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Sent: Tuesday, 18 May 2021 1:25 PM
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: Schlumberger Multiclient
Subject: RE: [Ext] When is a convenient time to have a chat?

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Good afternoon [REDACTED],

As discussed, NOPSEMA is intending to apply for a Monitoring Warrant under the provisions of section 32 of the Regulatory Powers (Standard Provisions) Act 2014 (RP ACT). Section 32 allows for authorised NOPSEMA officers to enter premises and exercise monitoring powers outlined in Part 2, Division 2 of the RP Act.

Ordinarily, NOPSEMA would utilise powers under Schedule 2A of the Offshore Petroleum and Greenhouse Gas Storage Act 2006 (OPGGGS Act) to conduct an environmental inspection, however Schedule 2A applies to the regulated business premises of current titleholders. As discussed during our phone call this morning, the SPA titles issued to Schlumberger expired on 26 May 2020, Schlumberger is not a current titleholder and the provision of Schedule 2A of the OPGGS Act do not apply.

As such NOPSEMA will be seeking to apply for a Monitoring Warrant to lawfully to ascertain compliance with the Otway Basin 2DMC Marine Seismic Survey Environment Plan.

An Inspection Brief will be provided to Schlumberger to identify and collate the required documents and information in order to streamline the inspection process and minimise intrusion on Schlumberger operations.

Please let me know if you have any further questions or wish to discuss. Otherwise I will issue the brief to you with the list of documents either late today or tomorrow morning.

Regards,
[REDACTED]

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Subject: Re: [Ext] When is a convenient time to have a chat?

[REDACTED],

Thanks for your email.

I just had a quick discussion with our legal. Is it possible to provide a small email summary of the process around requirement of warrant in context to the inspection of our Otway EP compliance?

Regards,
Kunal

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Good morning [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] from NOPSEMA here. I've been trying to call you to have a chat. Please let me know when would be a convenient time to call you. I have availability at 1pm and after 3pm.

Also please provide me a number to call you on.

Regards
[REDACTED]



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