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Clearance from Norwegian Competition Authorities for merger obtained

Oslo, Norway, 12 September, 2007 On 20 August 2007, TGS-NOPEC Geophysical Company ASA ("TGS") and Wavefield Inseis ASA ("Wavefield Inseis") jointly announced that the boards of directors of both companies had entered into a Merger Plan to merge and create TGS Wavefield.

Today, 12 September 2007, TGS and Wavefield Inseis are pleased to announce that Norwegian Competition Authorities clearance for the proposed merger of TGS and Wavefield Inseis has been obtained. The merger of TGS and Wavefield Inseis does not require any additional clearances from any competition authorities.

Further information on the merger can be obtained at www.tgsnopec.com, www.wavefield-inseis.com and www.oslobors.no.

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