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ANNOUNCEMENT TO ASX

Date: 17 August 2004
To: Australian Stock Exchange Limited
Companies Announcement Office
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Dear Sir

Daily Drilling Status Report – Crocus 1 (PEL-101)

Innamincka Petroleum Limited (“INP”) reports the current status of the Crocus 1 well is as follows:

Time of Report: 06:00 hours (CST) 17 August 2004
Well Depth: 3176.0 m
Current Operation: Out of the hole to change the bit and currently testing the blow-out preventers (“BOP”s) as per 14 day maintenance schedule.
Forward Operation: Run in hole and condition the mud prior to drilling ahead 8¹/₂” (216 mm) hole and evaluating well objectives (Epsilon Fm and Patchawarra Fm).

Participants in the PEL 101 Block Joint Venture are:

- Innamincka Petroleum Limited (Operator) - 50%
- Vernon E Faulconer Australia Inc - 50%

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CROCUS 1 - TIME DEPTH CURVE

ACTUAL VS PROGNOSED

WELL DETAILS

Rig: O.D.E Rig 30
RT: 42.8 m
GL: 38.0 m
Total Depth: 3400 m
Drill Days: 34 from spud

MAJOR DATES

Well Spudded: 12:00 hrs 30 Jul 2004
Reached TD: xx:xx hrs xx Jul 2004
Rig Released: xx:xx hrs xx Jul 2004

HOLE / CASING SIZES

311 mm (12-1/4") Surface hole to 1014.0 m
245 mm (9-5/8") Surface Casing Set @ 999.0 m
216 mm (8-1/2") Main Hole to XXX m (TD)
178 mm (7") Production Casing Set @ XXXX m

LOCATION DETAILS

Well Type: Exploration
Permit: PEL 101 (SA)
Distance: 90 km NE of Moomba

LOCATION DETAILS

(Zone 54 GDA 94)
Latitude: 27° 20' 34.38" S
Longitude: 140° 32' 28.28" E
Easting: 454 618 m E
Northing: 6 975 503 m N

