To	Company Announcements Office	Facsimile	1300 300 021
Company	Australian Stock Exchange Limited	Date	15 September 2006
From	Bill Hundy	Pages	3
Subject	**APPENDIX 3Y NOTICE**		

Please find attached an Appendix 3Y – Change of Director's Interest Notice for:

- G A King

Regards

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Company Secretary

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Rule 3.19A.2

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	ORIGIN ENERGY LIMITED
ABN	30 000 051 696

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	Grant A King
Date of last notice	21 March 2006

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 and Indirect
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.	Shares held in: • Austrust G A King Private Superannuation Fund • Fabco Investments Pty Limited
Date of change	11 September 2006 – Options Issue 14 September 2006 – Options Exercise & Share Sale
No. of securities held prior to change	33,556 Ordinary Fully Paid Shares held directly 211,213 Ordinary Fully Paid Shares held indirectly 2,250,000 Origin Energy Limited Options held directly
Class	Options Ordinary Shares
Number acquired	500,000 Options (Options Issue) 500,000 Ordinary Shares (Options Exercise)
Number disposed	450,000 Ordinary Shares

+ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

Value/Consideration Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation	500,000 Options issued with an exercise price of $6.50 expiring 11 September 2011 500,000 Options exercised – exercise price $3.036826 per share 450,000 shares sold @ $6.308 per share
No. of securities held after change	33,556 Ordinary Fully Paid Shares held directly 261,213 Ordinary Fully Paid Shares held indirectly 2,250,000 Origin Energy Limited Options held directly
Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back	Issue of options pursuant to the rules of the Origin Energy Senior Executive Option Plan. Shares issued and sold on market following the exercise of options under the Senior Executive Option Plan.

Part 2 – Change of director's interests in contracts

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

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