

# Notification of dividend / distribution

### Update Summary

#### **Entity name**

WOODSIDE PETROLEUM LIMITED

Security on which the Distribution will be paid WPL - ORDINARY FULLY PAID

Announcement Type Update to previous announcement

### **Date of this announcement** Friday February 26, 2016

### **Reason for the Update**

The exchange rates used for converting the dividend into the payment currencies on the record date, Wednesday, 24 February 2016, are now available.

### Refer to below for full details of the announcement

### Announcement Details

Part 1 - Entity and announcement details

# 1.1 Name of +Entity WOODSIDE PETROLEUM LIMITED

# 1.2 Registered Number Type ABN

55004898962

Registration Number

# 1.3 ASX issuer code WPL

### 1.4 The announcement is

Update/amendment to previous announcement

### 1.4a Reason for update to a previous announcement

The exchange rates used for converting the dividend into the payment currencies on the record date, Wednesday, 24 February 2016, are now available.

### 1.4b Date of previous announcement(s) to this update

Wednesday February 17, 2016

# 1.5 Date of this announcement

Friday February 26, 2016



# 1.6 ASX +Security Code WPL

ASX +Security Description ORDINARY FULLY PAID

Part 2A - All dividends/distributions basic details

# 2A.1 Type of dividend/distribution

Ordinary

2A.2 The Dividend/distribution: relates to a period of six months

2A.3 The dividend/distribution relates to the financial reporting or payment period ending ended/ending (date)

Thursday December 31, 2015

2A.4 +Record Date Wednesday February 24, 2016

2A.5 Ex Date Monday February 22, 2016

2A.6 Payment Date Friday April 8, 2016

2A.7 Are any of the below approvals required for the dividend/distribution before business day 0 of the timetable?

- Security holder approval
- Court approval
- Lodgement of court order with +ASIC
- ACCC approval
- FIRB approval
- Another approval/condition external to the entity required before business day 0 of the timetable for the dividend/distribution.

No

**2A.8 Currency in which the dividend/distribution is made ("primary currency")** USD - US Dollar

2A.9 Total dividend/distribution payment amount per +security (in primary currency) for all dividends/distributions notified in this form USD 0.43000000

2A.9a AUD equivalent to total dividend/distribution amount per +security 0.59880240

**2A.9b If AUD equivalent not known, date for information to be released** Friday February 26, 2016

Estimated or Actual? Actual

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2A.9c FX rate (in format AUD 1.00 / primary currency rate): AUD AUD 1.00	FX rate (in format AUD rate/primary currency rate) Primary Currency rate USD 0.71810000
2A.10 Does the entity have arrangements relating to the currency in which the dividend/distribution is paid to securityholders that it wishes to disclose to the market? Yes	
2A.11 Does the entity have a securities plan for dividends/distributions on this +security? We have a Dividend/Distribution Reinvestment Plan (DRP)	
2A.11a If the +entity has a DRP, is the DRP applicable to this dividend/distribution? Yes	2A.11a(i) DRP Status in respect of this dividend/distribution Full DRP
2A.12 Does the +entity have tax component information apart from franking?	

### Part 2B - Currency Information

2B.1 Does the entity default to payment in certain currencies dependent upon certain attributes such as the banking instruction or registered address of the +securityholder? (For example NZD to residents of New Zealand and/or USD to residents of the U.S.A.). Yes

### 2B.2 Please provide a description of your currency arrangements

Woodside dividends are determined and declared in US dollars. However, shareholders will receive their dividend in Australian dollars unless their registered address is in the United Kingdom, where they will receive their dividend in British pounds, or in the United States, where they will receive their dividend in US dollars.

Shareholders who reside outside of the United States can elect to receive their dividend in US dollars, payable into a US financial institution account.

Shareholders must make an election to alter their dividend currency on or before the election date of 25 February 2016 by contacting the Woodside share registry on 1300 558 507 (within Australia) or +61 3 9415 4632 (outside Australia).

Currency conversion will be based on the foreign currency exchange rates on the record date of 24 February 2016.

