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Dear Sir,

BEACH ENERGY LIMITED'S TAKEOVER: FORM 604 – NOTICE OF CHANGE OF INTERESTS OF SUBSTANTIAL HOLDER

Beach Energy Ltd (ASX: BPT) ABN 20 007 617 969 advises that its current substantial holding in Impress Energy Limited (ASX: ITC) has increased from 62.27% to 63.32%.

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Form 604 Corporations Act 2001 Section 671B

Notice of change of interests of substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme	Impress Energ	gy Limited
ACN/ARSN	009 212 319	
1. Details of substantial holder (1) Name	Beach Energy	y Limited
ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	007 617 969	
There was a change in the interests of the substantial holder on The previous notice was given to the core The previous notice was dated		24/12/2010 22/12//2010 22/12//2010

2. Previous and present voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in when last required, and when now required, to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme, are as follows:

ſ	Class of securities (4)	Previous notice		Present notice	
	Class of securilies (4)	Person's votes	Voting power (5)	Person's votes	Voting power (5)
ſ	Ordinary	552,111,926	62.27%	561,364,816	63.32%

3. Changes in relevant interests

Particulars of each change in, or change in the nature of, a relevant interest of the substantial holder or an associate in voting securities of the company or scheme, since the substantial holder was last required to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme are as follows:

Date of change	Person whose relevant interest changed	Nature of change (6)	Consideration given in relation to change (7)	Class and number of securities affected	Person's votes affected
22/12/2010	Beach Energy Limited	Acceptances under Beach on market takeover offer announced on 6 December 2010	\$366,104.44	4,307,111 ordinary shares	4,307,111
23/12/2010	Beach Energy Limited	Acceptances under Beach on market takeover offer announced on 6 December 2010	\$352,353.99	4,145,341 ordinary shares	4,145,341
24/12/2010	Beach Energy Limited	Acceptances under Beach on market takeover offer announced on 6 December 2010	\$68,037.23	800,438 ordinary shares	800,438

4. Present relevant interests

Particulars of each relevant interest of the substantial holder in voting securities after the change are as follows:

Holder of	Registered	Person entitled	Nature of	Class and	Person's votes
relevant	holder of	to be registered	relevant	number of	
interest	securities	as holder (8)	interest (6)	securities	
Beach Energy Limited	Beach Energy Limited		Relevant interest under s608(1) of Corporations Act	491,249,184	491,249,184

Beach Energy Limited	Chesser Nominees Pty Ltd	Relevant interest under s608(1) of Corporations Act as a result of on market purchases	2,675,000	2,675,000
Beach Energy Limited	Zero Nominees Pty Ltd	Relevant interest under s608(1) of Corporations Act as a result of on market purchases	41,440,632	41,440,632
Beach Energy Limited	Tristania Holdings Pty Ltd	Relevant interest under s608(1) of Corporations Act as a result of off market purchases	7,519,859	7,519,859
Beach Energy Limited	Fishgills Pty Ltd	Relevant interest under s608(1) of Corporations Act as a result of off market purchases	18,480,141	18,480,141

5. Changes in association

The persons who have become associates (2) of, ceased to be associates of, or have changed the nature of their association (9) with, the substantial holder in relation to voting interests in the company or scheme are as follows:

Name and applicable)	ACN/ARSN	(if	Nature of association

6. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
Beach Energy Limited	25 Conyngham Street Glenside SA 5065
Chesser Nominees Pty Ltd	Level 3, 100 Pirie Street Adelaide SA 5000
Zero Nominees Pty Ltd	PO Box Z5036 Perth Street Georges Terrace WA 6831
Tristiana Holdings Pty Itd	Suite 1, 16-18 Stirling Highway, Nedlands, WA 6009
Fishgills Pty Ltd	Suite 1, 16-18 Stirling Highway, Nedlands, WA 6009

Signature

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capacity Company Secretary

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29/12/2010

date