



2000 Annual Report Canada - Nova Scotia Benefits



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Congratulations Nova Scotia!

Thirty years ago, when natural gas was first discovered beneath the harsh North Atlantic, near Sable Island, harnessing that energy was a distant dream. An undertaking of such magnitude would present insurmountable challenges, said the skeptics.

Congratulations Nova Scotia! In partnership with Sable Offshore Energy Inc. you proved them wrong. Today, Sable Offshore Energy is a reality -- Canada's first offshore natural gas project, drawing a resource from 5,000 meters below the ocean floor.

December 31, 1999 saw the first Nova Scotian natural gas ever produced flow through the Maritimes and Northeast Pipeline to markets in the Northeastern United States and, later in 2000, to Canada's Maritime provinces. More than three decades of hard work and perseverance finally paid off and after one year of operations, Sable Offshore Energy Inc. (SOEI) produced more than 130 billion cubic feet of natural gas.

But Sable's success and the success of Nova Scotia extends well beyond the actual production of natural gas. Early on in the Project, SOEI made a commitment to work in partnership with Nova Scotians, to aid in the development of a sustainable and successful natural gas industry in Nova Scotia. Initiatives like the transfer of skills, knowledge, and equipment from experienced international oil and gas companies through partnerships with local Nova Scotian companies have gone a long way to making that goal a reality. Commitments to research and development, to training and education programs and to diversity and inclusion initiatives have also contributed.

During 2000, for instance, technology transfer initiatives were valued in excess of \$7.6 million and **cumulative expenditures related to technology transfer since 1998 has exceeded \$8.9 million.** That transfer of expertise has resulted in an increasingly competitive workforce and industry.

The year 2000 also saw \$172.1 million, or 47.3% of all Sable expenditures spent in Nova Scotia resulting in a cumulative total since the beginning of the Project of almost \$800 million invested in Nova Scotia. This is significantly above the original estimate of just over \$600 million, exceeding original estimates of expenditures in Nova Scotia by approximately \$200 million.

Additionally, total research and development investments in Nova Scotia by SOEI, its owner companies and contractors, during the year 2000, was over \$4.6 million. **The total cumulative investment in research and development since 1995 has now exceeded \$17.4 million.**

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Integral to building a sustainable industry, and therefore a priority of Sable Offshore Energy Inc., is continuously investing in the development of a human resource base in Nova Scotia. **During 2000, for instance, over \$3.2 million was invested in training and education initiatives, for a cumulative total of**

over \$15.9 million. These investment totals include SOEI's support of an active co-op/work placement program, internal development of our employees, as well as commitments to community training and educational programs across the province.

For Sable Offshore Energy Inc., the year 2000 saw a shift from construction and development to operations. During the third quarter of 2000, drilling work for SOEI wound down as the Project's tenth well was completed. SOEI's operations team focused on fine-tuning and optimizing SOEI's onshore and offshore facilities. In total, **over 2.6 million person hours were worked in 2000, 87% of which were Nova Scotian.**

All of this success was possible only because of a healthy partnership between Nova Scotia and SOEI. Congratulations Nova Scotia! Your success is well deserved.

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1.0 Introduction

The Canada-Nova Scotia Benefits 2000 Annual Report (Annual Report) for the Sable Offshore Energy Project (SOEP) is hereby submitted to the Canada-Nova Scotia Offshore Petroleum Board, in accordance with the requirements under Section 2.6 and Condition #9 of the *Canada-Nova Scotia Offshore Petroleum Board Benefits Plan Decision Report* dated December 3, 1997 (for implementation effective December 30, 1997).

This Annual Report addresses Sable Offshore Energy Project (the Project) benefits activities for the period of January 1, 2000 to December 31, 2000, and has been prepared and submitted by Sable Offshore Energy Inc. (SOEI), a company incorporated by the Sable Offshore Energy Project (SOEP) Proponents to conduct and operate the Project.

2.0 Operations Update

2000 was an exciting year for SOEI and all those who helped make it a reality. Some of the major milestones that were reached during 2000 included the commissioning of the Thebaud wells and start of production at both the North Triumph and Venture Platforms. Production was achieved from a total of six wells at three separate fields (Thebaud, Venture, and North Triumph). Daily production of raw natural gas and natural gas liquids began to show significant increases in average production. Condensate production at the Point Tupper Fractionation Plant began and rail cars were loaded with butane and propane for the first time.

As 2000 progressed, SOEI operations continued toward a "steady-state" and increases in production levels were maintained. Through much of June, the production of natural

gas stabilized at levels approaching 10,000 e3m3/day (350 MMSCF/D). Despite the steady increase in production flow, there were a number of operational and start-up challenges and optimization issues, including the use of large quantities of MEG and methanol to prevent hydrates from blocking production. Production achieved record levels of over 11 million m3/d of sales gas and over 1000 m3/d of liquids production in November.

2000 saw drilling work for SOEI wind down as Sable's tenth well was completed and the drilling team moved on to other oil and gas projects. SOEI's focus then shifted to optimizing operations at both SOEI's onshore and offshore facilities. Operations began to concentrate on bringing the rest of the facilities on line, and plans to start the turboexpander process to achieve higher propane rates were realized. This, however, was only partially achieved due to mechanical problems with the turboexpander equipment at Goldboro. Plans for replacement of the fibreglass reinforced plastic (FRP) firewater systems at Thebaud and Venture were advanced and the replacement work for Thebaud began.

2000 saw a contract for Sable's operations engineering services awarded. Business relationships with SOEI's operations general services contractor and supply chain contractor were also cemented.

Of final note for 2000 was the commencement of the procurement process for the pre-engineering of the Alma Development.



3.0 Canada-Nova Scotia Content

3.1 Expenditure Content

During 2000, Nova Scotia and the rest of Canada were very successful in the competitive bidding process. During 2000, over three quarters of the investment made by SOEI was made in Nova Scotia (\$172.1 million) and Other Canadian (all Canadian provinces and territories other than Nova Scotia) (\$102.3 million). The balance, Foreign, was only \$89.5 million. Proportionally for the year 2000, Nova Scotia received 47.3% of SOEI's investments, 28.1% was received by the rest Canada and 24.6% internationally.

Expenditure Content for 2000
(in \$ millions)

	Nova Scotian	Other Canadian	Foreign	Total
Total for 2000	\$172.1	\$102.3	\$89.5	\$363.9
Percentage of Total	47.3%	28.1%	24.6%	100.0%

At the end of 2000, total cumulative expenditures in Nova Scotia reached almost \$800 million (\$795.2 million). During the fourth quarter of 2000, proportional investment in Nova Scotia continued to be very strong at 57.5%.

While the 57.5% investment in Nova Scotia during the fourth quarter is impressive, it is partially the result of some corrective reporting from previous quarters. During the fourth quarter of 2000, SOEI conducted an internal review/spot check of benefits submissions from major vendors as part of SOEI's ongoing commitment to providing accurate, timely and meaningful benefits information to the public. This review brought to light some inconsistencies in benefits reporting on the parts of some contractors and adjustments were made in the fourth quarter to correct the cumulative totals. The net effect of these adjustments was a reduction of the total Foreign content, mostly in favour of the Other Canadian content and slightly increasing Nova Scotia content.

Also of interest in the fourth quarter was the fact that SOEI utilized the goods and services of 430 vendors who had no foreign content at all, yet made up almost one third of the total expenditures for the quarter. Finally, there were 116 new vendors in the fourth quarter that provided comparatively little (in relation to the cumulative percentages) Foreign content, generating benefits almost equal to Nova Scotia and the rest of Canada.

These factors are the major contributors to the very low Foreign content and very high Other Canadian content for the fourth quarter.

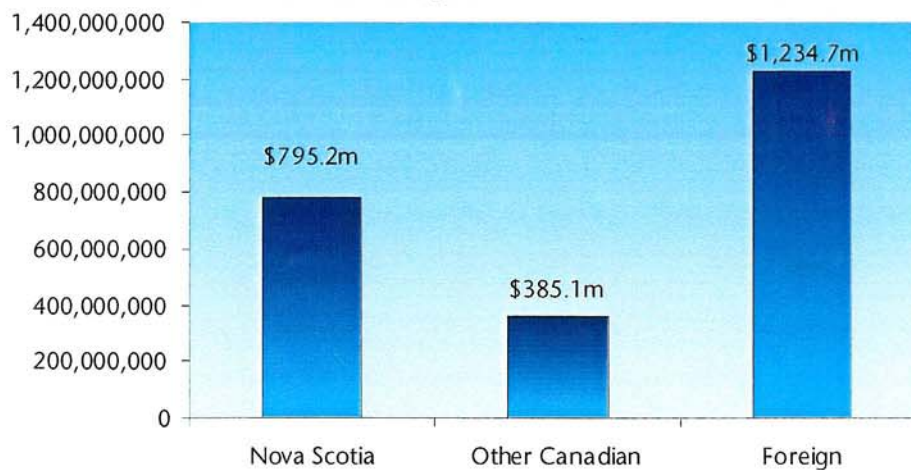


Please see the table and bar chart below for expenditure content breakdown. Please see Appendix 1 for details on cumulative investments that exceed \$50,000 Cdn., by vendor.

Expenditure Content
(in \$ millions)

	Nova Scotia	Other Canadian	Foreign	Totals
Cumulative to December 31, 1998	218.0	166.5	596.7	981.2
Percentage of Total	22.2 %	17.0 %	60.8 %	100.0 %
Cumulative to December 31, 1999	623.1	282.8	1,145.2	2,051.1
Percentage of Total	30.4 %	13.8 %	55.8 %	100.0 %
First Quarter 2000	29.5	41.6	49.7	120.8
Percentage of Total	24.4 %	34.5 %	41.1 %	100.0 %
Second Quarter 2000	63.8	26.2	31.0	121.0
Percentage of Total	52.7 %	21.7 %	25.6 %	100.0 %
Third Quarter 2000	44.8	10.1	8.0	62.9
Percentage of Total	71.2 %	16.1 %	12.7 %	100.0 %
Fourth Quarter 2000	34.0	24.4	0.8	59.2
Percentage of Total	57.5 %	41.2 %	1.3 %	100.0 %
Cumulative to December 31, 2000	795.2	385.1	1,234.7	2,415.0
Percentage of Total	32.9 %	16.0 %	51.1 %	100.0 %

Cumulative Expenditures to December 31, 2000



3.2 Exceeding Expectations

As we review 2000, we can reflect on the achievements that the Nova Scotia business community had during the construction phase and now the operation of Nova Scotia's, and in fact Canada's, first offshore natural gas project.

Prior to receiving sanction for the Project, the Proponents for the Sable Offshore Energy Project produced estimates of the expenditures expected to be made in Nova Scotia, the rest of Canada, and outside Canada (Foreign). It is important to note that these estimates were made realizing their accuracy was limited to $\pm 25\%$.

The estimated expenditure in Nova Scotia at the end of Phase I construction was 34%. This calculation, however, did not include 20% of the total estimated expenditures. Specifically, \$400 million of the estimated \$2 billion total expenditure was excluded from this calculation as these expenditures could not have occurred in Nova Scotia (e.g. insurance, foreign exchange, etc.). **Our current reporting methodology, however, includes all costs, and if we recalculate using this methodology the previous 34% at the end of Phase I construction is really 28.4% which is significantly below our current level of 32.9% Nova Scotian expenditure.**

While these estimates were made long ago and a lot has happened since then, to date, the Nova Scotia business community has far exceeded these early estimates. **Looking at the table and chart below, the early predictions were that**

Nova Scotia would have expenditures of just over \$600 million from Sable by the end of year 2000. In fact, almost \$800 million in expenditures were made in Nova Scotia, exceeding original estimates by almost \$200 million. **These expenditures are the direct benefits to Nova Scotia!** The indirect benefits are significant, but difficult to quantify (and are not included in these numbers), but economic analysts cite the development of the offshore as a major factor in the growth of the Nova Scotian economy. Nova Scotians are clearly benefiting economically from the development of these offshore resources.

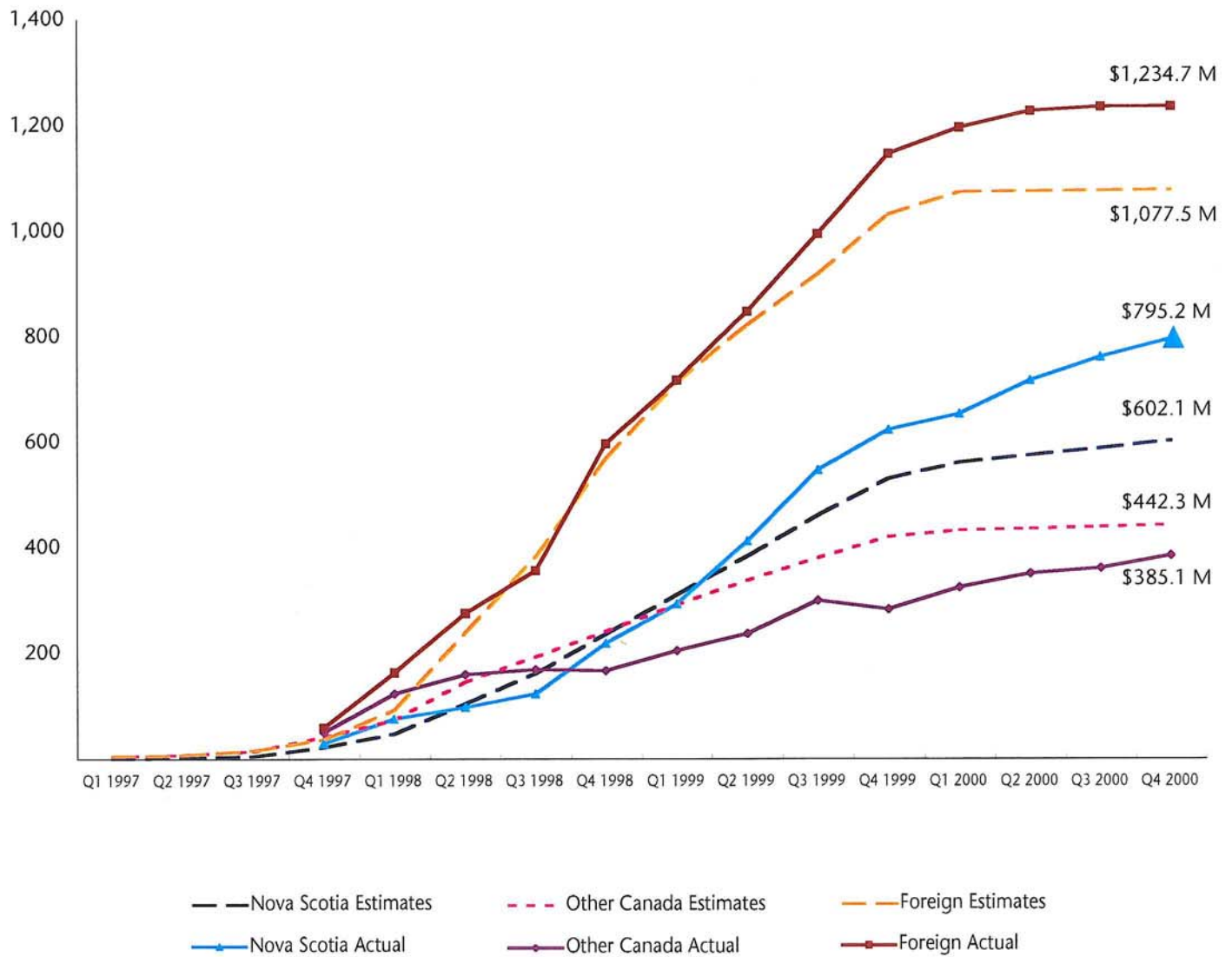
Almost half of the total expenditures made by Sable Offshore Energy Inc. since inception have been Canadian (Nova Scotia and Other Canadian), at 48.9%! This is something to be extremely proud of in an area that had no offshore natural gas industry four years ago.

