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Securities and Exchange Commission
Office of International Corporate Finance
450 Fifth Street N.W.
Washington DC 20549
United States of America

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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 documents which have recently been filed with the Australian Stock Exchange ("ASX"):

- Stock Exchange Release in relation to WA-10-R (Egret-3), lodged with the Australian Stock Exchange on 20 May 2003;
- Stock Exchange Release in relation to WA-255-P (Skiddaw-1), lodged with the Australian Stock Exchange on 20 May 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
Compliance Officer**

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STOCK EXCHANGE RELEASE

**WA-10-R
- Egret-3**

Woodside Petroleum Ltd., Operator of the WA-10-R Joint Venture, located in the Carnarvon Basin, offshore Western Australia, reports that on 19 May 2003 the Egret-3 exploration and appraisal well was at a depth of 4,794 metres.

Since the last report, drilling has continued in the 8½ inch hole from 4,491 metres to 4,794 metres.

All reported depths are referenced to the rig rotary table.

Woodside's interest in WA-10-R is 16.67%. Other participants in WA-10-R are BHP Billiton Petroleum (North West Shelf) Pty Ltd. (16.67%), BP Developments Australia Ltd. (16.67%), ChevronTexaco Australia Pty Ltd. (16.67%), Japan Australia LNG (MIMI) Pty Ltd. (16.67%) and Shell Development (Australia) Pty Ltd. (16.67%).

Three of the six permit holders - Woodside, BHP Billiton Petroleum (North West Shelf) Pty Ltd. and Japan Australia LNG (MIMI) Pty Ltd - are equal sole risk participants in testing the deeper exploration objective of the well.

ANTHONY NIARDONE
Assistant Company Secretary

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STOCK EXCHANGE RELEASE

WA-255-P
Skiddaw-1

Woodside Petroleum Ltd, reports it is currently preparing to sidetrack the Skiddaw-1 exploration well, located in permit WA-255-P.

Since the last report the 8¹/₂ inch hole has been drilled to 2,192m.

All reported depths are referenced to the rig rotary table.

Equal joint venture participants in WA-255-P are BHP Billiton Petroleum (Australia) Pty Ltd (operator) and Woodside Energy Ltd.

ANTHONY NIARDONE
Assistant Company Secretary