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GULF ISLAND FABRICATION, INC. DECLARES DIVIDEND ON COMMON STOCK

Houston, TX — Gulf Island Fabrication, Inc. (NASDAQ: GIFI), announced today that its board of directors declared a dividend of \$0.01 per share on Gulf Island Fabrication, Inc.'s approximately 14.6 million shares of common stock outstanding.

The dividend was declared during a regular meeting of the board held on October 27, 2016 and is payable November 23, 2016, to shareholders of record on November 10, 2016.

Gulf Island Fabrication, Inc., based in Houston, Texas, with fabrication facilities located in Houma, Jennings and Lake Charles, Louisiana, and San Patricio County, Texas, is a leading fabricator of offshore drilling and production platforms, hull and/or deck sections of floating production platforms and other specialized structures used in the development and production of offshore oil and gas reserves along with providing fabrication solutions to alternative energy providers. These structures include jackets and deck sections of fixed production platforms; hull and/or deck sections of floating production platforms (such as tension leg platforms "TLPs", "SPARs", "FPSOs", and "MinDOCs"), piles, wellhead protectors, subsea templates and various production, compressor and utility modules, offshore living quarters, foundations for offshore wind projects, towboats, liftboats, tanks and barges. The Company also provides offshore interconnect pipe hook-up, inshore marine construction, manufacture and repair of pressure vessels, heavy lifts such as ship integration and TLP module integration, onshore and offshore scaffolding, piping insulation services, and steel warehousing and sales.