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Attached herewith is a copy of an announcement released to the NZX by Contact Energy today.

Origin Energy holds 53.09% of quoted ordinary shares in Contact Energy Limited.

Regards

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Appointment of General Counsel

Contact Energy Limited (Contact) is pleased to announce that Catherine Thompson, Head of Regulatory Affairs and Government Relations has been appointed to the role of General Counsel while Deputy Company Secretary, Shehnaz Hajati has assumed the role of Company Secretary.

Catherine has been with Contact since 2010 and has a strong legal and regulatory background and extensive understanding and experience of the energy sector.

The appointments are effective from 6 November 2014.

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