



SOUTH CHINA RESOURCES, INC.

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Metro Manila, Philippines

March 15, 2010

Disclosure Department
4/F Philippine Stock Exchange, Inc.
PSE Centre, Exchange Road
Ortigas Center, Pasig City

Attention: **Ms. JANET A. ENCARNACION**
Head, Disclosure Department

Gentlemen:

Please find enclosed the Department of Energy's Certification that our contract areas, SC-41, SC-60 and SC-71, are valid and subsisting.

We trust that we have complied with the Exchange's requirement on the matter. Thank you very much.

Yours faithfully,

DAVID R. BALADAD
Corporate Information Officer/
VP – Operations



Republic of the Philippines
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that as of December 31, 2009, South China Resources, Inc. (South China) is a valid and subsisting consortium member/partner of the following Petroleum Service Contracts (SC):

1. Service Contract No. 41 – Sandakan Basin
2. Service Contract No. 60 – Northeast Palawan
3. Service Contract No. 71 – Cuyo, Mindoro

We further certify that South China has no pending violations with the Department of Energy (DOE) in connection with the above-mentioned SCs.

This certification is issued upon request of South China, for whatever legal purpose it may serve.

March 9, 2010, Fort Bonifacio, Taguig City, Metro Manila.

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OIC-Director

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