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Re: Saipem S.p.A. - File No. 82.4776

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Dear Sirs,

Please find enclosed the following documents that are being furnished pursuant to Rule 12g3-2(b) under the Securities Exchange Act of 1934:

- Saipem Press Release dated 17th September 2008
- Saipem Press Release dated 25th September 2008

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If you have any questions or comments or require further information, please contact Mr. Giulio Bozzini, telephone number -- (2) 52033202 or Mr. Michele Nebbioli, telephone number -- (2) 52054276.

Yours faithfully,

Michele Nebbioli/



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Saipem S.p.A.

(Exact name of Registrant as specified in its charter)

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Saipem Press Release

San Donato Milanese (Milan), 17 September 2008 - A serious work related accident occurred today

in the afternoon aboard of Saipem 7000 vessel, during the operations for the laying of the

MEDGAZ trans-Mediterranean pipeline in international waters between Algeria and Spain. Three

people deceased, while one is missing and other four are injured. The company is currently

investigating the causes of the accident.

Saipem, 43% owned by Eni, is organised in three Business Units: Offshore, Onshore and Drilling, with a

strong bias towards oil & gas related activities in remote areas and deepwater. Saipem is a leader in the

provision of engineering, procurement, project management and construction services with distinctive

capabilities in the design and the execution of large scale offshore and onshore projects, and technological

competences such as gas monetisation and heavy oil exploitation.

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Saipem awarded new offshore drilling contracts

worth USD 830 million

San Donato Milanese (Milan), 25 September 2008 - Saipem has been awarded three new offshore drilling

contracts worth a total value of approximately USD 830 million. The contracts are for the charter of

Saipem's Scarabeo 7, Scarabeo 3 and Scarabeo 6 offshore drilling rigs, in West Africa and Egypt.

The first contract has been assigned to Saipem by Eni, which will use Saipem's Scarabeo 7 off the coasts of

West Africa for 3 years, with work commencing in the fourth quarter of 2011. Scarabeo 7 is a fourth-

generation semi-submersible rig capable of operating in water depths of up to 1,500 metres and drilling to

depths of up to 8,500 metres.

The second contract has been assigned to Saipem by Addax Petroleum, extending their charter of Saipem's

semi-submersible Scarabeo 3 rig for use off the coast of Nigeria, for a period of two years. Scarabeo 3 is a

second-generation semi-submersible rig capable of operating in water depths of up to 500 metres and drilling

to depths of up to 8,000 metres.

The third contract, awarded to Saipem by Burullus Gas Company, is for the extension of the charter of

Saipem's semi-submersible Scarabeo 6 rig, for use in Egyptian waters for one year, taking effect in the first

quarter of 2010. Scarabeo 6 is a third-generation semi-submersible rig capable of operating in water depths

of up to 780 meters and drilling to depths of up to 7,500 metres.

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