We refer to your letter dated 10 April 2006 where you request confirmation in writing that rehabilitation has been carried out on the said EL's above.

"The only ground disturbing work that was completed on EL9695 and 10117 was a short aircore drilling program whereby two holes were drilled on 9695 and six on 10117 in May 2005. These drillholes were rehabilitated <u>immediately after drilling</u> by drill spoils being poured back down the drillholes where possible and the remaining spoils were buried in a 1m deep hole dug by shovel. Holes were plugged and dead vegetation was spread around each drillsite to reduce visual impact. No access tracks were cleared, however where the drill rig drove off road to access drill sites, any wheel ruts were raked when the drill returned to existing track. No work was undertaken on 23628".

Kind Regards,

**Tim Richards** 

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