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Company Announcements Office Australian Securities Exchange Limited 20 Bridge Street SYDNEY NSW 2000 By Electronic Lodgement

Dear Sir/Madam

## **Kayelekera Uranium Project Fatality**

It is with deep regret that Paladin Energy Limited (Paladin) advises that the Company has been informed by medical authorities in South Africa of the death of one of three sub-contractors injured in a flash fire at the Kayelekera Uranium Project construction site in Malawi on Monday, 16<sup>th</sup> March.

On Tuesday, 17<sup>th</sup> March, the injured men were transferred by air ambulance to the Milpark Hospital Specialised Burns Unit in Johannesburg, one of South Africa's leading centres for burns treatment. The injured man, who was aged 20, died yesterday (Thursday 19 March).

The two other men, aged 29 and 36, remain in a stable condition and are receiving extensive medical care. Paladin has arranged for immediate family members to travel to Johannesburg to attend the injured men and will provide support for the bereaved family. Relevant Malawi government departments have been informed of the contractor's death.

Yours faithfully Paladin Energy Ltd

JOHN BORSHOFF
Managing Director/CEO