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PEYTO ENERGY TRUST ANNOUNCES
2005 UNITED STATES TAX INFORMATION

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CALGARY, ALBERTA - Peyto Energy Trust ("Peyto") is pleased to announce the 2005 tax information for unitholders in the United States.

For the 2005 taxation year, Peyto Energy Trust has made the election to be treated as a corporation for United States ("U.S.") income tax purposes. As a corporation, we believe we will also be considered a Qualified Foreign Corporation ("QFC") for U.S. income tax purposes. The taxable portion of the trust distributions for U.S. income tax purposes is determined based upon Peyto's current and accumulated earnings & profits ("E&P") as determined in accordance with U.S. income tax law.

With respect to cash distributions paid in 2005 to United States unitholders, 75.34% percent would be reported as qualified dividends and 24.66% percent would be reported as non-taxable return of capital.

We encourage you to actively visit Peyto's website located at www.peyto.com. For further information, please contact Donald T. Gray, President and Chief Executive Officer of Peyto at (403) 261-6077.

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