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Australian Foundation Investment Company Limited Notice of Initial Substantial Holder

Dear Sir / Madam

Please find attached a Form 603, a notice of initial substantial holder, for Senex Energy Limited (SXY).

Yours faithfully

Simon Pordage

Company Secretary

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Corporations Act 2001 Section 671B

Notice of initial substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme Senex Energy Limited

ACN/ARSN 008 942 827

1. Details of substantial holder (1)

Name Australian Foundation Investment Company Limited (AFIC)

ACN/ARSN (if applicable) 004 147 120

The holder became a substantial holder on 15/03/11

2. Details of 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 on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Class of securities (4)	Number of securities	Person's votes (5)	Voting power (6)
Ordinary shares	rdinary shares 33,740,284		5.01%

3. Details of relevant interests

The nature of the relevant interest the substantial holder or an associate had in the following voting securities on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Nature of relevant interest (7)	Class and number of securities
AFIC	Owner	33,740,284 Ordinary shares

4. Details of present registered holders

The persons registered as holders of the securities referred to in paragraph 3 above are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Class and number of securities
AFIC	AFIC	AFIC	33,740,284 Ordinary shares

5. Consideration

The consideration paid for each relevant interest referred to in paragraph 3 above, and acquired in the four months prior to the day that the substantial holder became a substantial holder is as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Date of acquisition	Consideration (9)		Class and number of securities
		Cash	Non-cash	
See Annexure A				

6. Associates

The reasons the persons named in paragraph 3 above are associates of the substantial holder are as follows:

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

7. Addresses

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

Name	Addres	SS						
AFIC	Level	21,	101	Collins	Street,	Melb,	VIC,	3000

Signature

print name Simon Pordage

capacity Company Secretary

sign here

date 17 / 03 / 2011

DIRECTIONS

- (1) If there are a number of substantial holders with similar or related relevant interests (eg. a corporation and its related corporations, or the manager and trustee of an equity trust), the names could be included in an annexure to the form. If the relevant interests of a group of persons are essentially similar, they may be referred to throughout the form as a specifically named group if the membership of each group, with the names and addresses of members is clearly set out in paragraph 7 of the form
- (2) See the definition of "associate" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (3) See the definition of "relevant interest" in sections 608 and 671B(7) of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (4) The voting shares of a company constitute one class unless divided into separate classes.
- (5) The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme (if any) that the person or an associate has a relevant interest in.
- (6) The person's votes divided by the total votes in the body corporate or scheme multiplied by 100.
- (7) Include details of:
 - (a) any relevant agreement or other circumstances by which the relevant interest was acquired. If subsection 671B(4) applies, a copy of any document setting out the terms of any relevant agreement, and a statement by the person giving full and accurate details of any contract, scheme or arrangement, must accompany this form, together with a written statement certifying this contract, scheme or arrangement; and
 - (b) any qualification of the power of a person to exercise, control the exercise of, or influence the exercise of, the voting powers or disposal of the securities to which the relevant interest relates (indicating clearly the particular securities to which the qualification applies).

See the definition of "relevant agreement" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.

- (8) If the substantial holder is unable to determine the identity of the person (eg. if the relevant interest arises because of an option) write "unknown".
- (9) Details of the consideration must include any and all benefits, money and other, that any person from whom a relevant interest was acquired has, or may, become entitled to receive in relation to that acquisition. Details must be included even if the benefit is conditional on the happening or not of a contingency. Details must be included of any benefit paid on behalf of the substantial holder or its associate in relation to the acquisitions, even if they are not paid directly to the person from whom the relevant interest was acquired.

This is the **Annexure A** of 1 page referred to in the Form 603 (Notice of Initial Substantial Shareholder) in relation to Australian Foundation Investment Company Limited (ACN 004 174 120) dated 17 March 2011.

Simon Pordage 17 March 2011

Consideration

Holder of Relevant Interest	Date of Acquisition	Considerati	Class & Number of Securities	
		Cash	Non-Cash	
AFIC	25/11/10	\$11,464,000.08	N/A	30,983,784
				Ordinary shares
AFIC	11/03/11	\$139,547.79	N/A	370,000
				Ordinary shares
AFIC	14/03/11	\$103,735.79	N/A	274,755
				Ordinary shares
AFIC	15/03/11	\$411,833.59	N/A	1,073,950
				Ordinary shares