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Via ASX Online

Dear Sirs,

OPERATIONS UPDATE THAILAND NS-4 APPRAISAL WELL SPUDDED

The NS-4 appraisal well was spudded on 30 April and has been drilled to a depth of 68 metres. Current operation is running 9 5/8" casing before drilling ahead.

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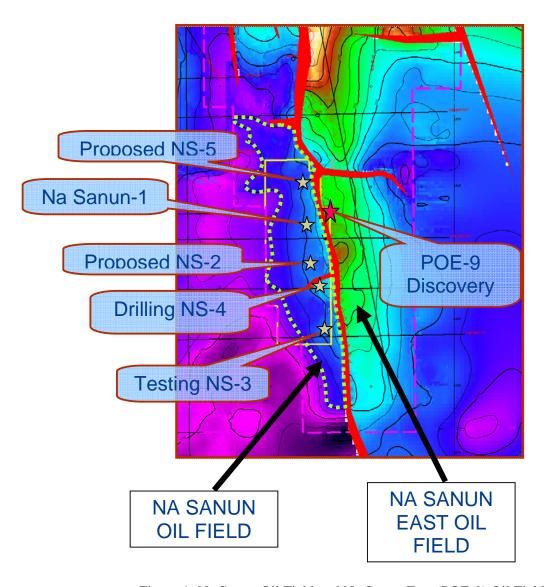


Figure 1: Na Sanun Oil Field and Na Sanun East (POE-9) Oil Field