Rule 3.19A.2

# Appendix 3Y

# Change of Director's Interest Notice

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Name of entity	OIL SEARCH LIMITED
ABN	055 079 868

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.2 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

Name of Director	MR PETER ROBERT BOTTEN
Date of last notice	07 JANUARY 2011

#### Part 1 - Change of director's relevant interests in securities

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (i) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Direct or indirect interest	TRANSFER OF DIRECTLY HELD ORDINARY SHARES TO AN INDIRECT HOLDING - NO CHANGE TO THE NUMBER OF ORDINARY SHARES HELD
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder)  Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.	TRANSFER OF 165,873 DIRECTLY HELD ORDINARY SHARES TO MAITLAND PARK HOLDINGS PTY LTD (BOTTEN FAMILY S/F A/C), AN ACCOUNT INDIRECTLY HELD BY MR PETER ROBERT BOTTEN
Date of change	15 MARCH 2011
No. of securities held prior to change	1,894,599 ORDINARY SHARES
Class	ORDINARY SHARES
Number acquired	NIL
Number disposed	NIL

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Value/Consideration  Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation	NIL
No. of securities held after change	1,894,599 ORDINARY SHARES
Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back	NA

### Part 2 – Change of director's interests in contracts

Note: In the case of a company, interests which come within paragraph (ii) of the definition of "notifiable interest of a director" should be disclosed in this part.

Detail of contract	NA
Detail of Contract	INA
Nature of interest	NA
Name of registered holder	NA
(if issued securities)	
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Date of change	NA
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No. and class of securities to which	NT A
	NA
interest related prior to change  Note: Details are only required for a contract in	
relation to which the interest has changed	
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Interest acquired	NA
Interest disposed	NA
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Value/Consideration	NA
Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and an estimated valuation	
Interest after change	NA
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## Part 3 – +Closed period

Were the interests in the securities or contracts detailed	NO
above traded during a +closed period where prior written	
clearance was required?	
If so, was prior written clearance provided to allow the trade to proceed during this period?	NA
If prior written clearance was provided, on what date was this provided?	NA

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