



Republic of South Sudan

Ministry of Petroleum

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CEO, Star Petroleum SA

Subject: Termination of Negotiations on Block E2 with Star Petroleum SA

Dear Sir,

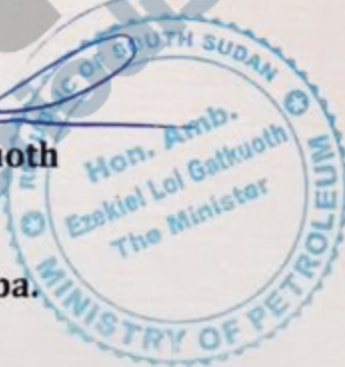
Reference is made to the above subject. The Ministry of Petroleum in the Republic of South Sudan would like to inform Star Petroleum SA that base on our findings the on-going negotiations on Exploration and Production Sharing Agreement (EPSA) on Block E2 is hereby terminated due to our believe that Star Petroleum SA lacks financial and technical capacity that resulted in Star Petroleum SA's failure to fulfill its material obligations, therefore violates the provisions of Section 18 of the Republic of South Sudan Petroleum Act 2012 among others.

Given the existing status quo, the Ministry of Petroleum is left with no option but to declare termination of the relationship.

Please, accept the assurances of my highest consideration and best regards.

Truly Yours

Hon. Amb. Ezekiel Lol Gatkuoth
Minister,
Ministry of Petroleum
Republic of South Sudan, Juba.



Cc: Mr. Arkangelo Okwang Oler, Acting Undersecretary and Director General of Planning, Training and Research.

Cc: Eng. Awow Daniel Chuang, Director General for Petroleum Authority.

Cc: Mr. Angok Daniel, Legal Advisor.

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The Minister

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