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JINGEMIA 3 PERTH BASIN, WESTERN AUSTRALIA TUBING HAS BEEN LANDED ON THE PACKER

Norwest Energy NL advises that the tubing has been landed on the packer. The drilling rig will be released and a workover rig will in about 10 days perforate the tubing and convert the well into a water injector which will be used to maintain reservoir pressure during production of the Jingemia Oil Field.

Norwest Energy NL has a 1.278% interest in this well and the Jingemia Oil Field.

Norwest Energy NL will provide daily reports during drilling activities.

Participants in EP 413, Jingemia 2 and Jingemia 3 are:

Origin Energy Developments Pty Limited* (Operator) 49.189%
Hardman Oil and Gas Pty Ltd 22.376%
AWE (Perth Basin) Pty Ltd 15.245%
Victoria Petroleum NL 5.000%
Voyager Energy Limited 6.270%
Norwest Energy NL 1.278%
Roc Oil (WA) Pty Limited 0.250%
ARC Energy NL 0.250%
John Kevin Geary 0.142%

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