



**C. K. COOPER & COMPANY ANNOUNCED TODAY THAT IT HAS CLOSED ON AN \$86.3 MILLION PUBLIC OFFERING FOR NORTHERN OIL AND GAS, INC.**

Irvine, Calif. – April. 20, 2010 – C. K. Cooper & Company, an independent, full-service investment bank, headquartered in Irvine, Calif. announced today that it has closed on a \$86.3 million public offering for Northern Oil and Gas, Inc., wherein it served as a co-managing underwriter.

“We have been long time supporters of Northern Oil and Gas and continue to find their unique story very intriguing,” said Adam B. Connors, Director of Corporate Finance. “We are confident that this additional equity capital will expedite the Northern model and help compound shareholder value. We were excited to be a part of this very successful transaction and wish to thank management and compliment the lead manager for their execution.”

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