### 2B.2a Other currency/currencies in which the dividend/distribution will be paid:

AUD - Australian Dollar	AUD 0.59880240
GBP - Pound Sterling	GBP 0.30760479



### 2B.2b Please provide the exchange rates used for non-primary currency payments

AUD/USD 0.7181 GBP/USD 1.39789761

2B.2c If payment currency equivalent and exchange rates not known, date for information to be released Actual

**Estimated or Actual?** 

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2B.3 Can the securityholder choose to receive a currency different to the currency they would receive under the default arrangements?

Yes

2B.3a Please describe what choices are available to a securityholder to receive a currency different to the currency they would receive under the default arrangements

Shareholders who reside outside of the United States can elect to receive their dividend in US dollars, payable into a US financial institution account.

Shareholders must make an election to alter their dividend currency on or before the election date of 25 February 2016 by contacting the Woodside share registry on 1300 558 507 (within Australia) or +61 3 9415 4632 (outside Australia).

Currency conversion will be based on the foreign currency exchange rates on the record date of 24 February 2016.

2B.3b Date and time by which any document or communication relating to the above arrangements must be received in order to be effective for this dividend/distribution

Thursday February 25, 2016 20:00:00

### 2B.3c Please provide, or indicate where relevant forms can be obtained and how and where they must be lodged

Contact the Woodside share registry on 1300 558 507 (within Australia) or +61 3 9415 4632 (outside Australia).

### Part 3A - Ordinary dividend/distribution

3A.1 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution estimated at this time? No	3A.1a Ordinary dividend/distribution estimated amount per +security USD
3A.1b Ordinary Dividend/distribution amount pe security USD 0.43000000	r
3A.2 Is the ordinary dividend/distribution franked? Yes	3A.2a Is the ordinary dividend/distribution fully franked? Yes

3A.3 Percentage of ordinary dividend/distribution that is franked	3A.3a Applicable corporate tax rate for franking credit (%)
100.0000 %	30.0000 %
3A.4 Ordinary dividend/distribution franked amount per +security USD 0.43000000	3A.5 Percentage amount of dividend which is unfranked 0.0000 %
3A.6 Ordinary dividend/distribution unfranked amount per +security excluding conduit foreign income amount USD 0.00000000	
3A.7 Ordinary dividend/distribution conduit foreign income amount per security USD 0.00000000	
art 4A - +Dividend reinvestment plan (DRP)	
4A.1 What is the default option if +security holde participate in the DRP?	ers do not indicate whether they want to
Do not participate in DRP (i.e. cash payment)	
<b>4A.2 Last date and time for lodgement of</b> <b>election notices to share registry under DRP</b> Thursday February 25, 2016 20:00:00	<b>4A.3 DRP discount rate</b> 1.5000 %
4A.4 Period of calculation of reinvestment price	
Start Date	End Date
Monday February 29, 2016	Tuesday March 29, 2016
4A.5 DRP price calculation methodology	
	issued shares at a share price incorporating a 1.5 per cent ays, commencing on 29 February 2016, and otherwise in
4A.6 DRP Price (including any discount):	4A.7 DRP +securities +issue date
USD	Friday April 8, 2016
4A.8 Will DRP +securities be a new issue? Yes	4A.8a Do DRP +securities rank pari passu from +issue date? Yes
<b>4A.9 Is there a minimum dollar amount or numbe</b> No	er of +securities required for DRP participation?
<b>4A.10 Is there a maximum dollar amount or num</b>	ber of +securities required for DRP participation?
<b>4A.11 Are there any other conditions applying to</b> No	DRP participation?



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## 4A.12 Link to a copy of the DRP plan rules

http://www.woodside.com.au/Investors-Media/Shareholders-Services/Pages/Dividend-Reinvest ment-Plan.aspx

### 4A.13 Further information about the DRP

Refer to Woodside's ASX announcement on 17 February 2016 "2015 Final Dividend and Dividend Reinvestment Plan Information" for more information.

The DRP Rules have been updated.

# Part 5 - Further information

### 5.1 Please provide any further information applicable to this dividend/distribution

### 5.2 Additional information for inclusion in the Announcement Summary