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(incorporated in Bermuda with limited liability) (Stock Code: 342)

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TRADING HALT

At the request of NewOcean Energy Holdings Limited (the "Company"), trading in the shares of the Company on The Stock Exchange of Hong Kong Limited has been halted with effect from 1:00 p.m. on Wednesday 10 April 2013 pending the release of an announcement in relation to inside information of the Company.

By Order of the Board Shum Siu Hung Chairman

Hong Kong, 10 April 2013

As at the date of this announcement, the Board of the Company comprises Mr. Shum Siu Hung, Mr. Lawrence Shum Chun, Mr. Cen Ziniu, Mr. Raymond Chiu Sing Chung, Mr. Brian Siu Ka Fai and Mr. Wang Jian, being the Executive Directors, Mr. Anthony Cheung Kwan Hung, Mr. Benedict Chan Yuk Wai and Dr. Xu Mingshe being the Independent Non-executive Directors.

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