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Dear Sir/Madam

RE: CHANGE OF DIRECTOR'S INTEREST NOTICE CEASING TO BE A SUBSTANTIAL HOLDER

Please find attached an Appendix 3Y- Change of Director's Interest Notice, and Form 605- Notice of ceasing to be a substantial holder, for Mr James Carver.

By order of the Board

MERMAID MARINE AUSTRALIA LIMITED

PETER RAYNOR
Company Secretary

Rule 3.19A.2

Appendix 3Y

Change of Director's Interest Notice

Information or documents not available now must be given to ASX as soon as available. Information and documents given to ASX become ASX's property and may be made public.

Introduced 30/9/2001.

Name of entity	MERMAID MARINE AUSTRALIA LIMITED
ABN	21 083 185 693

We (the entity) give ASX the following information under listing rule 3.19A.2 and as agent for the director for the purposes of section 205G of the Corporations Act.

Name of Director	JAMES HENRY CARVER
Date of last notice	23 June 2006

Part 1 - Change of director's relevant interests in securities

In the case of a trust, this includes interests in the trust made available by the responsible entity of the trust

Direct or indirect interest	Indirect
Nature of indirect interest (including registered holder) Note: Provide details of the circumstances giving rise to the relevant interest.	Sawtell Pty Ltd
Date of change	23 February 2007
No. of securities held prior to change	9,600,826
Class	Ordinary
Number acquired	
Number disposed	4,600,000
Value/Consideration Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and estimated valuation	\$5,290,000 (\$1.15 per share)
No. of securities held after change	5,000,826
Nature of change Example: on-market trade, off-market trade, exercise of options, issue of securities under dividend reinvestment plan, participation in buy-back	On Market Trade

⁺ See chapter 19 for defined terms.

30/9/2001

Part 2 – Change of director's interests in contracts

Detail of contract	
Nature of interest	
Name of registered holder	
(if issued securities)	
Date of change	
No. and class of securities to which	
interest related prior to change Note: Details are only required for a contract in	
relation to which the interest has changed	
Interest acquired	
Interest disposed	
,	
Value/Consideration	
Note: If consideration is non-cash, provide details and an estimated valuation	
Interest after change	

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Form 605

Corporations Act 2001 Section 671B

Notice of ceasing to be a substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme

MERMAID MARINE AUSTRALIA LTD

ACN/ARSN

083 185 693

1. Details of substantial holder(1)

Name

SAWTELL PTY LTD

ACN/ARSN (if applicable)

267 086 963

The holder ceased to be a

substantial holder on

23/02/07

The previous notice was given to the company on

23/06/06

The previous notice was dated

23/06/06

2. Changes in relevant interests

Particulars of each change in, or change in the nature of, a relevant interest (2) of the substantial holder or an associate (3) in voting securities of the company or scheme, since the substantial holder was last required to give a substantial holding notice to the company or scheme are as follows:

Date of change	Person whose relevant interest changed	Nature of change (4)	Consideration given in relation to change(5)	Class (6) and number of securities affected	Person's votes affected
23/02/07	SAWTELL PTY LTD	SALE OF SHARES	\$5,290,826	4,600,000	4,600,000

3. Changes in association

The persons who have become associates (3) of, ceased to be associates of, or have changed the nature of their association (7) with, the substantial holder in relation to voting interests in the company or scheme are as follows:

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association

4. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
SAWTELL PTY LTD	PO BOX 1, PALMYRA 6857

Signature

print name JIM CARVER

capacity DIRECTOR

sign here

date 26 / 2 / 07

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- (1) If there are a number of substantial holders with similar or related relevant interests (eg. a corporation and its related corporations, or the manager and trustee of an equity trust), the names could be included in an annexure to the form. If the relevant interests of a group of persons are essentially similar, they may be referred to throughout the form as a specifically named group if the membership of each group, with the names and addresses of members is clearly set out in paragraph 4 of the form.
- (2) See the definition of "relevant interest" in sections 608 and 671B(7) of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (3) See the definition of "associate" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.
- (4) Include details of:
 - (a) any relevant agreement or other circumstances because of which the change in relevant interest occurred. If subsection 671B(4) applies, a copy of any document setting out the terms of any relevant agreement, and a statement by the person giving full and accurate details of any contract, scheme or arrangement, must accompany this form, together with a written statement certifying this contract, scheme or arrangement; and
 - (b) any qualification of the power of a person to exercise, control the exercise of, or influence the exercise of, the voting powers or disposal of the securities to which the relevant interest relates (indicating clearly the particular securities to which the qualification applies).

See the definition of "relevant agreement" in section 9 of the Corporations Act 2001.

- (5) Details of the consideration must include any and all benefits, money and other, that any person from whom a relevant interest was acquired has, or may, become entitled to receive in relation to that acquisition. Details must be included even if the benefit is conditional on the happening or not of a contingency. Details must be included of any benefit paid on behalf of the substantial holder or its associate in relation to the acquisitions, even if they are not paid directly to the person from whom the relevant interest was acquired.
- (6) The voting shares of a company constitute one class unless divided into separate classes.
- (7) Give details, if appropriate, of the present association and any change in that association since the last substantial holding notice.