

Form 604

Corporations Act 2001
Section 671B

Notice of Change of interests of substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme Nido Petroleum LimitedACN/ARSN 086 630 373

1. Details of substantial holder

Name Ward Ferry Management (BVI) Limited (As Investment Manager)

ACN/ARSN (if applicable) _____

There was a change of interests of the substantial holder on 22/Dec/2009The previous notice was given to the company on 9/Dec/2009The previous notice was dated 8/Dec/2009

2. Previous and present voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in when last required, and when now required, to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme, are as follows:

Class of Securities (4)	Previous Notice		Present Notice	
	Person's votes	Voting power (5)	Person's Votes	Voting Power
Ordinary	75,820,249	7.22%	86,393,297	8.22%

3. Changes in relevant interests

Particulars of each change in, or change in the nature of, a relevant interest of the substantial holder or an associate in voting securities of the company or scheme, since the substantial holder was last required to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme as follows:

Date of change	Person whose relevant interest changed	Nature of change (6)	Consideration given in relation to change (7)	Class and number of securities affected	Person's votes affected
22 Dec 2009	Ward Ferry Management (BVI) Limited, as Investment Manager to WF Asian Smaller Companies Fund Limited and WF Asian Reconnaissance Fund Limited	(A) WF Asian Smaller Companies Fund Limited purchased 7,981,952 shares from 9 December 2009 to 22 December 2009	AUD 1,383,130.51	7,981,952 Ordinary Shares	7,981,952
		(B) WF Asian Reconnaissance Fund Limited purchased 2,591,096 shares from 9 December 2009 to 22 December 2009	AUD 448,990.91	2,591,096 Ordinary Shares	2,591,096

4. Present relevant interests

Particulars of each relevant interest of the substantial holder in voting securities after the change are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Nature of relevant interest (6)	Class and number of securities	Person's votes
Ward Ferry Management (BVI) Limited	HSBC Custody Nominees Australia Limited - A/C 2	WF Asian Smaller Companies Fund Limited	Beneficial Owner	64,720,739 Ordinary Shares	64,720,739
Ward Ferry Management (BVI) Limited	HSBC Custody Nominees Australia Limited - A/C 2	WF Asian Reconnaissance Fund Limited	Beneficial Owner	21,672,558 Ordinary Shares	21,672,558

5. Changes in association

The persons who have become associates (2) of, ceased to be associates of, or have changed the nature of their association (9) with, the substantial holder in relation to voting interests in the company or scheme are as follows:

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association
N/A	

6. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
Ward Ferry Management (BVI) Limited	2906-07, One Exchange Square, Central, Hong Kong
WF Asian Smaller Companies Fund Limited	2906-07, One Exchange Square, Central, Hong Kong
WF Asian Reconnaissance Fund Limited	2906-07, One Exchange Square, Central, Hong Kong

For and on behalf of
WARD FERRY MANAGEMENT (BVI) LIMITED

Signature

print name _____ capacity Annie Lai - Authorized Signature

sign here  _____
Authorized Signature(s) date 28 December 2009

DIRECTIONS

- (1) If there are a number of substantial holders with similar or related relevant interests (eg. a corporation and its related corporations, or the manager and trustee of an equity trust), the names could be included in an annexure to the form. If the relevant interests of a group of persons are essentially similar, they may be referred to throughout the form as a specifically named group, if the membership of each group, with the names and addresses of members is clearly set out in paragraph 6 of the form.
- (2) See the definition of "associate" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (3) See the definition of "relevant interest" in sections 608 and 671B(7) of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (4) The voting shares of a company constitute one class unless divided into separate classes.
- (5) The person's votes divided by the total votes in the body corporate or scheme multiplied by 100.
- (6) Included details of:
 - (a) any relevant agreement or other circumstances because of which the change in relevant interest occurred. If subsection 671B(4) applies, a copy of any document setting out the terms of any relevant agreement, and a statement by the person giving full and accurate details of any contract, scheme or arrangement must accompany this form, together with a written statement certifying this contract, scheme or arrangement; and
 - (b) any qualification of the power of a person to exercise, control the exercise of, or influence the exercise of, the voting powers or disposal of the securities to which the relevant interest relates (indicating clearly the particular securities to which the qualification applies).

See definition of "relevant agreement" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (7) Details of the consideration must include any and all benefits, money and other, that any person from whom a relevant interest was acquired has, or may, become entitled to receive in relation to that acquisition. Details must be included even if the benefit is conditional on the happening or not of a contingency. Details must be included of any benefit paid on behalf of the substantial holder or its associate in relation to the acquisitions, even if they are not paid directly to the person from whom the relevant interest was acquired.
- (8) If the substantial holder is unable to determine the identity of the person (eg. relevant interest arises because of an option) write "unknown".
- (9) Give details, if appropriate, of the present association and any change in that association since the last substantial holding notice