As we move forward, Sable Offshore Energy Inc. will continue to adhere to the principles of Full and Fair Opportunity and First Consideration to Nova Scotians as we bid work on a globally competitive basis. The Nova Scotia business community has been very successful to date and is well positioned to build on this success into the future.

Estimates and Actuals for the Years 1997 to 2000

Year	Nova Scotia		Other Canadian		Total Canadian		Foreign		Total	
	Estimate	Actual	Estimate	Actual	Estimate	Actual	Estimate	Actual	Estimate	Actual
1997	21.0	28.6	41.1	49.8	62.1	78.4	35.8	58.5	97.9	136.9
1998	235.5	218.0	241.0	166.5	476.5	384.5	568.2	596.8	1,044.7	981.3
1999	530.2	623.1	419.8	282.8	950.0	905.9	1,030.6	1,145.2	1,980.6	2,051.1
2000	602.1	795.2	442.3	385.1	1,044.4	1,180.3	1,077.5	1,234.7	2,121.9	2,415.0

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Estimates (Post Sanction) vs. Actuals to Q4 2000



3.3 Labour Content

In 2000, SOEI registered over 2.6 million person hours (2,680,000) of which 87.0% were Nova Scotian, 9.3% were Other Canadian and only 3.7% were Foreign.

During the fourth quarter of 2000, SOEI registered in excess of 170,000 person hours. In this total is an adjustment of hours that were made after an internal audit was performed on major

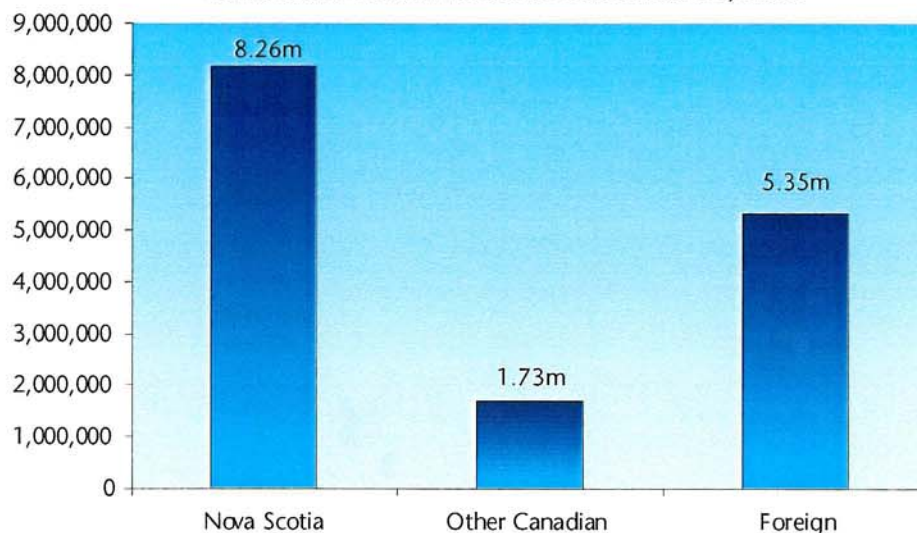
vendor submissions to SOEI. This adjustment has left the quarterly labour hours for Other Canadian in a negative position.

The content breakdown for person hours is illustrated in the table and bar chart below. Please see Appendix 2 for a detailed breakdown of person hours by vendor.

Person Hours
(in millions of person hours)

	Nova Scotia	Other Canadian	Foreign	Totals
Cumulative to December 31, 1998	2.70	1.00	2.91	6.61
Percentage of Total	40.85 %	15.13 %	44.02 %	100.00 %
Cumulative to December 31, 1999	5.93	1.48	5.25	12.66
Percentage of Total	46.84 %	11.69 %	41.47 %	100.00 %
First Quarter 2000	1.22	0.19	0.04	1.45
Percentage of Total	84.14 %	13.10 %	2.76 %	100.00 %
Second Quarter 2000	0.57	0.05	0.03	0.65
Percentage of Total	87.69 %	7.69 %	4.62 %	100.00 %
Third Quarter 2000	0.37	0.03	0.01	0.41
Percentage of Total	90.24 %	7.32 %	2.44 %	100.00 %
Fourth Quarter 2000	0.17	(0.02)	0.02	0.17
Percentage of Total	102.00 %	(10.85) %	8.85 %	100.00 %
Cumulative to December 31, 2000	8.26	1.73	5.35	15.34
Percentage of Total	53.87 %	11.29 %	34.84 %	100.00 %

Cumulative Person Hours to December 31, 2000

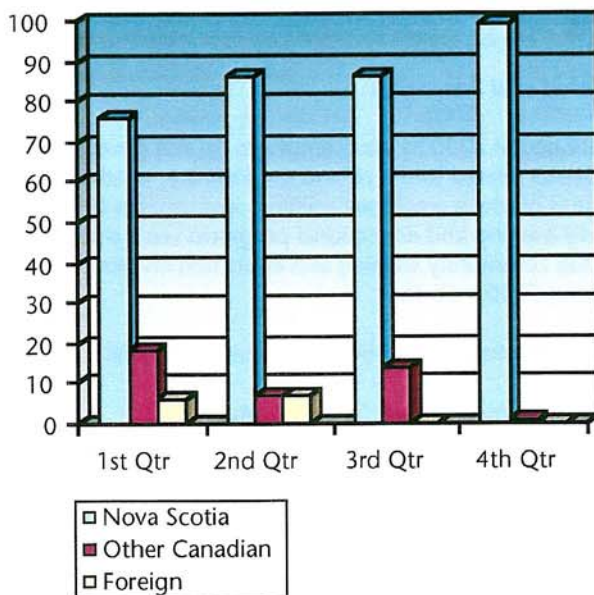


3.4 Residency of New Hires

While the number of New Hires/Secondes was relatively low at the beginning of 2000, it increased significantly as the year progressed. Throughout the year, the ratio of Nova Scotian New Hires/Secondes to the total number of New Hires/Secondes also increased, culminating with a 98.0% ratio in the fourth quarter.

The table and bar chart below shows the benefits breakdown of Residency of New Hires/Secondes for 2000 by quarter.

Residency of New Hires/Secondes by Region - 2000



Activity with two of SOEI's contractors, Accent Engineering and BMS Offshore were responsible for the substantial increases in the number of New Hires/Secondes.

New Hires/Secondes to SOEI and its contractors during the fourth quarter of 2000 totalled 98. Of these new hires, 96 were Nova Scotian, with the remaining two being Other Canadian.

Overall in 2000, there was a total of 201 New Hires/Secondes reported by SOEI and its contractors, 91.0 % of whom were residents of Nova Scotia at the time of hire. Seven percent (7%) were residents of other parts of Canada at the time of hire and only 2.0% of the New Hires/Secondes in 2000 were foreign residents at time of hire.

Residency of New Hires / Secondes by Region - 2000

Quarter	Nova Scotia	Other Canadian	Foreign	Total
First Quarter 2000	13	3	1	17
Second Quarter 2000	37	3	3	43
Third Quarter 2000	37	6	0	43
Fourth Quarter 2000	96	2	0	98
Total for 2000	183	14	4	201

4.0 Building a Sustainable Industry in Nova Scotia

Throughout 2000, SOEI continued to undertake initiatives related to developing and supporting a viable and increasingly sustainable oil and gas industry in Nova Scotia. These initiatives have been divided into four core areas:

- Research and Development
- Training and Education
- Technology Transfer
- Diversity and Inclusion

4.1 Research and Development

During 2000, SOEI, SOEI owner companies and contractors continued to build progressive and long-term relationships with the Nova Scotia research and development (R&D) community.

R & D Symposium/Workshop

SOEI participated in its second annual Research & Development Symposium/Workshop during 2000. Given the growth of the oil and gas industry in Nova Scotia, SOEI encouraged the expansion of the 2000 workshop to include other industry players. This event was co-hosted by the Atlantic Canada Petroleum Institute (ACPI) and the Canadian Association of Petroleum Producers (CAPP). SOEI was a member of the Steering Committee which insured participation of experts from its owner companies.

R&D Call For Proposals Program

2000 also saw the launch of the second annual SOEI R&D Call For Proposals Program. The Program began with placements of advertisements in local newspapers and direct notification of universities and colleges. Seventy-six (76) submissions were received, 24 of which were short-listed and invited to submit formal proposals. Final decisions were made in early 2001.

R&D Investments

Total R&D investment during 2000 was in excess of \$4.6 million, showing a substantial increase of 66.7% from the 1999 total investments. The total cumulative investment in R&D in Nova Scotia since the beginning of 1995 has now exceeded \$17.4 million. During the fourth quarter of 2000, over \$833 thousand was identified in R&D investments.

For further detail on R&D investments made during 2000, please see Appendix 3. The following table shows the current R&D investments, and how they compare with historical investment levels.

Research & Development Investments - Historic

Year	Amount
1995	\$121,500
1996	\$146,000
1997	\$3,888,373
1998	\$5,758,207
1999	\$2,813,428
First Quarter, 2000	\$1,818,845
Second Quarter, 2000	\$1,623,900
Third Quarter, 2000	\$414,041
Fourth Quarter, 2000	\$833,353
Total for 2000	\$4,690,139
Cumulative to end of Fourth Quarter, 2000	\$17,417,647

**Note: Research and development investments identified as those of owner companies may also be reported by owner companies in other reports.*

4.2 Training and Education

SOEI continued in 2000 to place emphasis on skill development in Nova Scotia related to the oil and gas industry. In addition to expenditures made in employee training, investments in community training and educational programs were also made. Some of the community training and education investments made during 2000 included:

- Dalhousie University - Atlantic Universities Geological Conference
- Discovery Centre - Summer Science Camps
- Camp Hill Veteran's Memorial Science Fair
- Atlantic Engineering Competition (Daltech)
- Junior Achievement of Mainland, NS
- Centre for Entrepreneurship Education and Development
- Canadian Youth Business Foundation
- Clean Nova Scotia
- Shad Valley Program
- Acadia Advantage Classroom
- Scientists and Innovators in Schools Program

In total, over \$1.5 million was invested in Training and Education (which includes Co-op/Workplacement Programs and Community Training and Education Investments) during the fourth quarter of 2000.

Summary of Training Investments Fourth Quarter, 2000

Description of Training	Investment
SOEI Internal Training	\$575,377
Major Contractor Training	\$695,451
Co-op Programs	\$90,395
Community Training and Education Investments	\$161,740
Total for Fourth Quarter, 2000	\$1,522,963

**Note: Co-op placements and community training and education investments identified as those of owner companies, may also be reported by owner companies in other reports.*

Cumulative training and education investments at the end of the fourth quarter of 2000 was nearly \$16 million. The following table compares past training and education expenditures with those of 2000.

Training and Education Investments
(including Co-op/Workplacement Programs and Community Training and Education Investments)

Year/Quarter	Amount
1998	\$7,027,316
1999	\$5,635,294
First Quarter, 2000	\$537,895
Second Quarter, 2000	\$615,969
Third Quarter, 2000	\$619,302
Fourth Quarter, 2000	\$1,522,964
Total for 2000	\$3,296,130
Cumulative to end of Fourth Quarter, 2000	\$15,958,740

*Note that previous Benefits Reports reported Training investments that included Technology Transfer investments. The numbers above reflect all previously declared Training investments minus those investments related to Technology Transfer.

Co-op and Work Placements

As part of a continued recognition that education of future employees is a key component of building a sustainable oil and gas industry in Nova Scotia, SOEI, SOEI owner companies and contractors continued support for co-op and work placement programs. During 2000, SOEI, SOEI owner companies and contractors provided 58 co-op and work placement opportunities for students (from varied disciplines) from Nova Scotia academic institutions. The total cost for hosting these students in 2000 was in excess of \$334 thousand.

Since the beginning of 1998, SOEI, its owner companies and contractors can account for in excess of \$900 thousand invested in 155 co-op/work placement opportunities. A detailed table of co-op/work placements for the fourth quarter of 2000 is included as Appendix 4. The following table compares historic investments in co-op/work placement programs with those of 2000.

Co-op/Work Placements

Quarter	# of Placements	Investment
1998	36	\$250,000
1999	61	\$325,263
First Quarter, 2000	10	\$44,250
Second Quarter, 2000	19	\$96,088
Third Quarter, 2000	19	\$103,400
Fourth Quarter, 2000	10	\$90,395
Total for 2000	58	\$334,133
Cumulative to end of Fourth Quarter, 2000	155	\$909,396

Note 1 Placements identified as those of owner companies may also be reported by owner companies in other reports

Note 2 Number of placements should not be confused with number of students. Often, students return for more than one co-op term, and co-op placement terms do not match benefit reporting quarters.

Note 3 Adjustments were made to total # of placements for First Quarter, 2000 as per corrected information received.

Note 4 Adjustments were made to First Quarter-2000 expenditures in the amount of \$15,546

4.3 Technology Transfer

Technology transfer is a vital aspect of developing a sustainable oil and gas industry in Nova Scotia. Technology transfer is equipment or a type of training that reflects knowledge, expertise and skills being transferred to Nova Scotia or other parts of Canada.

During the fourth quarter of 2000, technology transfer accounted for over \$3.4 million, making the total expenditures related to technology transfer in excess of \$7.6 million in 2000. As a result, the total cumulative expenditures related to technology transfer exceeded \$8.9 million as of December 31, 2000.

During 2000, the vast majority of technology transfer occurred in SOEI's operations area and with rig companies.

Appendix 5 details technology transfer during 2000. The following table compares historic technology transfer expenditures to those of 2000.

Technology Transfer Investments

Quarter/Year	Investment
1998	\$972,655
1999	\$391,967
First Quarter, 2000	\$1,546,401
Second Quarter, 2000	\$1,282,431
Third Quarter, 2000	\$1,374,744
Fourth Quarter, 2000	\$3,421,914
Total for 2000	\$7,625,490
Cumulative to end of Fourth Quarter, 2000	\$8,990,112

4.4 Diversity & Inclusion

Voluntary Self-Identification

SOEI's desire to achieve a truly diverse and inclusive workforce cannot be overemphasized. Throughout 2000, SOEI continued its efforts to encourage representation of traditionally underrepresented groups, namely:

- Aboriginal Persons
- Persons with Physical/Mental Challenges
- Racially Visible Persons
- Women

SOEI does not make assumptions about membership in a traditionally underrepresented group. SOEI encourages "voluntary self-identification" which occurs when individuals identify themselves as members of a traditionally underrepresented group on an application/resume and/or proactively to their supervisor/organization, or through other voluntary means.

As 2000 began, the overall number of individuals who self-identified themselves as members of a traditionally underrepresented group remained fairly stable. As the year progressed, however, there was a noticeable increase in the number of people who self-identified themselves as Women.

It is also interesting to note that while there was a significant and natural dip in overall employment on the Project during the third quarter of 2000, the actual number of individuals who had self-identified as a member of a traditionally underrepresented group had actually increased in all categories except for Persons with Physical/Mental Challenges which remained stable. The following table provides a tally of individuals who identified as a member of a traditionally underrepresented group (by quarter), to the end of 2000.

Self-Identified Members of Traditionally Underrepresented Groups

Quarter	Aboriginal Persons	Persons with Physical/Mental Challenges	Racially Visible Persons	Women
First Quarter, 1998	1	1	0	5
Second Quarter, 1998	9	2	6	6
Third Quarter, 1998	19	2	12	16
Fourth Quarter, 1998	22	2	13	30
First Quarter, 1999	20	3	14	30
Second Quarter, 1999	21	0	17	39
Third Quarter, 1999	12	1	6	31
Fourth Quarter, 1999	12	1	9	44
First Quarter, 2000	4	0	7	51
Second Quarter, 2000	9	4	6	42
Third Quarter, 2000	10	4	11	71
Fourth Quarter, 2000	9	4	12	72

Aboriginal Community

As the Project moved from construction into the operational phase, SOEI's strategy for Aboriginal inclusion remained dual-pronged:

- Working with our contractors to enhance opportunities in their organizations
- General capacity building initiatives

Contractor Activity

SOEI held numerous meetings with its larger contractors to work with them to adopt and maintain an Aboriginal inclusion strategy.

