authorisation to be held by Shell UK Limited, whose address is Shell-Mex House, Strand, London WC2R 0DX for the construction of a 323.9 mm pipe-line and a 60.3 mm pipeline between the Galleon gas field and the Clipper platform.

Except with the consent of the Secretary of State, the 323.9 mm pipe-line shall only be used to convey wet gas and the 60.3 mm pipe-line shall only be used to convey MEG with corrosion inhibitor.

The pipe-lines may be used by the holder and with the holder's agreement, and with the consent of the Secretary of State, by other persons.

Shell UK Exploration and Production has been appointed operator of the pipe-lines.



Notice of application for extension of gas suppliers' licence under Section 7A of the Gas Act 1986

VOLUNTEER ENERGY LIMITED whose registered office is situated at Hollinswood House, Stafford Park, Telford, Shropshire TF3 3DD, hereby gives notice that it has made an application to the Director General of Gas Supply for an extension to the licence treated as granted to it under section 7A(1)(b) of the Gas Act 1986, so that the licence is also a licence under section 7A(1)(a) of the Gas Act 1986 and any premises in Great Britain were specified in the licence.

> *Emma Stein* for and on behalf of Volunteer Energy Limited

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INDUSTRIAL AND PROVIDENT SOCIETIES ACT 1965

NOTICE OF CANCELLATION PURSUANT TO SECTION 16 OF THE ACT

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assistant Registrar of Friendly Societies for Scotland has pursuant to the above mentioned section this day cancelled the registration of Tay Grow Marketing Limited (Register No. 2500R(S)) the registered office of which is at Moncur, Inchture, Perthshire PH14 9QF at its request.

The society ceases to enjoy the privileges of a registered society, but without prejudice to any liability incurred by the society, which may be enforced against it as if such cancellation had not taken place.

> James L J Craig Assistant Registrar for Scotland

58 Frederick Street Edinburgh EH2 1NB 2nd December 1997 Insurance Companies Act 1982

LANDMARK INSURANCE COMPANY LIMITED

Transfer of General Business

- 1. NOTICE is hereby given that Landmark Insurance Company Limited applied to the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry on 11th December 1997 for her approval, pursuant to Part II of Schedule 2C of the Insurance Companies Act 1982, to transfer to Liverpool Victoria Insurance Company Limited all of its rights and obligations under certain policies of household and motor insurance written by it in the United Kingdom prior to 30th November 1997.
- 2. Copies of Statement of Particulars of the proposed transfer are available for inspection at the offices of Norton Rose at Kempson House, Camomile Street, London EC3A 7AN and at the offices of Landmark Insurance Company Limited at 300 Pavilion Drive, Northampton Business Park, Northampton, NN4 7YE from Monday to Friday between 9.00am and 5.00pm until 12th January 1998.
- 3. Written representations concerning the transfer may be sent to the Secretary of State for Trade and Industry, Department of Trade and Industry, Insurance Directorate, 1 Victoria Street, London, SW1H 0ET before 10th February 1998.

The Secretary of State will not determine the application until after considering any representations made to her before that date.

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OFFICE OF FAIR TRADING

THE SUPPLY OF UNDERWRITING SERVICES

Variation of monopoly reference by the Director General of Fair Trading

Whereas:

- On 20th November 1997 the Director General of Fair Trading ("the Director General"), in exercise of his powers under sections 47(1), 49(1) and 50(1) of the Fair Trading Act 1973 ("the Act"), referred to the Monopolies and Mergers Commission the matter of the existence or possible existence of a monopoly situation in relation to the supply of underwriting services in the United Kingdom; and
- (2) in the reference "underwriting services" were defined as the undertaking and performance (whether by underwriters, subunderwriters or brokers) of engagements, in respect of the offer of shares in a company on the Official List:-
 - to take up shares comprised in the offer if the shares are not taken up by the persons to whom they are offered; or
 - (ii) to procure or arrange that another person undertakes such an engagement as is mention in (i) above;

Now therefore the Director General, in exercise of his power under section 52(1) of the Act, hereby varies the reference by substituting for the definition of "underwriting services" the following definition:

> "underwriting services" means the undertaking and performance (whether by underwriters, sub-underwriters or brokers) of engagements, in respect of the offer of shares in the company which have been, or are the subject of an application to be, admitted to the Official List:-

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