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Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Act 2006

NOTICE OF INVITATION FOR WORK PROGRAM EXPLORATION PERMIT APPLICATIONS

(RE-RELEASE ROUND)

I, GRAEME ALBERT WATERS, the National Offshore Petroleum Titles Administrator, on behalf of the Commonwealth – Western Australia Offshore Petroleum Joint Authority, pursuant to section 104 of the *Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Act 2006* (the Act) of the Commonwealth of Australia, hereby invite applications for the grant of work program petroleum exploration permits in respect of the following blocks within the areas as described in the following schedule.

Applications for re-release areas W14-3, W14-14 must be received, in the manner prescribed below, by **4:00 pm local time** at the place of submission (refer to the "submission of applications" section in this notice) on **Thursday 2 April 2015**.

GRATICULAR BLOCK LISTINGS

Re-Release Area W14-3

Caswell Sub-basin, Browse Basin, Western Australia

Map Sheet SD 51 (Brunswick Bay)

1483	1484			
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Assessed to contain 2 blocks (includes 2 full blocks)

Re-Release Area W14-14

Barrow Sub-basin, Northern Carnarvon Basin, Western Australia

Map Sheet SF 50 (Hamersley Range)

0160	0161	0230	0231	0232	
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Assessed to contain 5 blocks (includes 5 full blocks)

APPLICATIONS

Applications for work program exploration permits in relation to the above areas must be made in an approved manner and be accompanied by details of:

a. the applicant's proposals for work and expenditure in relation to the block or blocks specified in the application;

Applicants should propose an exploration strategy that has the potential to significantly advance the assessment and understanding of the petroleum potential of the permit area.