As 2000 progressed, SOEI assisted Secunda Marine in the recruitment of an Aboriginal cadet for the Secunda Cadet Program. The initial one-month placement resulted in a long-term, paying position. In addition to this work-placement, two members of the Aboriginal community were also placed in co-op positions.

Capacity Building Initiatives

SOEI was involved in 2000 in assisting the Aboriginal Alliance of Companies (AAC) with capacity development and training. AAC firms completed their safety training courses with the Nova Scotia Construction Safety Association (NSCSA). This training was critical in obtaining their official safety certification from the NSCSA.

SOEI was also actively involved in sponsoring Aboriginal business programs such as the first ever Aboriginal Practice Firm, an initiative that targets Aboriginal persons wishing to enhance their entrepreneurial and business administration skills.

The Practice Firm is designed to offer participants a real-life opportunity to learn about business and update their skills in a professional atmosphere which replicates a real corporation.

Lastly, SOEI invested in the CANDO Conference (Council for the Advancement of Native Development Officers).

Women

Techsploration

In April 2000, the second annual *Techsploration* event took place in Port Hawkesbury at the Strait Area Campus of the Nova Scotia Community College (NSCC). *Techsploration* is a joint initiative of the NSCC, the Apprenticeship Training Division of the Nova Scotia Department of Education and Women In Trades & Technology National Network. SOEI, as well as many of SOEI's contractors, continue to be financial and participatory



Techsploration 2000 participants at Techsploration Day in Port Hawkesbury.

supporters of this program as it is having tremendous success in exposing young women to future careers in trades, technologies and sciences – all areas of high interest to the oil and gas industry. Young women from eight schools, including a First Nations school, participated in the program over a number of months culminating in a two-day conference with their role models and all the other schools. Two female SOEI Operations Associates volunteered as role models.

Hypatia Project

Another project aimed at involving more women in non-traditional careers (of particular interest in the oil and gas industry given the types of careers) in which SOEI participated was the *Hypatia Project*. The *Hypatia Project* complements the *Techsploration* Program in that its focus is identifying and eliminating barriers present for women in secondary education, post-secondary education, in the workplace and in the community.

Racially Visible Community

2000 saw SOEI make a number of investments in the African-Nova Scotian community aimed at increasing the capacity of the community to participate in the oil and gas industry. Of particular note are the funds provided to the New Glasgow Black Community Development Center and general interaction with the African-Canadian Employment Clinic and the Black Business Initiative (BBI).

Physically/Mentally Challenged Community

During 2000, SOEI, SOEI owner companies and contractors made investments in the Canada Mental Health Association and in the Atlantic Provinces Special Education Authority "Millennium Typing Project."

Total investments in Diversity and Inclusion initiatives during 2000 were \$123,956. (Note: some investments were made directly by ExxonMobil.)

A sampling of Diversity and Inclusion initiatives include:

- Techsploration
- Youth Against Racism
- Atlantic Provinces Special Education Authority "Millennium Typing Project" – equipment for visually impaired or blind children
- Hypatia Project
- Canada Mental Health Association
- Nations In A Circle – Aboriginal Art & Culture Showcase
- Black Educators Association
- International Black Business Summit 2000 (BBI)
- Native Council of Nova Scotia – Youth Council
- Secunda Cadet Program
- Antigonish Women's Resource Centre



Techsploration 2000 role models, Cynthia Carpenter & Colleen Bellemore (SOEI Operations Associates - both on left) with school team.

5.0 Community Investments & Participation

Being a good corporate citizen includes contributing to the growth and health of the community. Sable Offshore Energy Inc.'s long-term goal is to develop relationships that contribute to the quality of life in the communities in which we live and work. This means not only providing financial support to charitable and community organizations, but getting its employees directly involved.

Community Investment Program

During 2000, Sable Offshore Energy Inc.'s Community Investment Program provided financial support to charitable organizations in Nova Scotia which focus on education, community support, arts and culture, safety, environment and social welfare. SOEI's program targets our key geographical areas of Guysborough and Antigonish counties, the Strait Area and the Greater Halifax Area.

SOEI contributed more than \$403,972* over the year (\$160,585 during the fourth quarter) to a number of organizations across Nova Scotia including:

- Stan Rogers Festival
- Mulgrave Road Theatre
- Strait Regional School Board
- Pictou-Antigonish Regional Library
- Strait Area Waterfront Development Corporation
- Guysborough County Red Cross Water Safety Program
- Nova Scotia International Tattoo
- Musique Royale

** This number does not include commitments made to Research & Development, Training and Education, or Diversity and Inclusion initiatives.*

- Nova Scotia Nature
- Neptune Theatre
- Nova Scotia Hospital Foundation Festival of Trees
- Strait Richmond Health Care Foundation.

United Way Campaign

During the month of October, Sable Offshore Energy Inc. embarked on a vigorous campaign to raise funds for the United Way. Our goal was to raise \$100,000 for the charity. SOEI employees immediately embraced the campaign and raised money through a car rally, an oil and gas "olympics", a book sale, a silent auction, a chili cook-off, and many other activities. In the end, SOEI raised \$142,000 for the United Way, making it the third largest corporate contributor in Nova Scotia.

Community Inquires & Interaction

Although SOEI's Visitor Information Centre moved its responsibility to operations administration in June of 2000, between January and June, the Centre responded to almost 1,000 inquiries. From June onwards, SOEI's community liaison function was carried out directly from the Goldboro Gas Plant. Monthly Sable Community Advisory Committee meetings have been ongoing, as have community safety and fisheries committee meetings. As well, Sable's community liaison officer has made regular visits to local schools, participated in a number of business and trade fairs and given regular tours of Sable's facilities.



SOEI employees participating in SOEI 2000 United Way Campaign - "The Oil & Gas Olympics"



"The Referees" Sable Regulators participate in the United Way Campaign. Thank-you for your support of the United Way.



John Brannan, SOEI President and General Manager, speaking at "Turn It On" event.

Speeches/Presentations

During 2000, information was communicated directly to hundreds of Nova Scotians at industry and business meetings, conferences, and schools. Some of the forums included:

- Nova Scotia Safety Council
- OTANS
- the Nova Scotia Science Teachers Association

Media Relations

During the fourth quarter of 2000, over 150 media inquiries were fielded by Sable Offshore Energy's Public Affairs team. Over the course of the year, more than 700 inquiries were received by local, national and international media.

Project Summary Video

During the fourth quarter of 2000, SOEI produced a new video entitled "The Story of Sable" which gives an overview of the Sable Project.

Web site – www.soep.com

Over 154,000 web site hits were logged during 2000. An average of four public inquiries a day were fielded via Sable's web site.

Public Opinion Research -- 2000 Overview

During 2000, SOEI commissioned public research through the Corporate Research Association Omnibus Survey. Please see Appendix 6 for a summary of the findings

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Vendor Name	Street Address	City	PR	Ctry	Postal Code	>250K
1997 3D SEISMIC	AS PREVIOUSLY LISTED IN THE 1997 ANNUAL REPORT					
ABORIGINAL RESOURCE	CONSULTANTS	PERTH	NB	CA	EOJ 1V0	*
ACCENT ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS INC	P.O. BOX 2190 EAST	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3W 3Y2	*
ACKLANDS - GRAINGER INC	125 HIGGINS AVE	WINNIPEG	MB	CA	R3B 0B6	
ADAMS PEARSON ASSOCIATES INC	600 521 3 AVENUE S W	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3T3	*
AGENDA MANAGERS INC	5170 DUKE STREET, SUITE 200	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1N7	
AGRA EARTH & ENVIRONMENTAL LIMITED	25 WAGGONERS LANE	FREDERICTON	NB	CA	E3B 2L2	
AGRA SYSTEMS LIMITED	1145 HUNT CLUB ROAD	OTTAWA	ON	CA	K1V 0Y3	
AGRA WHITMAN BENN ENTERPRISES LTD	1874 BRUNSWICK STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2G7	*
AIR CANADA ENROUTE	2550 144 4 AVENUE S W	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3N4	*
AKER GULF MARINE	P.O. BOX C - FM 1069 S.	INGLESIDE	TX	US	78362-1302	*
AKER OIL & GAS TECHNOLOGY UK PLC	AKER MARITIME, AKER HOUSE, BLACKNESS RD	SCOTLAND	ZZ	GB	AB12 3LH	
AL CHADDOCK STUDIO	1790 CAMBRIDGE ST	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3H 4A9	
ALBERTSON ENTERPRISES LTD	566 HAWK FORD WAY NW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T3G 3G3	
ALLSEAS CANADA LTD	407 1959 UPPER WATER STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3N2	*
ALPHA CHEMICALS LTD	75 MACDONALD AVE UNIT 8	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1T8	
ALSCOTT AIR SYSTEMS LIMITED	25 BARRHAVEN CRESCENT	NAPEAN	ON	CA	K2J 1E7	*
AMI OFFSHORE INC	BOX 13934 STATION A	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 4G7	*
AN DERINGER	PO BOX 1309	ST. ALBANS	VT	US	05478	*
ANCHOR OFFSHORE CATERING LTD	1525 BIRMINGHAM STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2J6	*
ANIXTER CANADA INC (left)	2075 - 52ND AVENUE	LACHINE	PQ	CA	H8T 3C3	*
APA (NOVA SCOTIA) LTD.	PETROLEUM ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1R9	
ARGO SALES LTD	#1300, 717 - 7 AVE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 0Z5	*
ARMATEK CONTROLS LIMITED	55 JUDSON STREET	TORONTO	ON	CA	M8Z 1A4	
ARMOUR CONSTRUCTION LIMITED	PO BOX 665	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2T3	*
ASEA BROWN BOVERI INC	PO BOX 11283	MONTREAL	PQ	CA	H3C 5G9	*
ASSERSON, JORGEN	2518-11 AVENUE NW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2N 1H5	
ASSET INTEGRITY SOLUTIONS INC	5450 NORTHWEST	HOUSTON	TX	US	77092	
ATLANTIC CANADA CAREERS INC	5945 SPRING GARDEN ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3H 1Y4	*
ATLANTIC CONTROLS LTD	32 MCILVEEN DRIVE	SAINT JOHN	NB	CA	E2L 4G7	*
ATLANTIC CUSTOM BROKERS	1525 BIRMINGHAM STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2V9	*
ATLANTIC ELECTRONICS LIMITED	200 JOSEPH ZATMAN DRIVE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1N4	
ATLANTIC GEOSCIENCE SOCIETY	BEDFORD INSTITUTE OF OCEANOGRAPHY	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4A2	
ATLANTIC INDUSTRIAL CLEANERS LTD	11 BROWN AVENUE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1X8	
ATLANTIC OFFSHORE MEDICAL ASSOCIATES	201 - 7193 QUINPOOL ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3L 1C7	*
ATLANTIC PILOTAGE AUTHORITY	PURDY'S WHARF TOWER 1	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3N2	*
ATLANTIC TOWING LIMITED	PO BOX 905	FREDERICTON	NB	CA	E3B 5B4	*
ATLANTIC VALVE AND FITTINGS LTD	PO BOX 3668 STN B	SAINT JOHN	NB	CA	B2M 5C1	*
ATLAS COPCO COMPRESSORS CANADA	PO BOX 90	POINTE-CLAIRE	PQ	CA	H9R 4N5	*
ATLAS COPCO ROTOFLOW INC	540 EAST ROSECRANS AVE	GARDENA	CA	US	90248	*
ATL-JW CONSULTING	607 TORBAY ROAD	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1A 4Y6	*
AUTOMATIC POWER INC	5 POST OAK PARK	HOUSTON	TX	US	77027	*
AXY'S TECHNOLOGIES INC	PO BOX 2219	SIDNEY	BC	CA	V8L 3S8	*
BAILEY ENGINEERING CONSULTANTS	3201 CHERRY RIDGE DR	SAN ANTONIO	TX	US	78230	*
BAKER HUGHES INTEQ	PO BOX 6780	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2E7	*
BAKER OIL TOOLS	1300, 401-9TH AVENUE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3C5	*
BAKER PETROLITE	PO BOX 1954	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2M9	*
BAKER PROCESS SYSTEMS	PO BOX 200246	HOUSTON	TX	US	77216-0246	*
BARBARA BUTLER & ASSOCIATES INC.	11 HAZELTON AVENUE	TORONTO	ON	CA	M5R 2E1	*
BARRINGTON HISTORICAL	DEVELOPMENT LIMITED	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1R2	*
BASE CONSULTING	4936 SHADY OAK TRAIL	GRAND PRAIRIE	TX	US	75052	*
BASIC TECHNOLOGIES	490 WEST SIDE ROAD	WELLAND	ON	CA	L3B 5R6	*

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BBA, A JOINT VENTURE	1701 HOLLIS STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3M8	*
BBL, BRIT BIT LTD	DOWNHOLE TOOLS DIVISION, SUITE 9	ABERDEEN, SCOTLAND	ZZ	GB	AB123BG	
BEATTIE INDUSTRIAL	1345 TOPSAIL ROAD	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 3N7	
BECKERSON INDUSTRIAL AGENCIES INC	10 SECOND STREET	BEDFORD	NS	CA	B4A 2A1	
BENNETT JONES	4500 855 2 STREET SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 4K7	*
BERCHA INTERNATIONAL INC	250, 1220 KENSINGTON ROAD N.W.	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2N 3P5	*
BERNARD COMMUNICATIONS	PO BOX 360	WHYCOMAGH	NS	CA	B0E 3M0	
BEVILLE ENGINEERING INC	201 WEST FRANKLIN STREET	DAYTON	OH	US	45459	
BJ PROCESS AND PIPELINE SERVICES	BJ PROCESS AND PIPELINE SERVICES	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 4E1	*
BLENHORN & SAWLE	100 GRANTHAM AVE	ST. CATHERINES	ON	CA	L2R 7B9	
BMS OFFSHORE LIMITED	10 PAYZANT AVENUE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1Z6	*
BOTT EQUIPMENT COMPANY INC.	PO BOX 14235	HOUSTON	TX	US	77221	
BRETECH INSPECTION (NDT) LTD	PO BOX 2331	SAINT JOHN	NB	CA	E2L 3V6	
BRIAN CONTROLS	DIVISION OF PEACOCK INC	LASALLE	PQ	CA	H8N 1V1	
BRIDGEPORT WIRE, ROPE & CHAIN LTD	70 AKERLEY BLVD	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1R1	
BROWN & ROOT ENERGY SERVICES	GREENS BAYOU FAB YARD	HOUSTON	TX	US	77213-9807	*
BROWN OFFSHORE (1997) INC	PO BOX 13278 STN A	ST JOHNS	NF	CA	A1B 4A5	
BUDGET OFFICE FURNISHINGS	30 TROOP AVENUE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1Z1	
BURNER FIRE CONTROL INC	PO BOX 53482	LAFAYETTE	LA	US	70505	
BURNET DUCKWORTH & PALMER	ADX 03	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3N9	*
BURNS INT'L SECURITY SERVICES LTD.	860 MAIN STREET	MONCTON	NB	CA	E1C 1G2	
BWIP INTERNATIONAL LTD.	120 VINYL COURT	WOODBRIDGE	ON	CA	L4L 4A3	*
C S C PROJECT MANAGEMENT	SERVICES LTD	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2R 1M7	*
C.V. CONSULTING LTD.	6407 SILVER RIDGE DRIVE NW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T3B 3T1	
CAC NETWORK SERVICES INC	2908 221 6 AVENUE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2G 4Z9	
CAD CENTRE	10700 RICHMOND AVENUE	HOUSTON	TX	US	77042	
CAMBRIDGE SUITES HOTEL	1583 BRUNSWICK STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3P5	
CANADA - NOVA SCOTIA OFFSHORE	PETROLEUM BOARD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3K9	*
CANADIAN HELICOPTERS	INTERNATIONAL DIVISION	RICHMOND	BC	CA	V7B 1A5	*
CANADIAN SEABED RESEARCH LTD	341 MYRA ROAD	PORTER'S LAKE	NS	CA	B3E 1G2	*
CANECO OIL FIELD AND SUPPLY SERVICES INC	23 SCOUT CAMP ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B2T 1J6	*
CANNING & PITT ASSOCIATES INC	36 MONKSTOWN ROAD	ST JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 3T3	*
CANTAK CORPORATION	TUBULAR PRODUCTS DIVISION	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2V3	*
CCL GROUP, THE	700 2695 DUTCH VILLAGE ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3L 4V2	*
CCR TECHNOLOGIES LTD	350, 407 - 8TH AVENUE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 1E5	*
CE FRANKLIN	PO BOX 6776	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2E8	*
CENTURY VALVE & MACHINE	1915 - 30TH AVENUE NE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2E 6Z5	*
CESSCO FABRICATION & ENGINEERING LTD	7310 99 STREET	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T6E 3R8	*
CETCO	1350 W SHORE DRIVE	ARLINGTON HTS	IL	US	60004	*
CHAIRS LTD	10 ILSLEY AVENUE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1L3	
CHEDABUCTO OFFICE PRODUCTS	BOX 276	GUYSBOROUGH	NS	CA	BOH 1N0	
CHUBB SECURITY SYSTEMS	5201 EXPLORER DRIVE	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	L4W 4H1	
CL CONSULTANTS	3601 A	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2E 6T5	*
CLAMPON INC	11232 WILCREST GREEN DRIVE	HOUSTON	TX	US	77042	
CLINE CONSULTING	2522 JEFFERSON AVENUE	NEW ORLEANS	LA	US	70115-6505	*
COASTAL OCEAN ASSOCIATES INC	7 CANAL STREET	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 2W1	*
COMCO PIPE AND SUPPLY (CDN)	5910 - 17TH STREET NW	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T5J 2K1	*
COMCO PIPE AND SUPPLY COMPANY (USD)	5910 - 17TH STREET NW	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T5J 2K1	*
COMMERCIAL COATING SERVICES INC.	PO BOX 3296	CONROE	TX	US	77305-3296	
CONSAFE ENGINEERING (UK) LIMITED	CONSAFE CENTRE GREENWELL ROAD	ABERDEEN	ZZ	GB	AB12 3AX	
CONTR VALVE INC	9619 B IGNACE	BROSSARD	PQ	CA	J4Y 2R4	*
COOPER CAMERON CORP	PO BOX 482, STATION M	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2J1	*
CORE LABORATORIES	PO BOX 2464 STATION "M"	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3C1	*
CORNWALL COMMUNICATIONS	2323 DEERSIDE DRIVE SE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2J 5L7	

