awards held by Participants whose Continuous Service has not terminated, the vesting of such Stock Awards (and, if applicable, the time during which such Stock Awards may be exercised) shall be accelerated in full, and the Stock Awards shall terminate if not exercised (if applicable) at or prior to the Corporate Transaction. With respect to any other Stock Awards outstanding under the Plan, such Stock Awards shall terminate if not exercised (if applicable) prior to the Corporate Transaction. Notwithstanding the foregoing provisions of this paragraph, Participants shall be allowed not less than six (6) months to exercise Stock Awards so vested.

## 13. AMENDMENT OF THE PLAN AND STOCK AWARDS.

**(A) AMENDMENT OF PLAN.** The Board at any time, and from time to time, may amend the Plan. However, except as provided in Section 12 relating to adjustments upon changes in Common Stock, no amendment shall be effective unless approved by the stockholders of the Company to the extent stockholder approval is necessary to satisfy the requirements of Section 422 of the Code, Rule 16b-3 or any NASDAQ or securities exchange listing requirements.

**(B) STOCKHOLDER APPROVAL** The Board may, in its sole discretion, submit any other amendment to the Plan for stockholder approval, including, but not limited to, amendments to the Plan intended to satisfy the requirements of Section 162(m) of the Code and the regulations thereunder regarding the exclusion of performance-based compensation from the limit on corporate deductibility of compensation paid to certain executive officers.

**(C) CONTEMPLATED AMENDMENTS.** It is expressly contemplated that the Board may amend the Plan in any respect the Board deems necessary or advisable to provide eligible Employees with the maximum benefits provided or to be provided under the provisions of the Code and the regulations promulgated thereunder relating to Incentive Stock Options and/or to bring the Plan and/or Incentive Stock Options granted under it into compliance therewith.

**(D) NO IMPAIRMENT OF RIGHTS.** Rights under any Stock Award granted before amendment of the Plan shall not be impaired by any amendment of the Plan unless (i) the Company requests the consent of the Participant and (ii) the Participant consents in writing.

**(E) AMENDMENT OF STOCK AWARDS.** The Board at any time, and from time to time, may amend the terms of any one or more Stock Awards; provided, however, that the rights under any Stock Award shall not be impaired by any such amendment unless (i) the Company requests the consent of the Participant and (ii) the Participant consents in writing.

**14. TERMINATION OR SUSPENSION OF THE PLAN.**

(A) **PLAN TERM.** The Board may suspend or terminate the Plan at any time. Unless sooner terminated, the Plan shall terminate on the day before the tenth (10th) anniversary of the date the Plan is adopted by the Board. No Stock Awards may be granted under the Plan while the Plan is suspended or after it is terminated.

(B) **NO IMPAIRMENT OF RIGHTS.** Suspension or termination of the Plan shall not impair rights and obligations under any Stock Award granted while the Plan is in effect except with the written consent of the Participant.

**15. EFFECTIVE DATE OF PLAN.**

The Plan shall become effective as of the date of approval by the Board.

**16. CHOICE OF LAW.**

The law of the State of Delaware shall govern all questions concerning the construction, validity and interpretation of this Plan, without regard to such state's conflict of laws rules.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Company, by its duly authorized officer, has executed this Plan on the date indicated below.

PETRO RIVER OIL CORP.

Dated: August 10, 2012

*/s/ Jeffrey Freedman*

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Name: Jeffrey Freedman

Title: Chief Executive Officer

**Adopted By the Board of Directors on August 10, 2012**

**Approved By Stockholders: September 7, 2012**

**Amended By the Board of Directors on February 12, 2014**

**Approved By Stockholders: April 16, 2014**

**Termination Date: August 10, 2022**

**CERTIFICATION BY PRINCIPAL EXECUTIVE OFFICER**

I, Scot Cohen, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this Annual Report on Form 10-K of Petro River Oil Corp.;

2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;

3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;

4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and we have:

(a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;

(b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

(c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and

(d) disclosed in this annual report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):

(a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

(b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 13, 2014

By: /s/ Scot Cohen  
Scot Cohen  
Executive Chairman

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**CERTIFICATION BY PRINCIPAL FINANCIAL OFFICER**

I, David Briones, certify that:

1. I have reviewed this Annual Report on Form 10-K of Petro River Oil Corp.;

2. Based on my knowledge, this report does not contain any untrue statement of a material fact or omit to state a material fact necessary to make the statements made, in light of the circumstances under which such statements were made, not misleading with respect to the period covered by this report;

3. Based on my knowledge, the financial statements, and other financial information included in this report, fairly present in all material respects the financial condition, results of operations and cash flows of the registrant as of, and for, the periods presented in this report;

4. The registrant's other certifying officers and I are responsible for establishing and maintaining disclosure controls and procedures (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(e) and 15d-15(e)) and internal control over financial reporting (as defined in Exchange Act Rules 13a-15(f) and 15d-15(f)) for the registrant and we have:

(a) designed such disclosure controls and procedures, or caused such disclosure controls and procedures to be designed under our supervision, to ensure that material information relating to the registrant, including its consolidated subsidiaries, is made known to us by others within those entities, particularly during the period in which this report is being prepared;

(b) designed such internal control over financial reporting, or caused such internal control over financial reporting to be designed under our supervision, to provide reasonable assurance regarding the reliability of financial reporting and the preparation of financial statements for external purposes in accordance with generally accepted accounting principles;

(c) evaluated the effectiveness of the registrant's disclosure controls and procedures and presented in this report our conclusions about the effectiveness of the disclosure controls and procedures, as of the end of the period covered by this report based on such evaluation; and

(d) disclosed in this annual report any change in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting that occurred during the registrant's most recent fiscal quarter that has materially affected, or is reasonably likely to materially affect, the registrant's internal control over financial reporting; and

5. The registrant's other certifying officers and I have disclosed, based on our most recent evaluation of internal control over financial reporting, to the registrant's auditors and the audit committee of the registrant's board of directors (or persons performing the equivalent functions):

(a) all significant deficiencies and material weaknesses in the design or operation of internal control over financial reporting which are reasonably likely to adversely affect the registrant's ability to record, process, summarize and report financial information; and

(b) any fraud, whether or not material, that involves management or other employees who have a significant role in the registrant's internal control over financial reporting.

Date: August 13, 2014

By: /s/ David Briones

David Briones  
Chief Financial Officer

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**CERTIFICATION**  
**Pursuant to Section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002**  
**(Subsections (a) and (b) of Section 1350, Chapter 63 of Title 18, United States Code)**

Pursuant to section 906 of the Sarbanes-Oxley Act of 2002 (subsections (a) and (b) of section 1350, chapter 63 of title 18, United States Code), each of the undersigned officers of Petro River Oil Corp., a Delaware corporation (the "Company"), does hereby certify, to such officer's knowledge, that:

The Annual Report on Form 10-K for the fiscal year ended April 30, 2014 (the "Form 10-K") of the Company fully complies with the requirements of section 13(a) or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, and information contained in the Form 10-K fairly presents, in all material respects, the financial condition and results of operations of the Company at the dates and for the periods indicated.

Date: August 13, 2014

*/s/ Scot Cohen*

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Scot Cohen  
Executive Chairman

*/s/ David Briones*

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David Briones  
Chief Financial Officer

A signed original of this written statement required by Section 906 has been provided to the Company and will be retained by the Company and furnished to the Securities and Exchange Commission or its staff upon request.

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