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Dear Sir/Madam,

**RE: WOODSIDE PETROLEUM LTD. - EXEMPTION FILE NO. 82.2280**

In accordance with Rule 12g 3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, we enclose the following document/s which has/have recently been filed with the Australian Stock Exchange ("ASX"):

- Stock Exchange Release in relation to WA-299-P (Herdsman-1), lodged with the Australian Stock Exchange on 11 February 2003;
- Stock Exchange Release in relation to Vic/RL2 (Scallop-1), lodged with the Australian Stock Exchange on 11 February 2003.

It would be greatly appreciated if you could return by fax (+61 8 9348 4990) a copy of this letter as proof of receipt.

Yours faithfully  
WOODSIDE PETROLEUM LTD.

**Rebecca Sims**  
**Administration Officer**

11 February 2003



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STOCK EXCHANGE RELEASE

**WA-299-P**  
**Herdsmen-1**

Woodside Petroleum Ltd., Operator of the WA-299-P Joint Venture, reports that the Atwood Falcon drill rig was released on 8 February 2003 from the Herdsmen-1 exploration well.

Since the last report, final wireline logs have been run at a total depth of 2010 metres. The well has been plugged and abandoned as planned.

All reported depths are referenced to the rig rotary table.

Woodside's interest in WA-299-P is 1%. The other participant is Shell Development (Australia) Proprietary Limited (99%).

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Anthony Niardone  
Asst. Company Secretary

11 February 2003



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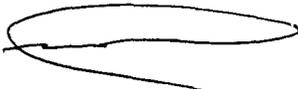
STOCK EXCHANGE RELEASE

**Vic/RL2  
Scallop-1**

Woodside Petroleum Ltd., a participant in the Vic/RL2 Joint Venture, located in the Gippsland Basin, reports that at 13:00 hours (WST) on 10 February 2003, the Scallop-1 exploration well was at a depth of 2007 metres and drilling ahead in 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inch hole. Since the last report, 13<sup>3</sup>/<sub>8</sub> inch casing was set at 901 metres and drilling continued in the 12<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> inch hole from 917 metres to the current depth.

All reported depths are referenced to the rig rotary table.

Woodside's interest in Vic/RL2 is 30.0%. Other participants are Esso Australia Resources Pty Ltd (Operator) (25.0 %), BHP Billiton Petroleum Pty Ltd (25.0%), Santos Offshore Pty Ltd (20%).



ANTHONY NIARDONE  
Asst. Company Secretary