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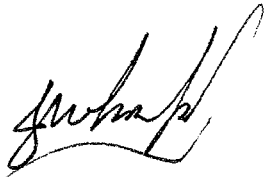
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SUBJECT: Approval to Suspend Montara H1 ST-1 in AC/L7

Dear Mr Paton,

Your application to suspend Montara H1 ST-1 in AC/L7 (preliminary received by email on 6 March and confirmed on 6 March 2009) has been reviewed.

Pursuant to Clause 17 (1) (d) of the *Petroleum (Submerged Lands) Management of Well Operations) Regulations*, I approve the suspension of Montara – H1 ST1 in accordance with your letter of 6 March 2009 and your drilling program (TM – CR – MON – B – 150 – 0001 REV 2) submitted and approved on 21 November 2008.



Jerry Whitfield
DIRECTOR of ENERGY

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