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CASTROL'S TOTAL LUBRICATION SOLUTIONS IN THE SPOTLIGHT AT OFFSHORE EUROPE 2013

Booth #2E70, Aberdeen Exhibition & Conference Centre, Aberdeen, UK, 3 – 6 Sept 2013

Pangbourne, UK, Monday 19th August 2013 - Global lubricants supplier Castrol Offshore is pleased to once again be part of Offshore Europe, taking place 3-6 September. The company, with over three decades experience in the North Sea, will be showcasing its specialist product ranges and global supply and service capabilities in the surface production, drilling and subsea market on stand #2E70.

Greeted by the growing team in Aberdeen based out of new and expanded facilities in Westhill, visitors to the booth will be able to learn more about Castrol's industry-leading approaches to 'liquid engineering' across all areas of offshore exploration and production – both in the North Sea region and beyond.

Whether it is delivering lubrication audits, assessing and improving reliability, advising on legislation and requirements to minimise environmental impact, providing training or implementing best-in-class customer service and support, visitors to booth #2E70 will be able to discuss the most appropriate high performance lubrication products and solutions Castrol has to offer. Experts will be on hand at this, the largest European offshore engineering show, to present the latest developments involving flagship product ranges Castrol Ultimax and Castrol GreenField™. The ranges are designed to ensure operational efficiency and reliability for drilling and production applications.

"Offshore Europe comes at a great time for Castrol in the North Sea," says Barry Underwood, Castrol's Regional Sales Manager, Surface Production & Drilling. "We've relocated from Bridge of Don to Westhill in order to better service our customers. We're increasing on-the-ground headcount by 30% and updating our state of the art facilities – all because of our continued commercial success."

Underwood adds, "Castrol has a track record second to none when it comes to supporting the offshore sector through working with the majority of the exploration and production players as well as being specified by the largest contractors and OEMs. Key regions such as Gulf of Mexico, Asia Pacific, Europe, Caspian and the Middle East are now benefitting from our achievements 'at home'. But the North Sea will always be important, as it is where it all began."

Castrol provides millions of litres of lubrication to original equipment manufacturers and operators across the globe every year. For information and advice on how Castrol can deliver optimum performance and efficiency to your offshore operation, visit stand #2E70 at Offshore Europe 2013, Aberdeen.

Editor's note:

Castrol Offshore is a fully integrated global supplier of lubricants and control fluids dedicated to the offshore industry. From the smallest onshore drilling rigs to the world's most demanding deepwater production platforms or subsea control systems, Castrol Offshore delivers the highest quality lubricants coupled with an expert technical support network and supply capability, wherever our customers require them. With over 30 years' industry experience, its customer base includes major drilling and production companies and it has offices and supply points servicing all of the world's major offshore centres. Castrol Offshore is headquartered in the UK, but is a truly global company represented in all of the major oil and gas locations around the world. Focused solely on the exploration and production industry, Castrol Offshore has the experience, product range and technical expertise necessary to deliver significant reliability and operation improvements to our customers, wherever they operate. **Castrol, it's more than just oil, it's liquid engineering.**

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