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CORPORATE EXPRESS (GOODE)	OFFICE SUPPLIERS LTD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 2X5	
CORPORATE SAFETY SERVICES LTD	304 MACEWAN VALLEY RD NW	HALIFAX	AB	CA	T3K 3S7	
CORROCEAN INC	211 HIGHLAND CROSS, SUITE 117	HOUSTON	TX	US	77073	
CORROCEAN ASA	TEGLGAARDEN	TRONDHEIM	ZZ	NO	7005	*
CORROLESS ATLANTIC INC	PO BOX 374	SYDNEY	NS	CA	B1P 6H2	
CROSBY VALVE INC.	LOCK BOX 890916	DALLAS	TX	US	75312-0916	*
CUSTOM FABRICATORS & MACHINISTS	PO BOX 3038 STN B	SAINT JOHN	NB	CA	E2M 4X7	
D & L ENGINEERING SALES LIMITED	PO BOX 2004	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2Z1	
DALHOUSIE UNIVERSITY-RESEARCH SERVICES	505 SIOUX ROAD	SHERWOOD PARK	AB	CA	T8A 4H2	*
DANVIC ASSOCIATES LTD	RESEARCH SERVICES	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3H 4H6	
DE ENGINEERING LIMITED	#9, 6320 - 11 STREET SE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2H 2L7	
DELL COMPUTER CORPORATION	CONSULTING ENGINEERS	BEDFORD	NS	CA	B4A 1V5	
DELTA BARRINGTON	PO BOX 11292 STN CENTRE-VILLE	MONTREAL	PQ	CA	H3C 5G9	*
DESIGN CENTRE, THE	1875 BARRINGTON STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3L6	
DESIGN GROUP (THE)	502 PETROREP BUILDING	CALGARY	AB	CA	T5J 4G8	
DESIGN MARKETING LIMITED	CONTRACT ENGINEERING SERVICES	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T5J 4G8	
DIKEMA CONSTRUCTION B.V.	10 AKERLEY BLVD.	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1J4	
DINERS CLUB INTERNATIONAL EN ROUTE	EEMHAVENWEG 70	3089KH ROTTERDAM	ZZ	NL	3089	*
DIVERSITY SPECIAL INTEREST	PO BOX 11025	MONTREAL	PQ	CA	H3C 4W4	
DIVERSITY DIVING LTD.	PUBLISHING CO LTD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3P7	
DOWNEAST MT&T MOBILITY CENTRE	7 CANAL STREET	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 2W1	*
DRECO ENERGY SERVICES LTD	741 BEDFORD HIGHWAY	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3M 2M1	
DRESSER ENERGY VALVE	6514 75TH STREET	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T6E 0T3	*
DRESSER-RAND CANADA INC.	(TOM WHEATLEY DIVISION)	STAFFORD	TX	US	77477	*
DRP SOLUTION ORIENTED SERVICES INC	120 CHANCERY COURT	LETHBRIDGE	AB	CA	T1J 4J7	*
DSC ENGINEERING AS	355 RIVERVIEW PLACE S.E.	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2C 4K1	*
DYNAMAX RESEARCH LTD	DOLASLETTA 7	TRANBY	ZZ	NO	N-3408	*
DYNAMEX	5515 COGSWELL STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1R2	
E C & M ELECTRIC LTD	60 COLONNADE RD	NEPEAN	ON	CA	K2E 7J6	*
EARNSCLIFFE STRATEGY GROUP	3503 - 78TH AVENUE S.E.	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2C 1J7	*
EAST COAST OFFSHORE ALLIANCE	46 ELGIN STREET	OTTAWA	ON	CA	K1P 5K6	
EASTERN WOODLAND PUBLISHING	1874 BRUNSWICK STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2G7	*
EASTEX PETROLEUM CONSULTANTS	PO BOX 1590	TRURO	NS	CA	B2N 5V3	
EDS SYSTEMHOUSE INC	17 FOXGROVE LANE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4N8	*
EISENBAU KRAMER mbH	6176 COMPUTER INNOVATIONS	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 2A6	*
ELECTRO RENT CORPORATION	57271 HILCHENBACH - DAHLBRUCH	DAHLBRUCH	ON	CA	L5T 1P9	
EM & I (SAFETY SYSTEMS) LTD	955 MEYERSIDE DRIVE	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	SK72DH	
EMCO LIMITED DISTRIBUTION	MAPLE HOUSE, MAPLE ROAD	ENGLAND	NS	CA	B3J 2M4	*
EMERGENCY MEDICAL CARE IN	BOX 154	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B4A 1E5	*
EMERGENCY PLANNING SPECIALISTS INC	ATTEN: TREVOR BURGESS A/R DEPT	BEDFORD	NS	CA	92887	*
ENCON SAFETY PRODUCTS	DBA PLANNING & TRAINING SOLUTIONS INC	YORBA LINDA	CA	US	92887	*
ENERCHROM CONSULTING LTD.	6825 W. SAM HOUSTON PKWY. N.	HOUSTON	TX	US	77253	
ENERGY SOLUTIONS INTERNATIONAL	1440 GRAHNS LANE #1	BURLINGTON	ON	CA	L75 1W3	
ERNST & YOUNG	24 PERMBROKE CRESCENT	ST. ALBERT	AB	CA	T8N 4R9	
EUROPEAN MARINE CONTRACTORS (GBP)	13831 NORTHWEST FREEWAY	HOUSTON	TX	US	77040	*
EXCHANGER INDUSTRIES	PO BOX 2007, STATION CRO	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2Z1	*
EXCLUSIVE LIMOUSINE & TAXI SERVICE	1660 HOLLIS STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1V7	*
EXXON CO. USA	5505 52ND STREET S.E.	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2A 6A8	*
F I CANADA OILFIELD SERVICES LTD	APT. 202	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3M 4H7	
F.J. ANDREWS	2880-64 AVENUE	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T6P 1W6	*
FABCO INDUSTRIES LIMITED	23 ROSSI DR	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2X 3L7	*
FABCON CANADA LIMITED	45 RADDALL AVENUE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1L4	*
	SUITE 402 SCOTIA CENTRE	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 4G1	*

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FACILITY INNOVATIONS LTD	307 239 10 AVENUE S E	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2G 0V9	*
FE SOLUTIONS	C/O M. ANDREI MOORE	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1C6	
FEDERAL EXPRESS CANADA LTD.	ATTENTION: COLLECTIONS DEPARTMENT	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	L4W 5K6	
FEDERAL SIGNAL LIMITED	SIGNAL HOUSE, CHANER WAY	CHESHIRE	ZZ	GB	SK10 2NF	
FESTIVAL CITY FABRICATORS INC	487 LORNE AVENUE EAST	STRATFORD	ON	CA	N5A 6T1	*
FIBERGLASS STRUCTURAL ENGINEERING INC	316 EAST MCLEOD ROAD	BELLINGHAM	WA	US	98226	*
FIRESEAL CANADA	PO BOX 8398	ST. JOHNS	NF	CA	A1B 3N7	
FLEETWAY INC	SUITE 200	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3S 1B3	*
FLOTECH ENTERPRISES LTD	PO BOX 1475	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1C 5N8	
FLOW CONTROL TECHNOLOGIES	ZI 23 DEUXIEME AVENUE	VITROLLES	ZZ	FR	13127	*
FLUID TECHNOLOGIES INC	PO BOX 3246 STN B	SAINT JOHN	NB	CA	E2M 4X8	
FOREST RESOURCES CONSULTANTS INC	BOX 702	TRURO	NS	CA	B2N 5E5	*
FORTHOFER ASSOCIATES INC	1098 WASHINGTON CROSSING ROAD	WASHINGTON CROSSING	PA	US	18977	
FORTIS PROPERTIES CORPORATION	SUITE 1201	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3K5	*
FOSTER INTERNATIONAL INC	1625 50 O'CONNOR STREET	OTTAWA	ON	CA	K1P 6L2	
FOSTER WHEELER FIRED HEATERS LTD	450	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2H 2H8	*
FOUNDERS SQUARE LIMITED	BOX 665	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2T3	*
FOXBORO CANADA INC	4 RUE LAKE	DOLLARD-DES-ORMEAUX	PQ	CA	H9B 3H9	*
FRITZ STARBER COMPANIES INC (US)	410 ST. NICOLAS	MONTREAL	PQ	CA	H2Y 2R5	*
FRITZ STARBER INC (CDN)	410 ST NICOLAS	MONTREAL	PQ	CA	H2Y 2P5	*
FRONT LINE SAFETY LIMITED	201	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1L3	
FUGRO JACQUES GEOSURVEYS INC.	1 DUFFY PLACE	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 4M6	
GALVOTEC ALLOYS INC	6712 S. 36TH STREET	MCALLEN	TX	US	78503	
GE CAPITAL FLEET SERVICES	PO BOX 1909 STATION A	TORONTO	ON	CA	M5W 1W9	*
GE CAPITAL MODULAR SPACE	PO BOX 8940	TORONTO	ON	CA	M5W 2C5	
GENESIS OIL & GAS CONSULTANTS LTD	262 HIGH HOLBORN	LONDON	ZZ	GB	WC1V 7EE	
GENOYER GROUP INC	BOX 4346 DEPT 100	HOUSTON	TX	US	77210-4346	*
GEOLOGICAL SURVEY OF CANADA(ATLANTIC)	PO BOX 1006	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4A2	
GEORGE LEBLANC CONSULTING LIMITED	93 CARMICHAEL DRIVE	SYDNEY	NS	CA	B1S 3J4	
GLENTEL	PO BOX 80717	BURNABY	BC	CA	V5H 3Y1	*
GOODALL RUBBER	105 AKERLEY BLVD UNIT L	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1R7	
GOVERNMENT OF NOVA SCOTIA -ENVIRONMENT	MINISTER OF FINANCE-GOVT. OF NOVA SCOTIA	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3B7	
GOV'T OF NS-TRANSPORTATION & PUBLIC WORK	DEPT OF TRANSPORTATION AND PUBLIC WORKS	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2N2	
GRAMMATICUS GROUP INC	2004 98 AVENUE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2V 0Y9	*
GRANHERNE LIMITED	HILL PARK SOUTH	SURREY	ZZ	GB	KT22 7NL	*
GRANT PRIDECO INC	PO BOX 200838	HOUSTON	TX	US	77216-0838	
GREENWAY CLAYMORE INN	PO BOX 1720	ANTIGONISH	NS	CA	B2G 2M5	
GRIFFITHS MUECKE ASSOCIATES	1698 BRUNSWICK STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2G3	
GROVE DRESSER ITALIA SPA	VIA ITALO BETTO,15	VOGHERA (PV)	ZZ	IT	27058	*
GUY DENSMORE TRANSPORT INC	PO BOX 127	MAITLAND	NS	CA	B0N 1T0	
GUYSBOROUGH JOURNAL, THE	BOX 54	GOSHEN	NS	CA	B01 1M0	
GYRODATA SERVICES CANADA INC	BAY A, 7008 - 5TH STREET SE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2H 2G3	
H E F PETROPHYSICAL	CONSULTING INC	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 0Z3	
HALIFAX CLUB, THE	PO BOX 574 1682 HOLLIS STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2R7	
HALIFAX REGIONAL MUNICIPALITY	BOX 818 CCRO	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2V2	
HALIFAX REGIONAL WATER COMMISSION	BOX 8388	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 5M1	
HALIFAX SHIPYARD	PO BOX 970	SAINT JOHN	NB	CA	E2L 4L4	
HALLIBURTON ENERGY SERVICES	1000, 333 5 AVENUE S W	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3B6	*
HALLMARK TUBULARS LTD	710 255 5 AVENUE S W	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3G6	*
HARRIS & ROOME SUPPLY LIMITED	3600 JOSEPH HOWE DR	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 5M7	*
HARRIS RF COMMUNICATIONS GROUP	1680 UNIVERSITY AVENUE	ROCHESTER	NY	US	14610	*
HARRIS SCIENTIFIC PRODUCTS LTD	#103, 9920 - 63 AVENUE	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T6E 0G9	
HIBERNIA MANAGEMENT & DEVELOPMENT CO LTD	SUITE 1000 100 GOWER STREET	ST. JOHNS	NF	CA	A1C 6K3	*

