

MISCELLANEOUS
PUBLIC NOTICESPETROLEUM AND SUBMARINE PIPE-LINES ACT
1975*Notice of Application for a Submarine Pipe-line Works
Authorisation*

Occidental Petroleum (Caledonia) Limited hereby gives notice on behalf of itself and Texaco Britain Limited, Thomson North Sea Limited and Union Texas Petroleum Limited, in accordance with the provisions of Part I of Schedule 4 to the Petroleum and Submarine Pipe-lines Act 1975 that it has made an application to the Secretary of State for Energy for the grant of an authorisation for the construction and use of a submarine pipe-line for the conveyance of crude oil, gas and chemicals between Claymore 'A' Platform and the proposed wellhead Template for the Scapa Field.

A map delineating the route of the proposed pipe-line and providing certain further information may be inspected at the places listed in the Schedule to this notice from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on each weekday from the date that this notice is published until the date mentioned in the next paragraph of this notice.

Pursuant to a direction of the Secretary of State, representations with respect to the application may be made in writing and addressed to the Secretary of State for Energy at Thames House South, Millbank, London SW1P 4QJ, not later than 31st January 1986 and should bear the ref. PEP 68/606/125 and state the grounds upon which the representations are made.

M. R. David, Secretary, Occidental Petroleum (Caledonia) Ltd.

16 Palace Street, London.

SCHEDULE

List of places where a map or maps may be inspected

Department of Energy, Room 1053, Thames House South, Millbank, London S.W.1.

Fishery Office, 56 High Street, Lossiemouth, Morayshire IV31 6AA.

Fishery Office (Leith District) Room 513, Chesser House, 500 Gorgie Road, Edinburgh EH11 3AW.

Fishery Office, 22 East Shore, Pittenween, Fife.

Fishery Office, 61 High Street, Arbroath, Angus DD11 1AW.

Fishery Office, 5 Albert Quay, Aberdeen AB1 2QA.

Fishery Office, Keith House, Seagate, Peterhead AB4 6JP.

Fishery Office, 1 Queen Street, Buckie, Banffshire AB5 1QL.

Fishery Office, Alexandra Buildings, Lerwick, Shetland.

Fishery Office, Harbour Terrace, Wick, Caithness KW1 5HB.

Scottish Fisherman's Federation, 35 Albert Street, Aberdeen AB1 1XU.

Fisheries Organisation Society Ltd, New Fish Quay, Brixham, Devon TQ5 8AQ.

Aberdeen Fishing Vessel Owner's Association Ltd., 5 Albert Quay, Aberdeen AB1 2QA.

Orkney Fisheries Association, County Buildings, 6 Broad Street, Kirkwall, Orkney.

Fishery Office, 19 Seaforth Street, Fraserburgh, Aberdeenshire AB4 5AR.

Fishery Office, 20 Shore Street, Macduff, Banffshire AB4 1TX.

National Federation of Fishermen's Organisations, Exchange Building, Fish Dock Road, Grimsby, South Humberside DN31 3NJ.

Highlands and Islands Fishermen's Association (SG), 49 High Street, Fortrose IV10 8SU.

Orkney Fisheries Association, c/o Development Office, School Place, Kirkwall, Orkney.

17th December 1985.

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Authorisation*

BP Petroleum Development Limited hereby give notice on behalf of itself and BP Oil Development Limited, Shell UK Limited, Esso Exploration and Production UK Limited, OK Exploration and Production plc, Candecca Resources plc, Century Power and Light Limited, Charterhall Oil Limited, Charterhouse Oil and Gas Limited, Charterhouse Petroleum Development Limited, Dawsea Public Limited Company, Elf UK plc, Hispanoil UK Limited, Industrial Scotland Energy plc, Norsk Hydro Oil and Gas Limited, Norwich Union (Hydrocarbons) Limited, Plascom Limited, RTZ Oil and Gas Limited, Saxon Oil plc, Sovereign Oil and Gas plc, Texaco North Sea UK Company, Ultramar North Sea Limited, Union Jack Oil Company and Viva Petroleum Limited, in accordance with the provisions of Part I of Schedule 4 to the Petroleum and Submarine Pipe-lines Act 1975 that it has made an application to the Secretary of State for Energy for the grant of an authorisation for the construction and use of two parallel submarine pipe-lines for the conveyance of oil between South East Forties (Block 22/6) to Forties Alpha (Block 21-10).

Maps delineating the route of the proposed pipe-line and providing certain further information may be inspected at the places listed in the Schedule to this notice from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on each weekday from the date that this notice is published until the date mentioned in the next paragraph of this notice.

Pursuant to a direction of the Secretary of State, representations with respect to the application may be made in writing and addressed to the Secretary of State for Energy at Thames House South, Millbank, London SW1P 4QJ, not later than 31st January 1986 and should bear the ref. PEP 68/606/116 and state the grounds upon which the representations are made.

D. R. Fitzpatrick, Assistant Company Secretary, BP Petroleum Development Ltd.

Britannic House, Moor Lane,
London EC2Y 9BU.

TECHNICAL ANNEX

At the request of the Secretary of State for Energy, and as agreed by the Pipelines Inspectorate, BP Petroleum Development Ltd. presents the following information about the 6 inch and 12 inch OD Oil pipelines from South East Forties (Block 22/6A) to Forties Alpha (Block 21/10):

Pre-Commissioning Testing

The pipelines will be tested to the satisfaction of the Pipelines Inspectorate prior to commissioning.

Design Pressure

The maximum pressure in the lines will be less than the pressure for which the pipelines have been designed.

Leak Detection

Pressure and flow will be monitored at all times. In the event of a leak being detected the pipeline pressure will be reduced to control the leak. An aerial and underwater survey will be conducted to find the source of the leak.

Routine surveillance will be carried out along the pipeline route.

Emergency Action

In the event of a major break occurring in a pipe-line the following emergency action will be taken:

- (1) All product delivery into the pipeline will be manually or automatically stopped.
- (2) Department of Energy Pipelines Inspectorate will be notified immediately.
- (3) An underwater survey and aerial survey will be carried out to determine the location of the break.
- (4) Should pollution result from the discharge of the product the emergency pollution control system held in constant readiness by the UK Offshore Operators Association will be mobilised.