



OIL SEARCH LIMITED

(Incorporated in Papua New Guinea)
ARBN – 055 079 868

14 December 2009

Mr Vincent Ivosa, Market Controller
PORT MORESBY STOCK EXCHANGE LIMITED
P.O. Box 1531
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PAPUA NEW GUINEA

Dear Mr Ivosa,

Oil Search Limited – Appendix 3Y, Change of Director's Interest Notice

Attached please find Appendix 3Y, Change of Director's Interest Notice for Mr. Peter Robert Botten lodged with the Australian Securities Exchange today.

Please release to the market.

Yours sincerely
OIL SEARCH LIMITED

STEPHEN GARDINER
Group Secretary

Encl.

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Appendix 3Y

Change of Director's Interest Notice

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 30/9/2001.

Name of Entity	OIL SEARCH LIMITED
ARBN:	055 079 868

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.2 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

Name of Director	MR PETER ROBERT BOTTEN
Date of last notice	25 SEPTEMBER 2009

Part 1 - Change of director's relevant interests in securities

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Direct or indirect interest	DIRECT
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) <small>Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.</small>	
Date of change	11 DECEMBER 2009
No. of securities held prior to change	1,041,000 ORDINARY SHARES
Class	ORDINARY SHARES
Number acquired	2,590
Number disposed	NIL
Value/Consideration <small>Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation</small>	A\$5.79 PER ORDINARY SHARE
No. of securities held after change	1,043,590 ORDINARY SHARES
Nature of change <small>Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back</small>	PARTICIPATION IN THE COMPANY'S SHARE PURCHASE PLAN.

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Part 2 – Change of director's interests in contracts

Detail of contract	NA
Nature of interest	NA
Name of registered holder (if issued securities)	NA
Date of change	NA
No. and class of securities to which interest related prior to change <small>Note: Details are only required for a contract in relation to which the interest has changed</small>	NA
Interest acquired	NA
Interest disposed	NA
Value/Consideration <small>Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and an estimated valuation</small>	NA
Interest after change	NA

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