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HIGH PEAK TECHNOLOGY INC.	7 CANDY MOUNTAIN ROAD	MINEVILLE	NS	CA	B2Z 1K6	*
HSRS AVIATION SERVICES	81 ILSEY AVENUE, UNIT 7	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1L5	
HUDSON INDUSTRIES	C/O MONK ENGINEERING	HOUSTON	TX	US	77060	
HUGHES CHRISTENSEN	2100, 801 - 6TH AVENUE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3W2	*
HUTCHINSON, BERNIE	#1 MEADOWVIEW DRIVE	PORTERS LAKE	NS	CA	B3E 1N5	
I.M.P. GROUP LIMITED	400, 2651 DUTCH VILLAGE ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3L 4T1	*
IBM CANADA	PO BOX 34030	VANCOUVER	BC	CA	V6J 4M1	
IKON CAPITAL	BOX 44048	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T5V 1N6	
IKON OFFICE SOLUTIONS INC	60 NEW DUNDEE ROAD	KITCHENER	ON	CA	N2G 3W5	*
IMAGENEX TECHNOLOGY CORP.	209-1875 BROADWAY STREET	PORT COQUITLAM	BC	CA	V3C 4Z1	
IMPERIAL OIL PRODUCTS & CHEMICALS DIV	90 WYNFORD DR	NORTH YORK	ON	CA	M3C 3G6	*
IMPERIAL OIL RESOURCES LIMITED	ADX 062 BOX 2480 STN M	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3M9	
IMPERIAL OIL, DARTMOUTH REFINERY	600 PLEASANT STREET	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 3Z7	*
IMPORT TOOL CORPORATION	10340 - 71 AVENUE	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T6E 0W8	
INDEPENDENT PROJECT ANALYSIS INC	300 11150 SUNSET HILLS ROAD	RESTON	VA	US	20190	*
INTERGRAPH CANADA LTD	2912 MEMORIAL DRIVE S E	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2A 7R9	
INTERPROVINCIAL CORROSION CONTROL CO LTD	930 SHELTON COURT	BURLINGTON	ON	CA	L7L 5K6	
IRVING OIL LIMITED	PO BOX 1421	SAINT JOHN	NB	CA	E2L 4K1	
J M W CONSULTANTS INC	ONE STATION PLACE	STANFORD	CT	US	06902	*
JACQUES FUGRO GEOSCIENCES INC	JACQUES WHITFORD BUILDING	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1W8	
JACQUES WHITFORD ENVIRONMENT LIMITED	3 SPECTACLE LAKE DRIVE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1W8	*
JOE F NATIONS CONSULTING INC (USD)	53 CANTERBURY LANE	WINDSOR JCT	NS	CA	B2T 1A4	*
JOHN A FITZGERALD CONSULTING SERVICES	P.O. BOX 2226	WINDSOR	NS	CA	B0N 2T0	
JOHN CRANE CANADA INC	ENGINEERING SEALING SYSTEMS	HAMILTON	ON	CA	L8H 7L3	
JOHN WRIGHT COMPANY	5829 FM	HOUSTON	TX	US	77069	*
JOHN ZINK COMPANY	11920 EAST APACHE	TULSA	OK	US	74121-1220	
K & D INDUSTRIES (AXIOM)	617 WINDMILL ROAD	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 3Y3	*
KARLSEN SHIPPING CO LTD	PO BOX 9510 STN "A"	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 2S3	
KEELEY REPORTING SERVICES INC	BOX 144 STATION B	OTTAWA	ON	CA	KIP 5A0	
KELLY TEMPORARY SERVICES LTD	BOX 7024	TORONTO	ON	CA	M5C 2K7	*
KELTEC PETROLEUM SERVICES	25 RUBISLAW TERRACE	ABERDEEN, SCOTLAND	ZZ	GB	AB10 1XE	
KENONIC CONTROLS LTD	7175-12TH STREET SE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2H 2S6	*
KINKO'S COPIES CANADA LTD	PO BOX 9158	TORONTO	ON	CA	M4Y 3A5	
KOBE STEEL LTD	ENERGY & CHEMICAL PLANT GROUP	TOKYO 135	ZZ	JP	KOTO-KU	*
KOCH-GLITSCH CANADA COMPANY	18 DALLAS STREET	UXBRIDGE	ON	CA	L9P 1C6	
KPMG LLP	45 O'CONNOR STREET	OTTAWA	ON	CA	KIP 1A4	*
KVAERNER OIL & GAS LTD	PORT CLARENCE YARD	MIDDLESBROUGH	ZZ	GB	T52 1RZ	
L D M P ADMINISTRATIVE	5301 B TOBIN ST	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3H 1S3	*
L.E. TAYLOR CONSULTING SERVICES	1183 BELMONT ROAD R.R. #2	NEWPORT	NS	CA	B0N 2A0	
LAND & SEA INSTRUMENTATION (CDN)	25 ESTATES ROAD	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4K3	*
LEE TOOL	PO BOX 2409 STATION M	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2M7	
LEVCO FIRE & SAFETY LTD.	RR 5	ANTIGONISH	NS	CA	B2G 2L3	*
LINK ASSOCIATES INTERNATIONAL	ASPEN DRIVE	DERBY	ZZ	GB	DE27SG	
LLOYD'S REGISTER OF SHIPPING	1959 UPPER WATER STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3N2	*
LOG WATCH CONSULTING INC	RR#4	MIDDLE MUSQUODOBOIT	NS	CA	B0N 1X0	
LOGIS NAUTQUES SA	42 RUE DE CLAUSEN	LUXEMBOURG	ZZ	GB	L-1342	*
LONDON OFFSHORE CONSULTANTS	20 ST DUNSTAN'S HILL	LONDON	ZZ	GB	EC3R 8HL	*
LTS SALES LTD	170 JOSEPH ZATZMAN DRIVE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1Z9	
LUCAS, ZOE	PO BOX 3504 SOUTH	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3J2	*
M B C BUSINESS SERVICES	529 COW BAY ROAD	EASTERN PASSAGE	NS	CA	B3G 3B7	*
M M INDUSTRIA LTD	61 ESTATES ROAD	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4K3	*
M.I. DRILLING FLUIDS CANADA INC	BOX 1845	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2L8	
MACDONALD, FINLAY	1333 DRESDEN ROW	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2J9	*
MACTRONIC LTD	BOX 621	RED DEER	AB	CA	T4N 5G6	*

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MAERSK COMPANY CANADA LTD, THE	SUITE 901, SCOTIA CENTRE	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1C 1B6	*
MAERSK COMPANY NOVA SCOTIA LIMITED, THE	C/O MAERSK CANADA INC	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 5M4	*
MAREX INTERNATIONAL LTD	BOX 21031	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2W 6B2	
MARITIME INFORMATION SYSTEMS AS	SOLLISTRANDSV 12	HORTEN	ZZ	NO	N-3187	
MARITIME MARLIN TRAVEL	202 - 2000 BARRINGTON ST	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3K1	
MARK TOOL CO, INC	BOX 261	FRANKLIN	A	US	70538-0261	
MARTEC LTD	SUITE 400	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3J8	*
MAXXAM ANALYTICS INC	5540 MCADAM ROAD	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	L4Z 1P1	
MEASUR TECH INSTRUMENTS	PO BOX 219	MUSQUODOBOIT HARBOUR	NS	CA	B0J 2L0	
MECH-TOOL ENGINEERING LIMITED	WHESOE ROAD	CO. DURHAM	ZZ	GB	DL3 0QT	
METRO UNITED WAY	SUITE 506 COGSWELL TOWER	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3K1	
MI DRILLING FLUIDS CANADA INC. (USD)	800, 304-8 AVENUE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 1C2	*
MICON ENGINEERING INC	673 HAWKWOOD BLVD NW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T3G 2V6	
MICRO AGE	61 RADDALE AVENUE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1T4	*
MICRO AGE COMPUTER CENTRES	333 11 AVENUE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2R 1L9	
MIDLAND MANUFACTURING CORPORATION	PO BOX 226	STOKIE	L	US	60076-0226	
MI'KMAQ FISH AND WILDLIFE COMMISSION	RR 1 AFTON FIRST NATION	ANTIGONISH COUNTY	NS	CA	B0H 1A0	
MILL SUPPLY LTD	32 TROOP AVENUE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1Z1	*
MITI INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY INC	30 BROADVIEW AVENUE	SAINT JOHN	NB	CA	E2L 1Z4	
MM INDUSTRIA/BROWN & ROOT	3 ATLANTIC STREET	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4L7	*
MOBIL BUSINESS RESOURCES CORP	PO BOX 650232	DALLAS	TX	US	75265-0232	
MOBIL OIL CANADA	C/O MOBIL OIL CANADA	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2J7	*
MOBILE VALVE REPAIRS	PO BOX 90	MOUNT UNIAKE	NS	CA	B0N 1Z0	
MOBILITY CANADA	BOX 5101	BURLINGTON	ON	CA	L7R 4R6	*
MONENCO AGRA-BROWN & ROOT (CDN \$ SERVICE)	(CDN \$ SERVICE)	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3W3	*
MONENCO AGRA-BROWN & ROOT (US \$ SERVICE)	(US \$ SERVICE)	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1V7	*
MORGAN CAPITAL LIMITED	SUITE 901 TD PLACE	ST JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1C 6H6	
MT & T	BOX 2226	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3C7	*
MT & T MOBILITY	BOX 1677 HALIFAX CRO	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3W8	*
MULGRAVE MACHINE WORKS LTD	BOX 280	MULGRAVE	NS	CA	B0E 2G0	*
MURRAY DINGWALL QUALITY SERVICES	BOX 219	GUYSBOROUGH	NS	CA	B0H 1N0	
MURRAY INTERNATIONAL METALS LIMITED	SITE 21, COMP 9, RR#1	SYDNEY	NS	CA	B1P 6G3	
NAERT, JOAN C.	429 2929 BRIARPARK	HUSTON	TX	US	77042	*
NATIONAL PROCESS EQUIPMENT	45 REDBUD CRESCENT	AGINCOURT	ON	CA	M1S 3X6	
NEPTUNE THEATRE	10685 - 176 STREET	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T5S 1G5	
NEO VALVES	DIV OF EM PLASITC & ELECTRIC PRODUCTS	TORONTO	ON	CA	M3N 1Y4	*
NETRUCOM	1593 ARGYLE STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2B2	
NEUPARK ENVIRONMENTAL SERVICES	102 CHAIN LAKE DR	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3S 1A7	
NEYRFOR TURBODRILLING CO INC	PO BOX 962	ANTIGONISH	NS	CA	B2G 2S3	*
NL ELDRIDGE & COMPANY	2031 HUMBLE PL.DRIVE	HUMBLE	TX	US	77338	*
NOLAN DAVIS	PO BOX 2150	SAINT JOHN	NB	CA	E2L 3T9	*
NORTECH JACQUES WHITFORD INC	A DIVISION OF ADI LTD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3L 4S9	
NORTHERN TRANSPORTATION COMPANY LTD	ONE DUFFY PLACE	ST JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 4M6	*
NORTHUMBERLAND CONSULTANTS LTD	42003 MACKENZIE HIGHWAY	HAY RIVER	NT	CA	X0E 0R9	*
NOSO LIMITED	BOX 214	GUYSBOROUGH	NS	CA	B0H 1N0	*
NOVA COMMUNICATIONS	PO BOX 8398	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 3N7	
NOVA SCOTIA COMMUNITY-LEEDS ST	141 WRIGHT AVENUE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1V6	*
NOVA SCOTIA DEPT OF NATURAL RESOURCES	5685 LEEDS ST, PO BOX 1153	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2X1	
NOVA SCOTIA POWER CORP	1701 HOLLIS STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2T9	
NSCC - HALIFAX CAMPUS	NOVA 848 SCOTIA SQUARE	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2V7	*
NUITTE ENGINEERING	1825 BELL ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3H 2Z4	
ODL CANADA LTD	PO BOX 700480	TULSA	OK	US	74170	*
OFFICE INTERIORS	702 WATER STREET	ST JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 3N7	*
	THE BREWERY	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1R9	

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OFFICE WORLD (ANGLIA)	VERNON HOUSE, THE MARINA	SOFOK	ZZ	GB	NR32 1HH	
OFFSHORE LOGISTICS INC	30 ATLANTIC STREET	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4N2	*
OFFSHORE RENTALS LIMITED	ORWELL HOUSE SOUTER HEAD ROAD	ABERDEEN	ZZ	GB	AB12 3LF	
OFFSHORE WASTE MANAGEMENT GROUP	A JOINT VENTURE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1G9	*
OGILVIE SCIENTIFIC INC	10 PICCADILLY PLACE	BRAMPTON	ON	CA	L6S 5E2	
OGOP OIL & GAS OBSERVER	PROGRAM CANADA	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 3Z6	*
OIL STATES INDUSTRIES	PO BOX 670	ARLINGTON	TX	US	76004-0670	
OIS FISHER INC	1 DUFFY PLACE	ST JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 4M8	*
OLAND ENGINEERING LTD	11183 BOND ROAD	LAKE COUNTRY	BC	CA	V4V 1J6	*
ONSHORE COMMUNICATIONS INC	1333 DRESSEN ROW	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2J9	
OPTIMIZED PROCESS FURNACES INC	P.O. BOX 706	CHANUTE	KS	US	66720	*
ORBIT VALVE CANADA LTD	1 1935 - 27TH AVENUE NE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2E 7E4	*
OZARK ELECTRICAL MARINE LTD	PO BOX 1083	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1C 5M5	
P.V. INSPECTION SERVICES LIMITED	PARK PLACE II, SUITE 100	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 2B4	*
PANALPINA INC	468 RUE ST-JEAN	MONTREAL	PQ	CA	H2Y 2S1	
PARAGON ENGINEERING SERVICES INC	SUITE 121	HOUSTON	TX	US	77040-5196	
PARKER BROTHERS CONTRACTING LTD.	PO BOX 158	WAVERLEY	NS	CA	B0N 2S0	*
PATTERSON INDUSTRIES (CANADA)	250 DANFORTH ROAD	SCARBOROUGH	ON	CA	M1L 3X4	*
PEACOCK INC (US\$)	8600 ST. PATRICK ST	LASALLE	PQ	CA	H8N 1V1	
PERRY EQUIPMENT CORPORATION	PO BOX 1040	MONTREAL	PQ	CA	H3C 2X5	*
PETROLEUM LEARNING PROGRAMS LTD.	PO BOX 640	MINERAL WELLS	TX	US	76068	
PETROMAX (DIVISION OF TRUEFOAM LTD)	305 WELLS FARGO DRIVE SUITE 4	HOUSTON	TX	US	77090	
PHASE DYNAMICS, INC.	50 THORNHILL DRIVE, SUITE 6	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1S1	
PHILIP ENVIRONMENTAL (ATLANTIC) LTD	1343 COLUMBIA DRIVE, SUITE 405	RICHARDSON	TX	US	75081	
PHK CONSULTING	45 WRIGHT AVE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1G9	
PHOENIX SAFETY MANAGEMENT INC.	19 CANFIELD COURT	BEDFORD	NS	CA	B4A 3S4	
PICKFORD GROUP LTD, THE	3403 NW - 51 PLACE	BOCA RATON	FL	US	33496	
PIONEER TRANSFORMERS LTD	519 MANITOU RD SE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2G 4C2	
PIPE SPECIALTIES - CANADA	CP 272	GRANBY	PQ	CA	J2G 8E6	*
PIPETRONIX LTD	665A JUSTUS DRIVE	KINGSTON	ON	CA	K7M 4H5	*
POROUS MEDIA LTD	A SUBSIDIARY OF PREUSSAG	CONCORD	ON	CA	L4K 4N8	
POWERLINE ELECTRICAL MANUFACTURING COMPANY	50 BEECHBROOK ROAD	ELLERSHOUSE	NS	CA	B0N 1L0	
POWERLINE DATASYSTEMS LIMITED	4301 WEST DAVIS	CONROE	TX	US	77304	
PREMIERE SUITES, 3029056 NS LTD	16535 JACINTOPOORT BLVD	HOUSTON	TX	US	77015	*
PRICE WATERHOUSE COOPERS INC	31 BLUE MOUNTAIN DRIVE	BEDFORD	NS	CA	B4B 1L1	
PRISMA PRODUCTIONS	5170-72 BISHOP STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1C9	
PROCON SYSTEMS INC	ATTENTION: BLAINE BURKE	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3K8	*
PRO-DIVE MARINE SERVICES	301 6265 QUINPOOL RD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3L 1A4	
PROMAT SERVICES LIMITED	9336 - 60 AVENUE	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T6E 0C1	
PROQUIP VALVE INC	PO BOX 5053	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1C 5V3	
PUFFER-SWEVEN INC	18 OATHILL CRESCENT	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4H1	*
R K O STEEL LIMITED	835 FOURTH LINE	OAKVILLE	ON	CA	L6L 5B8	
RACAL PELAGOS CANADA	PO BOX 200775	HOUSTON	TX	US	77216-0775	*
RADIO COM TECHNOLOGY	BOX 8595 STATION A	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 5M3	
RADISSON SUITE HOTEL HALIFAX	1519 VARSITY ESTATES DR N.W.	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2J7	*
RAECO PRODUCTS INTERNATIONAL INC	209 AEROTECH DRIVE	ENFIELD	NS	CA	B2T 1K3	
RANDY SMITH DRILLING SCHOOLS INC.	864 CANNELL ROAD SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2W 1T4	
RECEIVER GENERAL ENVIRONMENT CANADA	1649 HOLLIS STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1V8	
RECEIVER GENERAL FOR CANADA-PWGSC	JV PARTNER OF STABLE SERVICES LTD	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4P4	
RECEIVER GENERAL-FISHERIES & OCEANS	201 ENERGY PARKWAY	LAFAYETTE	LA	US	70508	
	ENVIRONMENT CANADA	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 2N6	
	PWGSC-PUBLISHING	OTTAWA	ON	CA	K1A 0S9	
	FISHERIES & OCEANS	MONCTON	NB	CA	E1C 9B6	

