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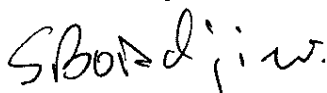
Dear Sir/Madam,

Beach Energy Ltd – notice of becoming a substantial holder

Please find attached notice of becoming a substantial holder (ASIC Form 603) in relation to Beach Energy Ltd.

Please confirm receipt of this notification to sbo@nbim.no.

Yours sincerely,



Stanislav Boiadjev
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Form 603

Corporations Act 2001
Section 671B

Notice of initial substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme **Beach Energy Ltd**

ACN/ARSN **007 617 969**

1. Details of substantial holder (1)

Name **Norges Bank**

ACN/ARSN (if applicable) **N/A**

The holder became a substantial holder on **30 July 2013**

2. Details of voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Class of securities (4)	Number of securities	Person's votes (5)	Voting power (6)
Ordinary	66,500,831	66,500,831	5.24%

3. Details of relevant interests

The nature of the relevant interest the substantial holder or an associate had in the following voting securities on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Nature of relevant interest (7)	Class and number of securities
Norges Bank	Central Bank managing monies on behalf of Government of Norway with discretionary powers	Ordinary 66,500,831

4. Details of present registered holders

The persons registered as holders of the securities referred to in paragraph 3 above are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Class and number of securities
Norges Bank	JP Morgan Nominees Australia Limited	Norges Bank	66,500,831

5. Consideration

The consideration paid for each relevant interest referred to in paragraph 3 above, and acquired in the four months prior to the day that the substantial holder became a substantial holder is as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Date of acquisition	Consideration (9) Cash/ Non Cash		Class and number of securities
Norges Bank	01/04/2013 – 30/07/2013	Please see appendix A	Please see appendix A	19,812,281 ordinary shares

6. Associates

The reasons the persons named in paragraph 3 above are associates of the substantial holder are as follows:

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association
Norges Bank	Central Bank

7. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
Norges Bank	Bankplassen 2, PO Box 1179 Sentrum, 0107 Oslo, Norway

Signature

print name Stanislav Boiadjiev

Capacity : Analyst – Compliance

sign here

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date 01/08/2013

Form 603 – Appendix A

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DATE OF CHANGE	HOLDER OF RELEVANT INTEREST	NATURE OF CHANGE	CONSIDERATION GIVEN IN RELATION TO CHANGE	CURRENCY	NUMBER OF SECURITIES	CLASS
01/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	7,950,684	ORDINARY
02/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-551,817	ORDINARY
03/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-424,877	ORDINARY
03/04/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.34	AUD	6,932	ORDINARY
03/04/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.34	AUD	51,065	ORDINARY
04/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-43,804	ORDINARY
05/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	145,036	ORDINARY
08/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	293,968	ORDINARY
09/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	726,141	ORDINARY
10/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	38,144	ORDINARY
11/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-934,466	ORDINARY
12/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	38,721	ORDINARY
15/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	486,175	ORDINARY
16/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-461,529	ORDINARY
17/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-29,931	ORDINARY
18/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-116,133	ORDINARY
19/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	154,204	ORDINARY
22/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-50,993	ORDINARY
23/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-172,499	ORDINARY
24/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	434,337	ORDINARY
25/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-93,445	ORDINARY
26/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-2,872	ORDINARY
29/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-132,574	ORDINARY
30/04/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-238,176	ORDINARY
01/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-355,713	ORDINARY
02/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-53,131	ORDINARY
03/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	10,319	ORDINARY
06/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-32,073	ORDINARY
07/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	6,785,140	ORDINARY
08/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-6,496,987	ORDINARY
09/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-522,746	ORDINARY
10/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	6,677,074	ORDINARY
13/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-4,190	ORDINARY
14/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-7,778	ORDINARY
15/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-4,337	ORDINARY
16/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	1,134,884	ORDINARY
17/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-900	ORDINARY
20/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-11,294	ORDINARY
21/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-206,738	ORDINARY
22/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-82,345	ORDINARY
22/05/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.27	AUD	600,000	ORDINARY
23/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	2,295	ORDINARY

DATE OF CHANGE	HOLDER OF RELEVANT INTEREST	NATURE OF CHANGE	CONSIDERATION GIVEN IN RELATION TO CHANGE	CURRENCY	NUMBER OF SECURITIES	CLASS
23/05/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.23	AUD	1,000,000	ORDINARY
24/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-255,442	ORDINARY
27/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-1,070,908	ORDINARY
28/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	12,847	ORDINARY
29/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-179,663	ORDINARY
29/05/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.16	AUD	79,180	ORDINARY
30/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-3,341	ORDINARY
30/05/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.16	AUD	80,890	ORDINARY
31/05/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	385,284	ORDINARY
03/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-35,619	ORDINARY
04/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-40,044	ORDINARY
05/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-9,123	ORDINARY
06/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	29,057	ORDINARY
07/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-24,190	ORDINARY
10/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	14,710	ORDINARY
11/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-54,560	ORDINARY
12/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	77,135	ORDINARY
13/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-69,089	ORDINARY
13/06/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.12	AUD	658,897	ORDINARY
14/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	61,102	ORDINARY
17/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-992,929	ORDINARY
18/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	14,128	ORDINARY
19/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-4,365	ORDINARY
20/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-3,847	ORDINARY
20/06/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.17	AUD	1,436,405	ORDINARY
21/06/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	-7,173,157	ORDINARY
21/06/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.19	AUD	2,063,595	ORDINARY
24/06/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.13	AUD	1,000,000	ORDINARY
25/06/2013	Norges Bank	BUY	1.13	AUD	2,000,000	ORDINARY
05/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	3,574,982	ORDINARY
08/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 14,896	ORDINARY
09/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	2,879,913	ORDINARY
10/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 1,840,227	ORDINARY
11/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 171,151	ORDINARY
12/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	2,016,973	ORDINARY
15/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	5,346	ORDINARY
16/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 163,355	ORDINARY
17/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 3,836,688	ORDINARY
18/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 162,453	ORDINARY
19/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	189,784	ORDINARY
22/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	51,619	ORDINARY
23/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 730,946	ORDINARY
24/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	600,283	ORDINARY
25/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 339,011	ORDINARY
26/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 54,337	ORDINARY
29/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RETURNED	N/A	AUD	- 595,303	ORDINARY
30/07/2013	Norges Bank	COLLATERAL RECEIVED	N/A	AUD	4,901,024	ORDINARY
Total					19,812,281	