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ADIRA ENERGY ANNOUNCES CHANGE IN FINANCIAL YEAR-END AND FILING OF INTERIM FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND MD&A

TORONTO, August 30, 2011 /CNW/ - ADIRA ENERGY LTD. (TSXV: ADL) (OTCBB: ADENF) (FRANKFURT: AORLB8). Adira Energy Ltd. ("Adira" or the "Company") announced today that it has changed its financial year-end from September 30 to December 31 in order to better coordinate reporting with its Israel operations.

Adira also announced that it has filed audited financial statements and accompanying Management Discussion and Analysis for the year ended December 31, 2010 and its interim financial statements and accompanying Management Discussion and Analysis with Canadian securities regulatory authorities for the six month period ended June 30, 2011.

A Notice of Change in Year-End and interim financial statements are available for review under the Corporation's SEDAR profile at <u>www.sedar.com</u>.

About Adira Energy Ltd.

Adira Energy Ltd. is an energy company which explores for oil and gas on and offshore Israel. It has four petroleum exploration licenses; the Eitan, Gabriella, Yitzhak and Samuel Licenses. These licenses are located respectively on-shore Israel in the Hula Valley, 10 km offshore between Netanya and Ashdod, 17 km offshore between Hadera and Netanya and adjacent to the coast between Ashkelon and Bat-Yam.

The Company has filed an independent technical report related to the Eitan license on www.sedar.com. The report, prepared by Petrotech Engineering Ltd., is titled "Evaluation of the Interest of Adira Energy Corp. in License No.356 EITAN in the Hula Valley, Israel", dated June 1, 2009 and is supplemented by a letter dated October 8, 2009.

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