

From: Little, Ian
Sent: Thu Jan 15 14:39:47 2009
To: Sims, David C
Subject: Re: Macondo
Importance: Normal

David, thanks. Great work already getting to this level of understanding.
Ian

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From: Sims, David C
To: Little, Ian
Sent: Thu Jan 15 08:24:12 2009
Subject: RE: Macondo

Ian,

We had a kick-off meeting yesterday afternoon. Mainly discussed timing. AUV survey and analysis of the data is one of the constraining issues. Generally, this would take about 2 months. Then the mooring analyses start, then the EP would be submitted (up to 60 day approval process). Craig Scherschel is going to see how much this can be shortened. First look at tangibles is not good. I need to talk with Al this morning to understand this better. No spare wellhead or tubulars unless we steal from another well. Burst disks will take about 8 weeks. This well is very similar to Isabela which we installed as a keeper. There is a good argument for doing this one the same way. It's a one or two well subsea development, straight hole, one zone. The tentative spud dates we came up with, without knowing the tangible situation or any mooring-related issues, are April 1 (P10), April 15 (P50), and May 1 (P90). These could change if the AUV data analysis and mooring analyses drag out. I'll get a note out tomorrow also.

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From: Little, Ian
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To: Sims, David C
Subject: Macondo

David, I talked to Kevin "acy yesterday and he wants to proceed with Macondo planning for the Marianas, he also wants the H2 well planned also. I said we would get with Jon and Andy to talk about resources early next week. I also said you would give us an update of when you think we could be ready to drill on Friday - can you send a note with any update tomorrow am?

Thanks, Ian

