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RE : Dukuh -1 being Plugged and Abandoned

Attached please find Cue Energy Resources Limited's release with respect to the above mentioned.

Yours faithfully

Andrew M Knox **Public Officer**



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RELEASE

Dukuh -1 being Plugged and Abandoned

The Dukuh -1 exploration well in the Sampang Production Sharing Contract area, offshore East Java, Indonesia is being plugged and abandoned after failing to encounter significant hydrocarbons.

The well tested a four way dip closure 10 kilometres south of the Jeruk oil discovery.

The Ocean Sovereign jackup drilling rig will now move to the Herbras -1 exploration well in the eastern portion of the PSC area.

Participants in the Sampang PSC are:

Santos (Sampang) Pty Ltd 40.5% (Operator)

Singapore Petroleum Sampang Ltd 36% Cue Sampang Pty Ltd 13.5% PT Petrogas Oyong Jatim* 10%

A location map is attached.

Any queries regarding the announcement should be directed to the Company on (03) 9670 8668 or email mail@cuenrg.com.au.

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^{*}Subject to finalization.

