



Kosmos Energy Provides Update on Jubilee Field Operations

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DALLAS--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Feb. 18, 2016-- Kosmos Energy (NYSE: KOS) announced today that it has been informed by Tullow Oil plc ("Tullow"), operator of the Jubilee Unit, of a change to operating procedures on the Jubilee field Floating Production Storage and Offloading vessel (FPSO).

Following a recent inspection of the turret area of the Jubilee FPSO by SOFEC, the original turret manufacturer, a potential issue was identified with the turret bearing. As a precautionary measure, additional operating procedures to monitor the turret bearing and reduce the degree of rotation of the vessel are being put in place.

SOFEC will now undertake further offshore examinations and Tullow will work with SOFEC to determine what further measures will be required. Oil production and gas export is continuing as normal.

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