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REED TOOL COMPANY #C3042	PO BOX 2680	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 4R9	*
RELANCE OFFSHORE CANADA INC.	MATHERS HOUSE	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2J6	*
REMOTE ACCESS TECHNOLOGY INC	7 CANAL STREET	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 2W1	
RF IRONWORKS LTD	67 ATLANTIC STREET	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4P4	*
RIDEOUT TOOL & MACHINE INC	133 ISLEY AVE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1S9	
RILEY'S REPRODUCTIONS &	PRINTING LTD	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 0W9	
RISK SOLUTIONS	2500 CITYWEST BLVD, STE 300	HOUSTON	TX	US	77042	
RNG CONTROLS	119-2550 ARGENTIA ROAD	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	L5N 5R1	*
RNG PRO TECH INC	69 INDUSTRIAL DRIVE CP 148	LENOXVILLE	PQ	CA	J1M 1Z4	*
ROBERT MITCHELL INC	BOX 950	SAINT LAURENT	PQ	CA	H4L 3K5	*
ROCKBESTOS SURPRENANT	CABLE CORPORATION	EAST GRANBY	CT	US	06026-1102	
ROSEMOUNT INSTRUMENTS LTD	808 55 AVENUE NE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2E 6Y4	
ROWAN COMPANIES INC	99 WYSE ROAD	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3A 1L9	*
ROYAL LEPAPE RELOCATION SERVICES	39 WYNFORD DRIVE	DON MILLS	ON	CA	M3C 3K5	
RTD QUALITY SERVICES	1431-70 AVENUE	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T6P 1N5	*
S & H UNDERWATER SERVICES	158 INGRAM DRIVE	FALL RIVER	NS	CA	B2T 1A4	*
S D MURPHY CONSULTING ASSOC INC	6424 LOMBARDY CR. S.W.	CALGARY	AB	CA	T3E 5R4	*
S L ROSS ENVIRONMENTAL RESEARCH	LIMITED	OTTAWA	ON	CA	K1G 0Z4	
S N C LAVALIN INC	200 5657 SPRING GARDEN ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3R4	*
SAIPEM UK LTD	7-8 LYON PLACE	LONDON	ZZ	GB	SW1W 0JR	*
SAMEDAY RIGHT WAY COURIER	6975 MENKES DRIVE	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	L5S 1Y2	
SANDPIPER COMMUNICATIONS	c/o PATRICIA CLARK	ASPEN	NS	CA	B0H 1E0	
SANTA FE DRILLING CO (CANADA) LTD;CDN	36 BROOKSHIRE COURT	BEDFORD	NS	CA	B4A 4E9	*
SANTA FE DRILLING CO (CANADA) LTD;US	36 BROOKSHIRE COURT SUITE 13	BEDFORD	NS	CA	B4A 4E7	*
SAW HOLDINGS LTD	26 BECKS WAY	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2V 2C3	*
SAW PIPES USA, INC	5200 E. MCKINNEY ROAD	BAYTOWN	TX	US	77520-8549	*
SCHLUMBERGER (GEO QUEST)	GEO QUEST	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2K4	
SCHLUMBERGER DOWELL	DOWELL, DIVISION OF SCHLUMBERGER CANADA	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2G9	*
SCHLUMBERGER OF CANADA WIRELINE & TESTIN	WIRELINE & TESTING	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2J6	*
SCHLUMBERGER-RESERVOIR COMPLETIONS	CENTER	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2J6	*
SCHNEIDER CANADA	3220 CARAVELLE DRIVE	SUGARLAND	TX	US	77478	
SCHNEIDER CANADA (DO NOT USE)	3220 CARAVELLE DRIVE	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	L4V 1K9	*
SCOTIA FESTIVAL OF MUSIC	6181 LADY HAMMOND ROAD	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	L4V 1K9	*
SCOTIA SHIP MANAGEMENT LTD	PO BOX 45	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 2R9	
SD MURPHY CONSULTING ASSOC (ATLANTIC)INC	PO BOX 253	HANTSPOORT	NS	CA	B0P 1P0	
SEASHORE INFORMATION	c/o WANDA FANNING	BRIDGEWATER	NS	CA	B4V 2W9	
SEASTATE QUALITY SYSTEMS INC	14002 WENTWORTH	GOLDBORO	NS	CA	B0H 1L0	
SEATECH LTD	958 BARRINGTON STREET	CUMBERLAND COUNTY	NS	CA	B0M 1Z0	*
SECUNDA ATLANTIC	1 CANAL STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3H 2P7	*
SECUNDA MARINE ATLANTIC LTD.	1 CANAL STREET	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 3Y9	*
SECUNDA MARINE SERVICES LIMITED	1 CANAL STREET	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 2W1	*
SECURITY DBS	PO BOX 9112	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 3Y9	*
SEGWICK LIMITED	MARSH CANADA, BOX 2376 STN M	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 5E1	*
SEIMAC LIMITED	271 BROWNLOW AVENUE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2Z2	*
SGS CANADA INC.	PO BOX 9581, STN A	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1W6	*
SHAFER, A VARCO COMPANY	PO BOX 1473	TORONTO	ON	CA	M5W 2K3	*
SHARRETT'S, PALEY, CARTIER & BLAUVELT, PC	67 BROAD STREET	HOUSTON	TX	US	77251	*
SHAW GROUP INC, THE	C/O SUNLAND FABRICATORS, INC	NEW YORK	NY	US	10004	
SHELL CANADA LIMITED	ADX 219	WALKER	LA	US	70785	*
SIF GROUP BV	MUNHEERKENSWEIG 33	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2H5	*
SIGNAL SAFETY & TRAINING LTD.	13 LIVINGSTONE STREET	ROERMOND	ZZ	NL	6041	*
SIMPSON POWER PRODUCTS	11545 KINGSTON STREET	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1C 1V5	*
SMITH INTERNATIONAL CANADA LTD	1600 335 8TH AVENUE SW	MAPLERIDGE	BC	CA	V2Z 0Z5	*
		CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 1C9	*

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Vendor Name	Street Address	City	PR	Ctry	Postal Code	>250K
SOEI TEAM BUILDING COMMITTEE	C/O SABLE OFFSHORE ENERGY INC	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3M8	*
SOLAR TURBINES CANADA LTD	BOX 5630 STATION SOUTH	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T6E 6P8	*
SOONER PIPE & SUPPLY CANADA LTD	1400 CANTERRA TOWER	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 4H2	*
SOQUIP INC.	1175, AVENUE LAVIGERIE, BUREAU 180	SAINT-EFOY	PQ	CA	G1V 4P1	*
SPACESAVERS SYSTEMS MARITIME	1000 WINDMILL ROAD	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1L7	*
SPARTAN CONTROLS	PO BOX 6446	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2E1	*
SPECIALTY COMPONENT SALES	600 11012 MCLEOD TRAIL S	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2J 6A5	*
SPERRY-SUN DRILLING SERVICES OF CANADA	PO BOX 9113	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 5E1	*
STAN ROGERS FOLK FESTIVAL	BOX 46	CANSON	NS	CA	B0H 1H0	*
STATIA TERMINALS CANADA	BOX 2116	PORT HAWKESBURY	NS	CA	B0E 2V0	*
STATIFLO INTERNATIONAL LTD	THE CROWN CENTRE	CHESHIRE	ZZ	GB	SK11 6QS	*
STEEL AND ENGINE PRODUCTS	LIMITED	LIVERPOOL	NS	CA	B0T 1K0	*
STEEL PLATE & SECTIONS LTD	ISKMY HOUSE, 2 FAZELEY STREET	BIRMINGHAM	ZZ	GB	B5 5JP	*
STEWART MCKELVEY STIRLING	SCALES	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2X2	*
STEWART MCKELVEY STIRLING SCALES INTRUST	"IN TRUST" PURDYS WHARF TOWER 1	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2X2	*
STRATOS MOBILE NETWORKS	PO BOX 5754	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1C 5X4	*
STRESS ENGINEERING SERVICES INC	PO BOX 1026	HOUSTON	TX	US	77251-1026	*
STRUCTURAL DIAGNOSTIC SERVICES	1225 EAST SUNSET DRIVE	BELLINGHAM	WA	US	98226-3529	*
SUMMIT TUBULARS CORPORATION	#3310 350 - 7TH AVENUE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 3N9	*
SUN MICROSYSTEMS CANADA	CP 11012 SUCC CTREVILLE	MONTREAL	PQ	CA	H3C 4T9	*
SUN SOURCE/AIR-DRECO	PO BOX 730236	DALLAS	TX	US	75373-0236	*
SUNBELT PACKAGING	2123 FM 1960 WEST	HOUSTON	TX	US	77090	*
SUPERIOR PROPANE	1111-49th AVENUE NE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2E 8V2	*
SURVIVAL SYSTEMS INTERNATIONAL	34140 VALLEY CENTER ROAD	VALLEY CENTER	CA	US	92082	*
SURVIVAL SYSTEMS TRAINING	40 MOUNT HOPE AVENUE,	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2Y 4K9	*
SWACO CANADA	800, 304 - 8TH AVENUE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 1C4	*
T H HILL ASSOCIATES INC	7676 HILLMONT SUITE 360	HOUSTON	TX	US	77040	*
TAB	130 SPARKS AVENUE	WILLOWDALE	ON	CA	M2H 2S4	*
TAD PIPE CANADA LIMITED	1740 DREW ROAD	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	L5S 1J6	*
TAYLOR FORGE ENGINEERED SYSTEMS, INC.	208 NORTH IRON STREET	PAOLA	KS	US	66071	*
TELEDRIFF CANADA INC	BAY 7 4275 78TH AVE SE	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2C 2Y4	*
TELEDYNE ELECTRONIC TECHNOLOGIES	16830 CHESTNUT STREET	CITY OF INDUSTRY	CA	US	91748-1020	*
TELESAT CANADA	1601 TELESAT COURT	GLOUCESTER	ON	CA	K1B 5P4	*
TEMPLAR CONTROL SYSTEMS LTD(CDN)	THE PROFESSIONAL CENTRE, SUITE 209	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T6B 2L5	*
TEXAS SYSTEMS & CONTROLS INC	9841 WINDMILL PARK LANE	HOUSTON	TX	US	77064	*
THYSSEN DOVER ELEVATOR LIMITED	410 PASSMORE AVENUE	SCARBOROUGH	ON	CA	M1V 5L1	*
TIDELAND SIGNAL CANADA LTD	105 - 3650 BONNEVILLE PLACE	BURNABY	BC	CA	V3N 4T7	*
TIM FINANCE	PO BOX 37	MISSISSAUGA	ON	CA	L5A 2Y9	*
TJ INSPECTION SERVICES	PO BOX 3088	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B2W 4Y3	*
TODAY'S	875 MIDDLEFIELD ROAD	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	M1V 4Z5	*
TORONTO DOMINION VISA	BOX 34050	VANCOUVER	BC	CA	B6J 4M5	*
TOTAL OFFICE CARE	12, 81 ILSLEY AVENUE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1L5	*
TOTAL OVERLOAD & SECRETARIAL	SPECIALISTS (T O S S) INC	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 4H2	*
TRACER CONSTRUCTION CANADA (CDN)	1500 STUDEMON	HOUSTON	TX	US	77007	*
TRACER CONSTRUCTION COMPANY (USD)	1500 STUDEMON	HOUSTON	TX	US	77007	*
TRI-C MANAGEMENT LTD	GREENWAY CLAYMORE INN	ANTIGONISH	NS	CA	B2G 2M5	*
TRICO INDUSTRIES INC	2503 HUNTER ROAD	SAN MARCOS	TX	US	78666	*
TUBE DEVELOPMENTS	QUEENZIEBURN INDUSTRIAL EST	KILSYTH	ZZ	GB	G65 9BN	*
TWI INC	468 QUEEN ST. E. - 5TH FLOOR	TORONTO	ON	CA	M5A 1T7	*
TWI LTD.	GRANTA PARK, GREAT ABINGTON	CAMBRIDGE	ZZ	GB	CB1 6AL	*
UNION PUMP (CANADA) LTD	4211 MAINWAY	BURLINGTON	ON	CA	L7L 5N9	*
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE OF CAPE BRETON	PO BOX 5300	SYDNEY	NS	CA	B1P 6L2	*
UOP CANADA INC	1860, 444 - 5TH AVENUE SW	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2T8	*
VALLIN SAFETY SUPPLY COMPANY LTD	730 BRIDGE STREET	WATERLOO	ON	CA	N2V 2J4	*

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VAN WATERS & ROGERS (USD)	2700 J.B. DESCHAMPS	LACHINE	PQ	CA	H8T 1E1	
VAN WATERS & ROGERS LTEE (CDN)	2700 J.B. DESCHAMPS	LACHINE	PQ	CA	H8T 1E1	*
VANTAGE COMMUNICATIONS INC	604 5657 SPRING GARDEN ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3R4	*
VAUGHAN ENGINEERING ASSOCIATES LIMITED	PO BOX 2045	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2Z1	*
VAUGHN ENGINEERING ASSOCIATES	LIMITED	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2Z1	
W.R. CONSULTING	135 OAKFERN WAY S.W	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2V 2J9	
WADE COMPANY LIMITED	5426 PORTLAND PLACE	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 1A1	*
WALSH OFFSHORE INC	C/O COMMERCIAL CAPITAL HOLDING	BATON ROUGE	LA	US	70898	*
WARDHOLT LTD	17A WILLIAM STREET	CLEVELAND	ZZ	GB	ZZZZZZ	
WARNER, CHARLES	RR1	MULGRAVE	NS	CA	B0E 2G0	
WASHBURN AND GILLIS	25 WAGGONERS LANE	FREDERICTON	NB	CA	E3B 2L2	*
WATCH REPAIR CENTER	BARRINGTON PLACE SHOPS	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 3L7	
WCC OFFSHORE LTD	3925 KEMPT ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3K 5M6	
WEATHERFORD	14435 - 116 AVE	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T5M 3E8	*
WEATHERFORD ENTERRA CANADA LTD.	1306 - 5TH STREET	NISKU	AB	CA	T9E 7R6	*
WEATHERFORD ENTERRA COMPRESSION	COMPANY	CALGARY	AB	CA	T2P 2H9	*
WEATHERFORD ENTERRA US-WELLCAT	PO BOX 200019	HOUSTON	TX	US	77216-0019	
WELL SERVICE TECHNOLOGY CANADA	PO BOX 8473	ST. JOHN'S	NF	CA	A1B 3M9	*
WESCO (CDN)	133 ILSLEY AVE	DARTMOUTH	NS	CA	B3B 1S9	*
WESCO (USD)	655 GOUGEON	ST. LAURENT	PQ	CA	H4T 2R4	
WFI INTERNATIONAL INC	4407 HAYGOOD	HOUSTON	TX	US	77022	*
WHITE POINT BEACH RESORT	WHITE POINT BEACH	QUEENS COUNTY	NS	CA	B0T 1G0	
WILLIAM ALEXANDER & ASSOCIATES LTD	300 5171 GEORGE STREET	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 1M6	*
WILSON EQUIPMENT	10685 - 176 STREET	EDMONTON	AB	CA	T5S 1G5	*
WILSON ASSOCIATES INC	5945 SPRING GARDEN ROAD	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3H 1Y4	
WILSON PLC	WINDOVER ROAD	CAMBRIDGESHIRE	ZZ	GB	PE18 7ED	*
WORLD TRADE & CONVENTION CENTRE	BOX 955	HALIFAX	NS	CA	B3J 2V9	
WYCKOMAR INC.	PO BOX 611	GUELPH	ON	CA	N1H 6L3	
XL SYSTEMS INC.	PO BOX 201565	HOUSTON	TX	US	77216-1565	*
YUASA (CANADA) INC.	392 DEER HURST DRIVE	BRAMPTON	ON	CA	L6T 5H9	*
ZEH GRAPHIC SYSTEMS	1155 DAIRY ASHFORD	HOUSTON	TX	US	77079	

