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# Fisker Establishes Process for Qualifying US-Based Fisker Ocean Reservation Holders to Retain Eligibility for \$7,500 Federal Tax Credit Should Inflation Reduction Act Become Law

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- Fisker enables qualifying US Fisker Ocean reservation holders, in advance of the bill's passage, to enter a binding contract with the automaker to purchase a vehicle, retaining potential eligibility for the current federal tax credit of up to \$7,500.
- The current draft of the Inflation Reduction Act includes a North American production requirement that renders Fisker Ocean buyers ineligible for the proposed tax credit.
- US-based Fisker Ocean reservation holders are not required to commit additional funds to convert deposits to non-refundable orders.
- The Fisker Ocean will commence production on November 17, 2022, and ramp up to 40,000-50,000 units in 2023.

LOS ANGELES--(BUSINESS WIRE)-- Fisker Inc. (NYSE: FSR) ("Fisker") – passionate creator of the world's most sustainable electric vehicles and advanced mobility solutions – unveils a process for qualifying US-based reservation holders of the Fisker Ocean all-electric SUV to retain access to the existing federal tax credit. The current \$7,500 tax credit would be unavailable should Congress pass the Inflation Reduction Act of 2022 and President Biden signs the legislation into law.

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the United States are eligible for a \$7,500 tax credit under existing law, but the proposed legislation, as currently drafted, would make the Fisker Ocean,

built in Austria, ineligible. In addition, the bill also imposes a household income cap of \$150,000 for single filers and \$300,000 for couples filing jointly. However, Fisker believes customers may be able to retain eligibility for the full \$7,500 credit for the 2022 tax year by converting their existing reservations into a binding sales contract for the purchase of the Fisker Ocean.1

"Many of our reservation holders are looking forward to the tax advantages of purchasing an electric vehicle. Therefore, we acted swiftly and proactively to protect access to existing tax credits for qualifying Fisker Ocean buyers should the Inflation Reduction Act become law. We are focused on a clean future for all, so we are building the Fisker Ocean in one of the world's most sustainable production facilities, Magna's carbon-neutral factory in Graz, Austria," Chairman and CEO Henrik Fisker said.

"Our reservation holders have given us a vote of confidence, with 5,000 recently committing \$5,000\* each to secure a Fisker Ocean One launch edition vehicle," he added. "So, we need to do this work on their behalf to show that we have their best interests at heart."

Fisker is not requesting additional payments from reservation holders but instead converting the existing \$250 for the first reservation and \$100 for the second reservation deposits to non-refundable orders. This ordering system remains in effect until The Inflation Reduction Act is passed and signed into law. At that time, this order process will close.

In the US, the Fisker Ocean starts at \$37,4992 in the base Sport. The Ultra trim retails for \$49,9992 and the top trim Extreme is priced at \$68,9992. The five-passenger SUV is designed and engineered in Manhattan Beach, California.

On August 3, 2022, Fisker reaffirmed its start of production date for November 17, 2022, and its 2023 production plans of 40,000-50,000 Fisker Ocean units, aligned with the company's financial strategy and timeline. Fisker's assetlight foundation offers scale benefits and speed to market while significantly reducing the complexities, risks, and fixed costs of a fully integrated approach. In addition, the company is focused on maintaining a sound liquidity profile and prudent capital structure.3

### About Fisker Inc.

California-based Fisker Inc. is revolutionizing the automotive industry by developing the most emotionally desirable

and eco-friendly electric vehicles on Earth. Passionately driven by the vision of a clean future for all, the company is on a mission to become the No. 1 e-mobility service provider with the world's most sustainable vehicles. To learn more, visit www.FiskerInc.com – and enjoy exclusive content across Fisker's social media channels: Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, YouTube, and LinkedIn.

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# Forward-Looking Statements

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## \*or foreign currency equivalent

1 Please note Fisker is not providing legal or tax advice regarding the provisions of the Inflation Reduction Act, including its 'Transition Rule', which, in its August 6, 2022 draft form, provided that a taxpayer that entered into a written binding contract for a qualifying vehicle prior to its enactment, and takes delivery of such vehicle after enactment of the Inflation Reduction Act, may elect to treat the vehicle as having been placed in service on the day

prior to the enactment of the Inflation Reduction Act for purposes of section 30D(d)(1) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986. Reservation holders should consult with a tax professional to determine eligibility for any federal tax credit and do not rely upon such tax credit when making a purchase decision.

2 Pricing shown is for the continental US and excludes delivery, finance, and government charges. Maintenance is not included. Pricing depends upon specifications and options chosen by customers as they configure the actual vehicle closer to production. Pricing does not include various state and federal incentives and benefits which may be available. Pricing shown is for the base Ocean trim selection, including Great White exterior, Black Abyss interior, and 20" F7 AeroStealth wheel selections.

3 Accordingly, Fisker filed a \$2 billion Form S-3 shelf registration statement, which was declared effective by the Securities and Exchange Commission on January 4, 2022, which allows for the issuance of equity and debt securities from time to time. On May 24, 2022, under this shelf, Fisker implemented a \$350 million at-the-market equity program.

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