THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF NIGERIA



ORIGINAL

PETROLEUM PROSPECTING LICENCE



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PETROLEUM PROSPECTING LICENCE No. 214, granted pursuant to the Petroleum IndustryAct, 2021

THIS LICENCE is granted on this 28th day of June, 2022

By

THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA, acting through the Honourable Minister of Petroleum Resources (or any person designated by the President of the Federal Republicof Nigeria as having responsibility for overseeing the petroleum industry), whose address is at NNPC Towers, Central Business District, FCT, Abuja (hereinafter referred to as the "Government");

In favour of

- SEISTECH ENERGY LIMITED, a company incorporated under the laws of the Federal Republic of Nigeria with RC No. 779909, whose registered address is at 27 Adeyemo Alakija Street, Victoria Island, Lagos State, Nigeria;
- 2. SUBLIME EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION COMPANY LIMITED, a company incorporated under the laws of the Federal Republic of Nigeria with RC No. 1679054, whose registered address is at Plot 7 Block 136 Goshen Estate Road, Lekki Phase 1, Lagos State, Nigeria; and
- 3. ROSA MYSTICA ENERGY LIMITED, a company incorporated under the laws of the Federal Republic of Nigeria with RC No. 1161601, whose registered address is at Plot 202 Etim Inyang Crescent, Victoria Island, Lagos State, Nigeria.

(all hereinafter referred to as the "Licensees" which expression shall, where the context so admits include their successors-in-title and assigns).

WHEREAS the property and ownership of Petroleum within Nigeria, its territorial waters, continental shelf and exclusive economic zone is vested in the Government of the Federation of Nigeria.

WHEREAS under the Petroleum Industry Act 2021 (Act), the Minister is vested with the power to grant Petroleum Prospecting Licences on behalf of the Government; while the Nigerian Upstream Petroleum Regulatory Commission (Commission) is responsible for the technical and commercial regulation of the upstream petroleum industry in Nigeria, including the determination and recommendation of applicants who have fulfilled the conditions for the grant of petroleum prospecting licences.

WHEREAS the Licensees have emerged the winning bidders following the conclusion of an open, transparent, competitive and non-discriminatory bidding process conducted by the Commission for the right to conduct Upstream Petroleum Operations in respect of PETROLEUM PROSPECTING LICENCE (PPL) 214 as more particularly described in Schedule B (the "Licence Area") or are otherwise entitled to the grant of the Licence pursuant to the Act.

WHEREAS the Commission has recommended to the Minister that the Licensees be granted the Licenceand the Minister on behalf of the Government has accepted the Commission's recommendation and hasagreed to grant the Licence to the Licensees based on the terms contained herein.

AND WHEREAS the Licensees have represented that they have the required financial capability, technical competence, and resources necessary to carry out Upstream Petroleum Operations within the Licence Area and have paid the sum of Seven Billion, Seven Hundred and Forty-Two Million, Eight Hundred and Fifty Thousand Naira (₹7,742,850,000.00) as signature bonus and fulfilled all other statutory conditions as contained in the Act for the grant of the Licence.

NOW THEREFORE:

- In this Licence all capitalised words and expressions shall have the meanings
 assigned to themin the General Licence Conditions hereinafter attached as Schedule
 A.
- 2. The following documents shall be deemed to form and be read and construed as part of this Licence:
 - 2.1. Schedule A General Licence Conditions
 - 2.2. Schedule B Licence Area Description
 - 2.3. Annexure 1 Concession Contract
 - 2.4. Annexure 2 Work Programme
 - 2.5. Annexure 3 WP Performance Security
- 3. In consideration of the Licensees paying the Signature Bonus to the Government, the Government as beneficial owner of any Petroleum within the Licence Area, hereby grants this Licence to the Licensees, subject to the Petroleum Industry Act, 2021 and any subsidiary legislation thereunder now in force or which may come into force during

the continuance of this Licence, and subject to the terms and conditions contained in this Licence, its Schedules and Annexures, the following rights:

- 3.1. to carry out Petroleum Exploration Operations within the Licence Area on a non-exclusive basis;
- 3.2. to drill exploration and appraisal wells and undertake corresponding test production withinthe Licence Area on an exclusive basis;
- 3.3. to carry away and dispose of crude oil or natural gas won or extracted during the activities in 3.2 above.
- 4. The term of this Licence shall be *three* (3) years commencing from the date all this 28th day of June 2022 (the "Licence Commencement Date") and may be extended in accordance with the terms of the General Licence Conditions.
- 5. Consequent on the grant of the Licence, each of the Licensees' participating interest in the Licence is as follows:
 - 5.1. SEISTECH ENERGY LIMITED 40.02%
 - 5.2. SUBLIME EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION COMPANY LTD 29.84%
 - 5.3. ROSA MYSTICA ENERGY LIMITED 30.14%

provided that each Licensee shall have an undivided interest in the Licence Area.

6. The Licensees hereby accept the grant of the Licence and covenant to abide by the restrictions and conditions as contained in Schedule A and Annexure 1 as well as all legislations and directivespertaining to this Licence, both existing and issued by the Commission from time to time.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have executed and delivered this document the date and year first above written.

SIGNED AND DELIVERED

BY THE HONOURABLE MINISTER OF PETROLEUM RESOURCES FOR AND ON BEHALF OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE FEDERATION OF NIGERIA

IN THE PRESENCE OF: ENGR. GBENGA KOMOLAFE FNSE **COMMISSION CHIEF EXECUTIVE** THE NIGERIAN UPSTREAM PETROLEUM REGULATORY COMMISSION ACCEPTED BY THE WITHIN NAMED LICENSEES SEISTECH ENERGY LIMITED Acting by Director/Secretary Director **SUBLIME EXPLORATION &** PRODUCTION COMPANY LTD Acting by Director/Secretary Director ROSA MYSTICA ENERGY LIMITED Acting by Director/Secretary Director THE NIGERIAN UPSTREAM **PETROLEUM** AUTHENTICATED BY REGULATORY COMMISSION this 28TH DAY OF JUNE, 2022

OLAYEMI ANYANECHI COMMISSION SECRETARY AND LEGAL ADVISER NIGERIAN UPSTREAM PETROLEUM REGULATORY COMMISSION