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Vendors	2000 Nova Scotia	2000 Other Canadian	2000 Foreign	2000 TOTAL	Cumulative Nova Scotia	Cumulative Other Canadian	Cumulative Foreign	Cumulative TOTAL
ABB Inc.	2,103	11,346	0	13,449	2,103	11,346	0	13,449
A. D. I. Nolan Davis	9	0	0	9	2,723	96	0	2,819
Aboriginal Resource Consultant	1,442	1,211	0	2,653	2,884	2,421	0	5,305
Accent Engineering & Consultant	23,407	(1,599)	135	21,943	113,853	1,613	135	115,601
Adams Pearson Associates Inc.	0	526	0	526	470	2,827	1,161	4,458
Aker Gulf Marine	0	0	0	0	0	0	157,270	157,270
Albertson Enterprises	0	576	0	576	0	856	0	856
Allan Marine Services	0	0	0	0	90	0	0	90
Allseas	830	0	695	1,525	792,976	138,228	584,788	1,515,992
Anchor Offshore Catering Limited	45,066	0	0	45,066	45,066	0	0	45,066
Apex Industries	0	0	0	0	0	336	0	336
Asea Brown Boveri Inc - formerly Elsas Bailey	6,382	101	0	6,483	22,285	74,846	2,171	99,302
ALT JW Consulting	0	0	0	0	1,477	1,362	5,500	8,339
Atlantic Canada Careers	0	0	0	0	999	0	0	999
Atlantic Custom Brokers Limited	302	0	0	302	4,073	0	0	4,073
Atlantic Eagle (Atlantic Towing)	6,492	4,068	0	10,560	6,492	4,068	0	10,560
Atlantic Offshore Medical	15,170	0	0	15,170	44,546	0	0	44,546
BBA, A Joint Venture	4,896	0	0	4,896	2,076,302	46,602	3,474	2,126,378
BMS Offshore	2,600	88	0	2,688	2,600	88	0	2,688
Baker Hughes	10,689	2,843	0	13,532	44,447	10,997	2,440	57,884
Bell Administrative Services	0	0	0	0	0	50	0	50
Bennett Jones Verchere	0	0	0	0	54	1,128	0	1,182
Bercha International Inc. (F.G. Bercha)	0	0	0	0	229	1,767	2,301	4,297
Big Sky Wireless	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	5
Boyne Clarke	0	0	0	0	0	25	0	25
Buote Peter	0	0	0	0	240	0	0	240
Burnet Duckworth & Palmer	0	27	0	27	151	5,742	0	5,893
Burns International Security	1,149	0	0	1,149	2,913	0	0	2,913
CEF Consultants	781	0	0	781	1,039	0	0	1,039
CV Consulting Limited	0	464	0	464	0	464	0	464
CDN Seabed Research Ltd.	0	0	0	0	1,421	156	0	1,577
CGG Geophysics Canada Ltd.	0	0	0	0	0	4,834	0	4,834
CL Consultants	1,772	1,546	0	3,318	3,370	7,102	0	10,472
CSC Project Management	0	0	0	0	0	4,713	0	4,713
Canadian Airlines	0	0	0	0	1,979	0	0	1,979
Canadian Helicopters	42,709	6,985	0	49,694	106,589	39,265	0	145,854
Canning & Pitt Associates Inc.	0	51	0	51	1,998	1,475	0	3,474
Cautley Enterprises Inc.	0	0	0	0	65	185	70	320
Chubb Security	0	0	0	0	200	0	0	200
Coastal Oceans Associates Inc.	3,895	0	0	3,895	6,147	0	0	6,147
Cooper Cameron Corporation	8,407	0	0	8,407	26,485	372	19,340	46,197
Core Laboratories Canada Limited	0	3,073	3,009	6,082	364	5,286	4,329	9,979
Cornwall Communications	0	0	0	0	0	256	0	256
Corporate Safety Services Limited	0	0	0	0	0	2,073	0	2,073
Corroless Atlantic Inc.	0	0	0	0	3,360	0	0	3,360
Custom Media Services	0	0	0	0	2,891	0	0	2,891
Delta Hudson	0	0	0	0	0	606	0	606
Design Group, The	0	0	0	0	297	3,566	0	3,566
Detailed Design Drafting Service Limited	0	0	0	0	0	1,502	0	1,799
Dominion Diving Limited	7,428	3,192	1,428	12,048	28,146	7,446	2,796	38,388

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Down East MT&T	0	0	0	0	1,049	0	0	1,049
Dr. Susan Bennett	0	0	0	0	193	9	0	202
East Coast Offshore Alliance	0	0	0	0	22,459	15,049	0	37,507
Eastcan Group	0	0	0	0	297	43	0	340
Emergency Planning Specialists Inc.	0	55	329	384	0	55	5,101	5,156
Epix Design Inc.	0	0	0	0	0	510	0	510
Exploration Consultants Limited	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,120	4,120
F I Oilfield Services Canada Limited	20,184	174	0	20,358	62,026	5,427	80	67,533
Fabco Industries Limited	0	0	0	0	272,258	16,496	13,628	302,382
Facility Innovations	37,251	6	0	37,257	61,724	8,009	0	69,734
FE Solutions	0	164	1,078	1,242	0	164	1,078	1,242
Fitzgerald, J.A. Consulting Services	292	0	0	292	3,960	0	0	3,960
Fleetway	239,036	17,224	1,907	258,167	239,036	18,789	1,907	259,732
Flour Daniel Billings	0	0	0	0	0	903	0	903
Foster International (NOW KPMG)	0	220	0	220	0	1,347	0	1,347
Fugro Jacques Geosurveys Inc.	920	511	0	1,431	920	511	0	1,431
Graham, Mary	0	0	0	0	2,016	1,190	4,126	7,332
Grammaticus Group Ltd.	0	0	0	0	0	400	10	410
H E F Petrophysical	0	0	0	0	0	24	0	24
HG Pearson Consulting	0	0	0	0	56,110	30,350	12,740	99,200
Haliburton Energy Services	37,747	4,970	1,694	44,411	45,878	4,970	1,694	52,542
High Peak Technologies Inc.	786	0	0	786	11,226	46,934	4,329	62,489
Imperial Oil Resource Limited	5,085	12,191	1,740	19,016	9,825	13,479	9,380	32,684
Import Tool Corporation	2,142	400	310	2,852	2,317	424	374	3,115
Jacques Fugro Geosciences Inc.	0	0	0	0	8,721	1,220	0	9,941
Jacques Whitford Environmental	3,315	270	0	3,584	15,586	2,370	0	17,955
Karlson Shipping	24,393	5,400	0	29,793	36,664	7,500	0	44,164
Kenomic Controls Limited	0	2,423	0	2,423	0	4,335	0	4,335
Kvaerner Oil & Gas	0	0	732	732	10,718	1,990	2,514,993	2,527,701
Levco Fire & Safety Limited	0	0	0	0	665	620	280	1,565
Lloyd's Register of Shipping	0	0	24	24	5,808	439	30,579	36,826
Lucas, Zoe	0	0	0	0	954	0	0	954
MDQS	1,000	0	0	1,000	1,000	0	0	1,000
M.I. Drilling Fluids Canada	20,165	4,536	9,945	34,646	52,823	12,372	22,396	87,591
MM Industria	0	0	0	0	48,588	2,736	0	51,324
MM Industria/Brown & Root, Venture	249,909	7,955	1,722	259,586	1,226,703	7,955	145,598	1,380,256
MacDonald, Finlay	0	0	0	0	12	0	0	12
MacLaren Plansearch	0	0	0	0	23,439	0	0	23,439
Maersk Company Nova Scotia Limited	4,555	19,373	81	24,009	5,365	26,587	115	32,068
Martec Limited	5,216	0	0	5,216	26,918	0	0	26,918
Miller, G.E.	0	0	0	0	0	0	444	444
Mobil	120,250	9,688	17,501	147,439	495,965	223,785	149,663	869,413
Monenco Agra-Brown & Root	0	0	0	0	214,599	456,890	827,298	1,498,787
D.R. Mountenay Consulting	0	0	0	0	1,800	0	0	1,800
N.W. Miller & Associates	0	0	0	0	81	0	0	81
Joe F Nations Consulting	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,504	3,504
Neill and Gunter (Nova Scotia) Limited	0	0	0	0	281	0	0	281
Nolark Resources Inc.	0	0	0	0	0	2,540	0	2,540
Norecol Dames & Moore	0	0	0	0	0	22	164	186
Nortech Jacques Whitford	0	0	0	0	9,205	6,390	1,149	16,744

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Nortech Surveys	0	0	0	0	1,798	1,582	0	3,380
Nova Communications	0	0	0	0	302	0	0	302
Novacal Energy Inc.	0	0	0	0	1,079	475	0	1,554
OGOP Oil and Gas Observer	8,181	0	0	8,181	31,294	0	0	31,294
Offshore Logistics	41,151	0	0	41,151	100,362	1,056	0	101,418
Offshore Waste Management	0	0	0	0	3,295	50	0	3,345
Oland Engineering Limited	0	0	0	0	0	515	0	515
Olsen Staffing Service	0	0	0	0	0	1,023	0	1,023
Olive Scientific Inc.	0	0	0	0	0	87	0	87
Panalpina	0	0	0	0	0	6,720	1,293	8,013
Porter Dillion	0	0	0	0	43	0	0	43
Promat Services Limited	0	0	0	0	1,464	0	0	1,464
PV Inspection	1,918	72	828	2,818	1,918	72	828	2,818
RKO	0	0	0	0	1,969	0	0	1,969
Racal Survey Canada Limited	180	84	264	528	180	84	264	528
Ray Kadonaga & Associates	0	0	0	0	0	119	0	119
Rowan Companies	84,828	3,384	8,813	97,024	360,930	20,460	54,656	436,046
S. L. Ross Environment	0	0	0	0	0	195	0	195
Safety Kleen Limited	1,910	0	0	1,910	1,910	0	0	1,910
Saipem U K Limited	0	0	983	983	78,997	33,153	488,864	581,014
Santa Fe Drilling	224,020	0	33,696	257,716	438,776	5,792	81,516	526,084
Scarratt, David & Associates	0	0	0	0	856	0	0	856
Schlumberger of Canada	3,234	3,248	820	7,302	28,874	9,208	2,020	40,102
Seabed Exploration Consultants	0	0	0	0	746	0	0	746
Secunda Marine	196,678	25,488	0	222,166	492,164	107,919	0	600,083
Security DBS	0	0	0	0	800	2,443	621	3,864
Seimac	2,814	0	0	2,814	16,180	0	0	16,180
Sevant, Dunbrack	0	0	0	0	19	0	0	19
Shell Canada Limited	36,440	16,668	6,256	59,364	71,860	137,069	24,451	233,380
Sierra Systems	425	0	0	425	425	0	0	425
Sperry Sun Drilling Services	7,682	2,356	1,000	11,038	40,707	29,207	11,352	81,265
Statta Terminals	0	0	0	0	12,147	0	0	12,147
Stelter Factory Direct	0	0	0	0	53	9	0	62
Stewart McKelvey Stirling & Scales	675	0	0	675	10,372	28	0	10,400
Survival Systems International	0	139	0	139	0	139	468	607
Survival Systems Ltd.	0	0	0	0	4,400	0	0	4,400
Swaco Canada	14,576	4,207	0	18,783	38,667	28,048	5,176	71,891
T.J. Inspection	0	0	0	0	54	0	0	54
Taylor, L.E.	216	0	0	216	6,128	0	0	6,128
Telesat Canada	0	0	0	0	0	715	0	715
Total Overload & Secretarial	0	0	0	0	0	1,994	0	1,994
Vantage Communications	0	0	0	0	4,209	14	0	4,223
Vaughan Engineering	6,911	0	0	6,911	13,205	0	0	13,205
Wallace, MacDonald, & Lively	0	0	0	0	553	0	0	553
Washburn & Gillis Associates Limited	443	666	0	1,109	7,013	4,529	0	11,542
Weatherford	0	0	0	0	19,304	2,433	0	21,737
Western Atlas International	0	0	0	0	89,884	11,804	117,930	219,618
Whitman Benn	2,692	773	0	3,464	2,692	773	0	3,464
William Alexander & Associates	0	0	0	0	20,932	265	0	21,197
1997 3D Seismac	0	0	0	0	27,084	16,678	32,522	76,284

Appendix 3

Summary of Research and Development Investments 2000

Recipient	Program Description	Investor
Acadia University	Acadia Advantage Program	Imperial Oil
Acadia University	Recruitment Scholarship	Shell Canada
Acadia University	Study on Contingent Workers	SOEI Human Resources
Acadia University	The role of the C4H7 Radical in Natural Gas Upgrading	Imperial Oil
Agra Monenco/Brown & Root	FRP Review	SOEI
Agra Monenco/Brown & Root	FRP Study	SOEI
Agra Monenco/Brown & Root	Hydrate Study	SOEI
Agra Monenco/Brown & Root	Hydrate Study	SOEI
Agra Monenco/Brown & Root	Liquid Handling Study	SOEI
Agra Monenco/Brown & Root	Metering Study	SOEI
Agra Monenco/Brown & Root	Metering study	SOEI
Agra Monenco/Brown & Root	Production Optimization Studies	SOEI
Atlantic Institute of Market Studies	General Research Grant	ExxonMobil
BG Technologies (now Advantica)	Blast Test (FRP Replacement)	SOEI Tier I Projects Team
Brooke Ocean Technology	Sea Horse Project	SOEI
Brown & Root Energy Services	Blast FEA Analysis	SOEI Tier I Projects Team
Dalhousie University	Atlantic Canada Petroleum Institute	Imperial Oil
Dalhousie University	Atlantic Canada Petroleum Institute	ExxonMobil
Dalhousie University	Calculation of Properties of Fluids via a New Cluster Method	Imperial Oil
Dalhousie University	Interfacing Supercritical Fluid Chromatography with MS	Imperial Oil
Dalhousie University	Optimizing Ethylene Production	Imperial Oil
Dalhousie University	Pledge for the Institute of Oil & Gas Studies.	Imperial Oil
Dalhousie University	Process Control and Optimization of a Catalytic Naphtha Reformer	Imperial Oil
Dalhousie University	Scholarship	Schlumberger of Canada
Dalhousie University	Scholarship	Schlumberger of Canada
Dominion Diving	FMD (Flooded Member Detection)	Dominion Diving Ltd.
Dominion Diving	Sandbag Tool - Design, Engineering, Fabrication, Deployment of 140,000 Sandbags	Dominion Diving Ltd.
East Coast Ecosystems (N.S.)	2000 Research Program Funding	ExxonMobil
MI/SWACO	Drill Cuttings Research	SOEI
Nova Scotia Community College	Scholarship	Schlumberger of Canada
Nova Scotia Community College	Scholarship	Schlumberger of Canada
SOEI Operations	Emotion breaker research on Thebaud	SOEI Operations
Sable Island Conservancy Program	Environmental effects monitoring on Sable Island	SOEI HSE
Nova Scotia Students	Four-year university scholarships to two students in Nova Scotia	Schlumberger of Canada
Dalhousie Students	Scholarships provided to Dalhousie University for	Schlumberger of Canada
SEIMAC Limited	Weather Station	SEIMAC Limited
SEIMAC Limited	Weather Station	SEIMAC Limited
SOEI	Fibreglass Reinforced Plastic Pipe Performance	SOEI Engineering
SOEI	V-Cone Measurement Research	SOEI Engineering
St. Francis Xavier University	Reverse Micelle Formation by Dispersants in Hydrocarbon Solvents	Imperial Oil
University College of Cape Breton	UCCB Petroleum Technology and Education Institute	ExxonMobil
Weatherford	Immersion Bath Study	SOEI
Zoe Lucas	Measurement of "Oil in Ocean" as component of worldwide monitoring program	SOEI HSE
Geological Survey of Canada	Collaborative Research	SOEI
BGR Oilfield Services	Drill Cuttings Research	SOEI

