

## DEPUTY LIEUTENANT COMMISSIONS

Commission Signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucestershire:

Sir Charles IRVING, KT, The Grange, Malvern Road, Cheltenham, Gloucestershire.

To be a Deputy Lieutenant, dated 10th July, 1992.

M. Hoeny, Clerk to the Lieutenancy. (772)

## DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

### PETROLEUM (PRODUCTION) ACT 1934

The Secretary of State for Trade and Industry hereby gives notice that under the provisions of the Petroleum (Production) Regulations 1976 the licensed area listed below has been surrendered. Except where otherwise stated the area is bounded by straight lines drawn between National Grid reference points.

Licence No.	Surrendered area in		Grid Points of Boundaries
	Sq. Kms.	County/ Regions	
PL 211	(Area C) 25	Hampshire West Sussex	SU69001800—SU73001800 SU73001500—SU75001500 SU75001400—SU65501400 SU65501600—SU69001600 SU69001800.

The Secretary of State also gives notice that under the provisions of the Petroleum (Production) Regulations 1982 Production Licences PL253, PL257 and PL258 have been surrendered.

Details of PL211 were published in the *London Gazette* of 6th April 1982, 10th July 1986 and 28th March 1990, details of PL253 were published in the *London Gazette* of 16th April 1984, the *Edinburgh Gazette* of 17th April 1984 and the *London and Edinburgh Gazettes* of 17th July 1984 and 22nd August 1986, and details of PLs 257 and 258 were published in the *London Gazette* of 8th March 1984, 17th February 1988 and 14th February 1990. (4 SI)

Companies Registration Office  
Companies House, Crown Way,  
Maidy, Cardiff.

### COMPANIES ACT 1985

The dissolution of SAS FARM SERVICES LIMITED was declared void by an order of the High Court on 7th July 1992.

(29 SI) D. Durham, Registrar of Companies

Companies Registration Office  
Companies House, Crown Way,  
Maidy, Cardiff.

### COMPANIES ACT 1985

The dissolution of BEAUCHIEF INVESTMENTS LIMITED was declared void by an order of the Leeds District on 3rd July 1992.

(30 SI) D. Durham, Registrar of Companies

Companies House, Crown Way,  
Maidy, Cardiff.

### COMPANIES ACT 1985

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to section 653 of the Companies Act 1985, that the names of the Companies listed hereunder have been restored to the register of Companies:

Brantwood Financial Services Limited—High Court.  
The Overseas Doctors Association in the U.K. Limited—  
Manchester District Registry.

Forty-Eight Ventnor Villas (Hove) Limited—High Court.

ST Hubert Foods (U.K.) Limited—High Court.

Pendle Petroleum Limited—High Court.

Evangelist Road Management Limited—High Court.

(36 SI) D. E. Durham, Registrar of Companies

## THE PETROLEUM (PRODUCTION) (SEAWARD AREAS) REGULATIONS 1988

1. Further to the Notice published on 6th March 1992 regarding the 14th Round of petroleum production licensing, the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry now invites applications, in accordance with the Petroleum (Production) (Seaward Areas) Regulations 1988 (SI 1988 No. 1213), as amended by the Petroleum (Production) (Seaward Areas) (Amendment) Regulations 1990 (SI 1990 No. 1332) and the forthcoming Petroleum (Production) (Seaward Areas) (Amendment) Regulations 1992 (in this Notice called "the Regulations"), for petroleum production licences in respect of the blocks specified in Schedules 1, 2, 3, and 4 to this Notice and delineated on maps deposited in the Library at the Department of Trade and Industry, 1 Palace Street, London SW1E 5HE. The maps be inspected by prior appointment (Telephone No. 071-238 3042) between 0915 and 1645 hours Monday to Friday until Tuesday, 15th December 1992.

### CONSIDERATION FOR AND CONDITIONS OF LICENCES

2. Licences issued in respect of blocks shown on the maps at Schedules 1 and 3 and listed in Schedules 2 and 4 to this Notice will have an initial term of six years with a second term of twelve years. This second term may be extended beyond twelve years for a further period of eighteen years. These licences will be subject to the conditions set out in Schedule 4 to the Regulations.

3. The consideration required in respect of production licences granted as a result of this invitation will be:

- an initial payment, at the time the offer of a licence is accepted, of £390 for each square kilometre comprised in the licensed area;
- subsequent annual payments determined according to the following provisions:

(i) on the sixth anniversary of the date of commencement of the licence term (following exercise of the option to continue as to the remaining period of the licence) the sum of £450 will be payable for each square kilometre in the area to which the licence then relates; on the seventh anniversary £900 per square kilometre and so on, rising by annual increments of £450 until an annual sum of £6,750 is payable for each square kilometre comprised in the licensed area;

(ii) the payments specified in sub-paragraph 3(b)(i) above will be subject to variation as follows:

(aa) The annual payments will be increased or subsequently reduced at two-yearly intervals in line with movements in the Index of the Price of Crude Oil acquired by Refineries (published in the Digest of UK Energy Statistics) if the Minister so determines. The Minister will give notice of any such determination ("biennial determination") during the month preceding the eighth anniversary of the date of commencement of licences or any subsequent two-yearly anniversary, and will specify in the notice the increase or reduction in the amount payable. Movements in the Index will be calculated by reference to a comparison between the arithmetic mean of the Index levels for the two latest calendar years for which figures are available at the time when the determination is made, and the arithmetic mean of the Index levels for 1990 and 1991. In the event that the Index of the Price of Crude Oil acquired by Refineries ceases to be published, the Minister may substitute arrangements for redetermination of annual payments having substantially similar effect to those set out above based on such other comparable Index as he may determine.

(bb) The increase or reduction specified in a biennial determination will be payable or take effect on the anniversary of the date of commencement of the licence next following the date of the relevant determination.

(cc) No biennial determination will have effect so as to reduce the annual payments below the levels set in sub-paragraph 3(b)(i).

(dd) The Minister will not make a biennial determination increasing or reducing the amounts payable, where that increase or reduction would be 5% or less of the levels set following the previous biennial determination.

(c) a royalty (provided for in Clauses 10-13 of Schedule 4 to the Regulations) at the rate of 12.5% payable in respect of petroleum won and saved from any field which is neither:

(i) a relevant new field for the purposes of the Petroleum Royalties (Relief) Act 1983, nor

(ii) a relevant Southern Basin field for the purposes of the Petroleum Royalties (Relief) and Continental Shelf Act 1989.

4. Licences may be granted subject to special conditions governing the notice required for, and the timing and circumstances of, operations carried out thereunder. The Department of Trade and Industry will make copies of these conditions available as soon as possible.