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Session 1

Time	Title	Company	Speaker
09:30	Welcome Address	Subsea UK	Alistair Birnie, Chief Executive
	<p><i>Alistair Birnie is an Engineering graduate of the University of Aberdeen, and a business school Graduate of Robert Gordon University. He is also a chartered engineer and a member of the IET. He has over 28 years' experience in the offshore and subsea industry, working for a number of well known service and engineering companies in technology development and project management roles, and has in his time delivered a number of the world's first, deepest, and biggest in new technology. Alistair has served as Chairman of the Aberdeen section of the Society for Underwater Technology and spent two years with the industry technology facilitator, ITF, in a role that supported field trials and commercialisation of new technology. More recently he had global responsibility for Technology in Aker Solutions' Subsea Controls division, running their Research and Development unit, before taking up his current post as Chief Executive of Subsea UK.</i></p>		
09:35	Response	UK Trade and Investment	Trevor Lewis, Director for Trade and Investment at the British High Commission, Kuala Lumpur
	<p><i>Trevor Lewis has been Director for Trade and Investment at the British High Commission, Kuala Lumpur, since September 2007. Before that he spent four years at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office in London – two running the global 24 hours operation and two as the specialist on conventional arms control issues (landmines, small arms, cluster munitions and treaties). Trevor's last overseas posting before Kuala Lumpur was as Head of Trade and Investment in Shanghai, where he served from 2000-2003. He has also served in Dubai, Washington DC, Accra and Brussels.</i></p>		
09:40	Malaysian Overview	PETRONAS Carigali Sdn Bhd	Encik Rosli Hamzah, Senior Manager – Deepwater Department
	<p><i>Currently Head of Deepwater Department of PETRONAS Carigali, Rosli Hamzah has served PETRONAS for 29 years in areas of drilling, production, operations and asset management in Malaysia, Sudan and Vietnam.</i></p>		
10:05	An Overview of Deepwater Developments in SE Asia	Hess Corporation	Aidan McKay, Vice President, Production - Southeast Asia
	<p><i>Aidan has had 25 years of experience in the oil and gas industry. He joined Hess in 2006, initially as Vice President, Developments - Southeast Asia, where he brought onstream projects in Thailand, Malaysia and Indonesia. As VP, Production Aidan built Hess Southeast Asia's operating capabilities, doubling its production to 90,000 boe/d, with a view of continued growth to 100,000 boe/d by end 2010.</i></p> <p><i>A graduate of the University of Leeds in Energy Engineering and a UK Chartered Engineer, Aidan was previously with Shell for more than 20 years, where he gained deep E&P technical knowledge through his work in four Shell Operating Units (Netherlands, Oman, UK North Sea, USA Deepwater) and Shell EP Central Office in Holland. He has worked on a wide range of projects from polymer flooding and heavy oil development through to deep tight gas development and Deepwater development. In his last position with Shell, Aidan managed major Deepwater projects Nakika, Holstein and Princess for SEPCo New Orleans, prior to his assignment in SE Asia. He is an active member of the Society of Petroleum Engineers, serving the Oman, (North) Netherlands and UK SPE Boards for more than 15 years.</i></p>		
10:30	COFFEE		

Session 2

Time	Title	Company	Speaker
11:15	SapuraAceryg Subsea Capability Profile	SapuraAceryg	Eric Bubeck, Engineering Manager in the Region
	<i>Eric Bubeck has spent the last 12 years in the offshore construction industry. During that time he has been involved in conventional platform and pipeline developments, deepwater pipeline projects and platform decommissioning and salvage. His current position is engineering manager for SapuraAceryg.</i>		
11:40	Safely and Securely – Light Well Controls	Perry Slingsby Systems Ltd	Donald Faulds, Business Development Manager
	<i>Donald Faulds has been with Perry Slingsby Systems for over ten years and responsible for the development of its ROV tooling range and many of the specialist subsea intervention projects that PSS is identified with. The controls technology that started from the ROV has found application to light well installation and intervention systems, amongst others.</i>		
12:05	Subsea Mooring, Pipeline Repair and Recovery	First Subsea	Ben Crouch, Sales and Service Engineer, South East Asia
	<i>Benjamin (Ben) Crouch is responsible for First Subsea sales in Southern Europe and the UK's Marine and Offshore Wind Energy sector. A native of Norwich, and a mechanical engineer, he worked in a number of sales roles before joining First Subsea in November 2007. Over the past 12 months Ben has worked offshore on Kikeh Malaysia, Kizomba and Thunderhorse subsea mooring projects. In addition to subsea mooring solutions, he also has experience of diverless bend stiffener connectors for risers and umbilicals and pipeline recovery tools.</i>		
12:30	LUNCH		

Session 3

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13:30	High Boost Multiphase Pump Technology – A Step Change in Deep Water Enhanced Recovery	Framo Engineering Asia Pacific Sdn Bhd	Mads Hjelmeland, Area Sales Manager
	<i>Mads Hjelmeland holds an MSc in Marine Technology & Fluid Dynamics with the Norwegian University of Science and Technology, and currently holds the position as Area Sales Manager for Pumps and Subsea Systems with Framo Engineering Asia Pacific. Mads has been with Framo Engineering for the last seven years, and initially started out working in the technical department where he worked with design of multiphase pumps – and wet gas compression systems. Prior to his posting in Malaysia in 2009 he was working as Product Champion out of the Schlumberger Regional Technology Centre in Abu Dhabi, U.A.E.</i>		
13:55	Cost Efficiencies of Lightweight, High Specification AUVs	NCS Survey	Andrew McMurtrie, Business Development Manager
	<i>Andrew McMurtrie graduated from Glasgow University with a BSc in Topographic Science in 1990 and received a Professional Diploma from RICS in 1995. From 1990, he worked as a Hydrographic Surveyor with Stolt Offshore and was involved in all survey related tasks, including subsea construction and engineering. From 1998, after reaching a senior offshore position, Andrew left to provide consultancy services, both onshore and offshore, to many Operators, Offshore Contractors, Survey Companies and manufacturers on a global basis. Director of Sales for Nautronix from 2005 to 2007, he then joined DOF Subsea as Business Development Manager in February 2007 to get back to his roots with offshore contracting. He joined NCS Survey in February 2009 with responsibility to develop and grow the company to the next level on a global basis.</i>		
14:20	Annulus Integrity Management	flexlife Limited	Carl-Petter Halvorsen, Business Development Director
	<i>Carl-Petter Halvorsen has more than 30 years of experience in the subsea part of the Oil & Gas business, all related to the Engineering, Design, Procurement and Installation of rigid or flexible pipes. He started off with Ugland Offshore, which later became DSND, and later became Subsea7. He left them in 1998 and joined Wellstream as General Manager of their Norwegian office. When Wellstream was sold off in 2004, he left and moved to Aberdeen to become a freelancer, helping companies with new and innovative products to penetrate the oil & gas market. Two years ago he became one of the founders of flexlife Ltd. based in Aberdeen. Carl-Petter is responsible for developing and growing the flexlife in the International market.</i>		
14:45	CONFERENCE CLOSES		

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2009/10

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