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DEPARTMENT OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY

PETROLEUM AND SUBMARINE PIPE-LINES ACT 1975

Notice of the Issue of a Submarine Pipe-line Works Authorisation

The Secretary of State for Trade and Industry hereby gives notice that he has decided to issue, and in consequence has issued, a works authorisation to be held by Premier Oil plc, whose address is 4th Floor, Saltire Court, 20 Castle Terrace, Edinburgh EH1 2EN, for the operation of a 152.4 millimetre production pipe-line between the jack-up rig "Rowan Halifax" and the M/V "Crystal Sea."

Except with the consent of the Secretary of State, the 152.4 millimetre pipe-line shall only be used to convey production fluids.

The pipe-line may be used by the holder and with the holder's agreement, and with the consent of the Secretary of State, by other persons. The works authorisation will expire no later than 30th November 1996.

Premier Oil plc has been appointed operator of the pipe-lines.

G. Harvey, Head of Environment and Authorisations
(Development) OG Aberdeen. (45 SI)

DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORT

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

Proposed Stopping-up of Highway in Wigan

The Secretary of State for Transport hereby gives notice that on the application of Wigan Metropolitan Borough Council on the behalf of De Roma Ice Cream Limited, he proposes to make an Order under section 247 of the above Act, which will authorise the stopping-up of a 30 metre length of Addison Street, Wigan.

If the Order is made, the stopping-up will be authorised only in order to enable the development described in the Schedule to this notice to be carried out in accordance with the planning permission granted to De Roma Ice Cream Limited, by Wigan Metropolitan Borough Council, on 11th June 1996, under Ref. A/45293/96.

Copies of the draft Order and relevant plan may be inspected at all reasonable hours during the 28 days commencing on 7th November 1996, at Wigan Metropolitan Borough Council, Town Hall, Library Street, Wigan WN1 1YN, and may be obtained, free of charge, from the Department of Transport (quoting Ref. GO/TNW 5089/35/01/020), at the address stated below.

Any person may object to the making of the proposed Order within the period of 28 days commencing on 7th November 1996, by notice to the Secretary of State for Transport, quoting the above reference, at the Department of Transport, Government Office for the North West, Sunley Tower, Piccadilly Plaza, Manchester M1 4BE.

In preparing an objection it should be borne in mind that the substance of it may be imparted to other persons who may be affected by it and that those persons may wish to communicate with the objector about it.

G. Tarr, Government Office for the North West, Department of Transport (Telephone 0161-952 4261).

SCHEDULE

To layout car park and erect 2 metre high palisade fence and gates to boundary together with road closure, Clayton Street, Wigan. (739)

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT 1990

The Secretary of State for Transport hereby gives notice that he has made an Order under section 247 of the above Act entitled "The Stopping-up of Highways (London Borough of Tower Hamlets) (No. 8) Order 1996" authorising the stopping-up of a length of Hardinge Street, London E.1, and the whole of the unnamed footpath between Steel's Lane and Hardinge Street.

Copies of the Order may be obtained, free of charge, on application to the Government Office for London, Transport Management Division, 8/W19, Riverwalk House, 157-161 Millbank, London SW1P 4RR, (quoting Ref. LRO 34/E5900/1/071), and may be inspected at all reasonable hours at the offices of the London Borough of Tower Hamlets, 3rd Floor, Mulberry Place, 5 Clove Crescent, London E.14.

Any person aggrieved by the Order and desiring to question the validity thereof, or of any provision contained therein, on the ground that it is not within the powers of the above Act or that any requirement of that Act or of any regulation made thereunder has not been complied with in relation to the Order, may, within 6 weeks of 7th November 1996, apply to the High Court for the suspension or quashing of the Order or of any provision contained therein.

A. G. Weeden, a Grade 6 Officer, Transport Management Division, Planning and Transport Directorate, Government Office for London. (740)