Appendix 4

Co-op and Work Placements 2000

Discipline	Academic Institution and Location	Team
Accounting	Acadia University	ExxonMobil (Nova Scotia)
Accounting	Acadia University	ExxonMobil (Nova Scotia)
Accounting	CompuCollege	Fleetway Inc.
Accounting	Dalhousie University	SOEI Accounting
Accounting	Dalhousie University	SOEI Accounting
Accounting	Dalhousie University	SOEI Accounting
Accounting	Dalhousie University	SOEI Accounting & Regulatory
Accounting	Dalhousie University	SOEI Accounting
Accounting	Dalhousie University	SOEI Regulatory Affairs
Accounting	Dalhousie University	SOEI Accounting
Accounting	Dalhousie University	SOEI Regulatory Affairs
Accounting	Dalhousie University	ExxonMobil (Nova Scotia)
Accounting	Mount Saint Vincent University	Fleetway Inc.
Accounting	St. Thomas, New Brunswick	SOEI Business Development
Administration	Mount Saint Vincent University	Agra Monenco
Chemical Engineering	Dalhousie University	Secunda Marine
Commerce	Dalhousie University	Fleetway Inc.
Commerce	University of New Brunswick	SOEI Information Systems
Computer Science	Dalhousie University	SOEI Information Systems
Computer Science	Dalhousie University	SOEI Information Systems
Computer Science	Dalhousie University	SOEI Information Systems
Computer Science	Dalhousie University	SOEI Document Control
Document Control	Mount St. Vincent University	SOEI Document Control
Document Control	Mount St. Vincent University	ExxonMobil (Calgary)
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Drilling
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Operations
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Drilling
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Drilling
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Logistics
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Operations
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Operations
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Regulatory
Engineering	Dalhousie University	ACCENT Engineering
Engineering	Dalhousie University	Haliburton
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Regulatory Affairs

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Co-op and Work Placements 2000

Discipline	Academic Institution and Location	Team
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Facilities Engineering & Projects
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Well Construction
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Well Construction
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Well Construction
Engineering	Dalhousie University	Halliburton
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Operations
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Operations
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Regulatory Affairs
Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Drilling
Engineering	Memorial University	Atlantic Eagle Limited Partnership
Engineering	St. Francis Xavier University	Fleetway Inc.
Geology	Dalhousie University	SOEI Sub-Surface
Human Resources	Nova Scotia Community College	SOEI Human Resources
Information Systems	CompuCollege	SOEI Information Systems
Information Systems	Dalhousie University	SOEI Information Systems
Information Systems	Dalhousie University	SOEI Information Systems
Information Systems	Dalhousie University	SOEI Information Systems
Information Systems	St. Francis Xavier University	SOEI Information Systems
Mechanical Engineering	Dalhousie University	SOEI Operations
Mechanical Engineering	Dalhousie University	ACCENT Engineering Consultants Inc.
Mechanical Technology	Nova Scotia Community College	Schlumberger of Canada
Science/Entrepreneurship	Antigonish High School	SOEI Operations
Science/Entrepreneurship	Auburn High School	SOEI Regulatory Affairs

Appendix 5

Summary of Technology Transfer Investments

2000

Team	Program Description
Asea Brown and Boveri (formerly Elsas Bailey)	Expertise in the configuration testing of the onshore facilities, primarily process control systems, safety systems and fire & gas systems was transferred from Ontario to Nova Scotia.
Dominion Diving Ltd.	Expertise in pipe tracking was transferred to Nova Scotia from Florida.
Fleetway Inc.	Fibre reinforced pipe technical knowledge was transferred to Nova Scotia from Ontario.
Fleetway Inc.	Meter proving expertise to support SOEI's meter proving requirements was transferred to Nova Scotia from Ontario. This technique was used to calibrate the gas flow through the pipeline, ensuring accurate readings. Although this technique had been used in other industries, it had not previously been used in the oil and gas industry.
Fleetway Inc.	Methyl ethylene glycol reclamation expertise was transferred to Nova Scotia from Houston.
Fleetway Inc.	Technology for valve maintenance on greasing systems was transferred to Nova Scotia from Edeco, UK. Specifically, equipment and materials now exist in Nova Scotia.
Halliburton	A well control "snubbing" team received specialized training in well control processes technology associated with "snubbing" operations. "Snubbing", or hydraulic work over (HWO), is the ability to run or pull tubing in a "live" well under pressure. This technology was transferred from the UK, and was available in Nova Scotia and Canada for the first time.
Halliburton	Helium leak detection expertise was transferred to Nova Scotia from the UK.
Halliburton	Technology relating to foam cementing used in zonal isolation operations was transferred from the USA to Nova Scotia. When a well has been drilled and lined with pipe, the connection between the geological formation and the well must be established. Zonal isolation establishes the connection while isolating fluid zones and maximizing well-bore stability.
MI/SWACO	3-phase separator technology was transferred to Nova Scotia from the USA.
MI/SWACO	Verti "G" dryer - technology was transferred from Calgary to Nova Scotia.
MI/SWACO	Heavy brine engineering technology was transferred to Nova Scotia from the UK and USA and is now the only one of its kind in Canada.
MI/SWACO	Technology in cuttings box prototypes was transferred to Nova Scotia from the USA.
MI/SWACO	Software technology relating to MI-One TRAX was transferred from the USA to Nova Scotia. This software is used to generate daily drilling fluid reports, as well as concentration sheets, inventory and volume analysis.
MI/SWACO	Software technology relating to MI-Virtual Hydraulics was transferred from the USA to Nova Scotia. This is used to monitor ECD (Equivalent Circulating Densities).
Santa Fe Drilling Co.	A warehouse specialist from Sphere, USA provided training on the new system for tracking POs for the purchaser onshore and the storemen offshore.
Santa Fe Drilling Co.	Expertise relating to the use of computer aided drilling, racking and well control equipment was transferred to Nova Scotia from the UK.
Santa Fe Drilling Co.	Maintenance knowledge of the ancillary equipment (support equipment) was transferred from the UK to Nova Scotia.
Santa Fe Drilling Co.	Technicians from France provided special training relating to maintenance of generators, hence transferring this technology from France to Nova Scotia.
Santa Fe Drilling Co.	Two technicians came to work on the blowout prevention (BOP) system unique to the rig, and train local workers on operation and maintenance procedures.
Santa Fe Drilling Co.	Two experts in sub-sea engineering were brought to Nova Scotia to transfer knowledge/skill with respect to rig movement.
Santa Fe Drilling Co.	Supervisory staff was transferred to Nova Scotia to handle day-to-day operations aboard the rig, including the continual process of training the personnel. A handpicked crew of 14 personnel was also chosen for the rig, including: 6 drilling specialists, 3 mechanical engineers, 3 electrical engineers, and 2 master mariners with special knowledge of this type and class of vessel.
Santa Fe Drilling Co.	Training expertise for crane staff was transferred from Aberdeen, UK to Nova Scotia. The training focused on skills directly related to offshore cranes that onshore crane training does not cover.
Santa Fe Drilling Co.	Training expertise was transferred from France to Nova Scotia to give maintenance staff better exposure to the generator system on board the Galaxy II.
Schlumberger of Canada	One supervisory employee was transferred to Nova Scotia to provide pump and engine service skills related to the Well Services division.
Schlumberger of Canada	WRS training, an electronic system that monitors business activities around well work, and is used to generate various reports such as invoices for completed work, was transferred to Nova Scotia.

Appendix 5

Summary of Technology Transfer Investments 2000

Team	Program Description
Schlumberger of Canada	Testing knowledge on pre-job planning and preparation for a high-rate well test that was executed in the second quarter was transferred to Nova Scotia.
Schlumberger of Canada	Wireline-two HPTP logging jobs completed during this quarter where knowledge was transferred from an expatriate engineer to Nova Scotian engineers and operators.
Schlumberger of Canada	Most training expertise was transferred to Nova Scotia. The two personnel who received training can now provide most training for other personnel.
SOEI Human Resources	East Coast Human Resources meeting was held to talk about new developments in human resources areas resulting in transfer of human resources knowledge from the other East Coast Provinces to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Operations	MPRS (Mobil Production Reporting System) was implemented. This is a computerized bookkeeping tool used to track production. The PIMS (Production Information Management System) was also used in conjunction with the distributed control system to analyze data and report trends and history of production data. MPRS was transferred to Nova Scotia from Calgary, Alberta.
SOEI Subsurface	Transfer of geological knowledge in reservoir environment; (reservoir mapping skills, hydrocarbon volume mapping skills) were transferred to Nova Scotia. In addition, petrophysical evaluation techniques for evaluation of complex, geo-pressured gas reserves were also transferred to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Sub-Surface	ExxonMobil geophysics reservoir property mapping knowledge (S. Venture) was transferred to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Sub-Surface	Geophysical mapping for development planning was transferred to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Sub-Surface	Reservoir engineering simulator software expertise was transferred to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Sub-Surface	Reservoir sand strength analysis was transferred to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Tier I Projects	An acoustic emissions technique used to listen for the presence or absence of defects in materials by hearing differences in the noise the material makes in the presence of defects was transferred to Nova Scotia. Identification of FRP stress allowables was also performed. This technique identifies levels of stress that machine parts can withstand before they fail. Freeze thaw tests were performed, and knowledge about FRP porosity was transferred to Nova Scotia as well. This allowed technicians to understand how water permeates through fibreglass material. These technologies and techniques were transferred from the UK.
SOEI Tier I Projects	British Gas - blast analysis (FRP) expertise was transferred to Nova Scotia from the UK.
SOEI Tier I Projects	Advice on acoustic emissions & surge (FRP) was transferred to Nova Scotia from the ExxonMobil Upstream Research Company (Materials Dept.) in Houston.
SOEI Tier I Projects	Fibreglass Structural Engineering Inc. - Stress analysis /FRP material tests / joint integrity expertise was transferred to Nova Scotia from Washington, USA.
SOEI Tier I Projects	Granherne-blast & surge analysis (FRP) expertise was transferred from the UK to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Tier I Projects	Hydraulic Analysis Ltd. - Surge analysis, included replacement (FRP), was transferred from the UK to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Tier I Projects	Lloyd's Register-CA review of tests and analysis was transferred from the UK to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Tier I Projects	Stress Engineering Services-Surge measurement (FRP) was transferred from Houston.
SOEI Tier I Projects	Structural Diagnostic Services Inc. - Acoustic emissions lab & field tests was transferred from the UK to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Well Construction	Two members of the well construction team gained knowledge of the latest drilling technologies at a Society of Petroleum Engineers conference in Houston and brought it back to Nova Scotia.
SOEI Well Construction	WellCAP HPHT well control course - a refresher program on engineering and operations surrounding the control of high pressure/high temperature was offered to 23 members of the well construction team in Nova Scotia effectively transferring skills to Nova Scotia.
Sperry-Sun	Expertise from North Sea related to PPFG course - determination in real-time at rig site was transferred to Nova Scotia from the USA and Norway
Sperry-Sun	Training was provided for "Cassandra", an in-house software program which can be used to correct magnetic surveys (Inclination and Direction) taken with measurement while drilling tools. The program is used to negate magnetic interference caused by an outside source (i.e. drilling magnetisation). This skill was as a result of the training transferred from the U.S. and Norway to Nova Scotia.

Appendix 6

Summary of Public Opinion Research - 2000 Overview

Background:

This report presents a summary of the key research commissioned by Sable Offshore Energy Inc. during 2000 using Corporate Research Association's Atlantic Omnibus Survey, including trend analysis and comparisons with results from 1999.

The key research presented in this report falls into three main sections: overall opinion of the Sable Offshore Energy Project, overall opinion of SOEI, and general perceptions of Sable natural gas issues, including safety, environment and community investment.

These results are based on quarterly telephone interviews with a sample group of 1,500 Atlantic Canadians, 18 years and older. These interviews were conducted in February, May, August and November of 2000.

Overview:

Economic Benefits

The majority of Nova Scotians believe the province will gain significant economic benefits as a result of the Sable natural gas project, and this belief somewhat increased over the last quarter of 2000 but has declined since 1999.

During the fourth quarter of 2000, 64% of those interviewed were in agreement. This belief, however, has declined somewhat since 1999 (70%).

Job Creation

The vast majority (77%) of Nova Scotians believe a significant number of jobs have already been created in the province due to the Sable natural gas project.

These results are similar to those of 1999.

Overall Opinion of Sable Offshore Energy Inc.

The majority of Nova Scotians give Sable Offshore Energy Inc. positive ratings on a battery of surveyed dimensions.

According to the November 2000 Omnibus results, a strong majority of Nova Scotia residents have a favorable opinion of Sable Offshore Energy Inc. as the company working to bring natural gas onshore. Such opinions were consistent throughout the last two years. Specifically, three quarters (75%) of residents offered a positive assessment of Sable Offshore Energy Inc. in 2000.

Residents were probed as to why they had a favorable or unfavorable opinion of the company, and a variety of responses were given. Those Nova Scotians who had a favorable opinion in November were more likely to say it was because they have not heard anything negative regarding Sable Offshore Energy Inc. (22%), while the majority (28%) in August said Sable has created jobs.

Priority on Safety

Three-quarters of Nova Scotians offer a positive assessment of Sable Offshore Energy Inc. with respect to the priority it has placed on safety issues, and this belief has generally increased since 1999.

Nova Scotians were asked whether they agreed or disagreed that Sable Offshore Energy Inc. has placed a high priority on safety issues in its efforts to bring natural gas onshore. Results indicate that there has been a modest strengthening of favorable opinions over the course of the last two years, particularly in the belief that the company is placing a high degree of importance on safety issues. More than three-quarters (77%) of residents agreed in November 2000 that Sable Offshore Energy Inc. makes safety a high priority, as compared to 71 per cent in 1999.

Beyond specific questions concerning Sable Offshore Energy Inc., Nova Scotians also were asked to offer opinions about the overall safety efforts implemented in bringing Sable natural gas onshore. Results indicate virtually no distinction is made between the overall safety effort to bring natural gas onshore, and the safety efforts of Sable Offshore Energy Inc. as the company that is bringing the natural gas to Goldboro. Specifically, based on what Nova Scotians had heard or seen concerning Sable Offshore Energy as of last August and November, about seven in ten agree those working to bring natural gas onshore have placed a high priority on safety issues. Specifically, 68 per cent reported agreeing with this topic in August, while 72 per cent agreed last November. Therefore the safety ratings for Sable Offshore Energy Inc. and the ratings for the project overall, are quite similar, with SOEI achieving marginally higher assessments.

Environmental Concern

The majority of residents believe Sable Offshore Energy Inc. demonstrates a high level of concern for the environment, and these findings remain consistent with those of 1999.

The majority of residents agree Sable Offshore Energy Inc. has a high level of concern for the environment, and these results were found to be consistent throughout the course of 2000. In February 2000, just over seven in ten (72%) Nova Scotians believed that the company placed a high priority on environmental concerns. These numbers have remained stable over the last two years as there was a 73 per cent rating in November 2000, and 70 per cent overall for 1999.

Concern for Communities

Most residents say Sable Offshore Energy Inc. has displayed a concern for the well-being of the communities directly affected by the natural gas project, and this improved modestly over the course of the year.

Over the course of 2000, there was a slight improvement in the public perception that Sable Offshore Energy Inc. has demonstrated a concern for those local areas directly affected by the natural gas project. Specifically, in February two-thirds (65%) of Nova Scotians held the opinion that the company was placing importance on the well-being of the communities directly affected by the project, while this number increased to seven in ten (70%) in November.