

Transocean Ltd. Provides Quarterly Fleet Status Report

STEINHAUSEN, Switzerland—February 9, 2023—Transocean Ltd. (NYSE: RIG) today issued a quarterly Fleet Status Report that provides the current status of, and contract information for, the company's fleet of offshore drilling rigs.

This quarter's report includes the following updates:

- Deepwater Corcovado Awarded a four-year contract in Brazil at a current rate of \$400,000 per day, as adjusted for foreign currency exchange.
- Deepwater Orion Awarded a three-year contract in Brazil at current rate of \$417,000 per day, as adjusted for foreign currency exchange.
- *Dhirubhai Deepwater KG2* Awarded a 910-day contract in Brazil at a current rate of \$439,000 per day, as adjusted for foreign currency exchange.
- Deepwater Invictus Awarded a three-well contract in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico at \$425,000 per day.
- Transocean Barents Awarded a one-well contract in the U.K. North Sea at \$310,000 per day.
- *Transocean Norge* Certain previously disclosed options in Norway have been added to backlog at current dayrates between \$414,000 and \$424,000 per day, as adjusted for foreign currency exchange.
- Development Driller III Customer exercised a one-well option in Suriname at \$360,000 per day.
- *Deepwater Asgard* Customer exercised a one-well option in the U.S. Gulf of Mexico at \$395,000 per day.
- Paul B. Loyd Jr. Customer exercised an eight-well option in the U.K. North Sea at \$175,000 per day.

The aggregate incremental backlog associated with these fixtures is approximately \$1.9 billion. As of February 9, the company's total backlog is approximately \$8.5 billion.

The report can be accessed on the company's website: www.deepwater.com.

About Transocean

Transocean is a leading international provider of offshore contract drilling services for oil and gas wells. Transocean specializes in technically demanding sectors of the global offshore drilling business with a particular focus on deepwater and harsh environment drilling services and operates the highest specification floating offshore drilling fleet in the world.

Transocean owns or has partial ownership interests in and operates a fleet of 37 mobile offshore drilling units, consisting of 27 ultra-deepwater floaters and 10 harsh environment floaters. In addition, Transocean is constructing one ultra-deepwater drillship and holds a noncontrolling ownership interest in a company that is constructing one ultra-deepwater drillship.

Forward-Looking Statements

The statements described herein that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, and Section 21E of the Securities

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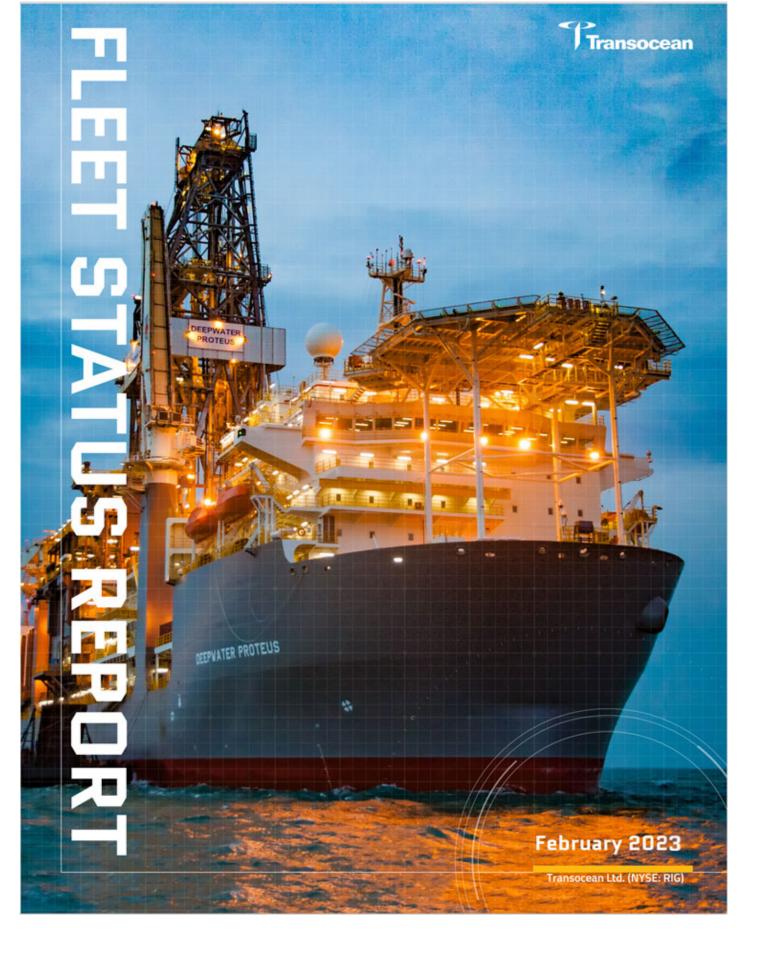
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				Yr. ⁽¹⁾	Water	Drilling			Estimated	Estimated	Current	Previous	
	Footnote	Floater		Entered	Depth	Depth			Contract	Expiration	Contract (3)	Contract (3)	
Rig Type/Name	References	Type	DP	Service	(Feet)	(Feet)	Location	Customer	Start Date (2)	Date (2)	(Dollars)	(Dollars)	Additional Comments
Rigs Under Construction (1)	(0) (45)	- India		TDA	40.000	40.000	1100014	Observan	00.0000	00.0000	455.000	N1/A	
Deepwater Titan	(6), (15)	ship	*	TBA	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Chevron	Q2 2023	Q2 2028	455,000	N/A	
Ultra-Deepwater (27) Deepwater Atlas	(8), (9), (27)	ship	*	2022	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Beacon	Oct-22	Jun-23	315,000	N/A	Excludes additional services
Deepwater Atlas	(9), (28)	Silip	•	2022	12,000	40,000	OSGOW	Deacon	Jun-23	Sep-23	313,000	N/A	20,000 psi BOP installation
	(8), (9)								Sep-23	Jun-24	455,000	N/A	Excludes additional services
Deepwater Poseidon	(6)	ship	*	2018	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Shell	Sep-18	Feb-28	478,000	N/A	Excitates additional convisco
Deepwater Pontus	(6)	ship	*	2017	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Shell	Oct-17	Oct-27	476,000	N/A	
Deepwater Conqueror	(6), (8), (23)	ship	*	2016	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Chevron	Jun-22	Mar-23	335,000	335,000	Excludes additional services
·	(24)						USGOM	Not Disclosed	Apr-23	Mar-25	440,000	335,000	Excludes additional services
Deepwater Proteus	(6)	ship	*	2016	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Shell	Aug-16	May-26	481,000	N/A	
Deepwater Thalassa	(6)	ship	*	2016	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Shell	Jul-16	Feb-26	480,000	N/A	
Ocean Rig Apollo		ship	*	2015	12,000	40,000				Stacked May-16			
Deepwater Asgard		ship	*	2014	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Murphy Oil Corporation	Nov-22	Feb-23	395,000	395,000	
							USGOM	Murphy Oil Corporation	Feb-23	Apr-23	395,000	395,000	
	(25)							Not Disclosed	Apr-23	Apr-24	440,000	395,000	Excludes additional services
Deepwater Invictus	(6)	ship	*	2014	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Woodside	Oct-22	Mar-23	375,000	305,000	
							USGOM	Not Disclosed	Apr-23	Jul-23	425,000	375,000	
Ocean Rig Athena		ship	*	2014	12,000	40,000				Stacked Mar-17			
Deepwater Skyros	(8)	ship	*	2013	12,000	40,000	Angola	TotalEnergies	Dec-22	Jun-24	310,000	195,000	
Ocean Rig Mylos	(=) (2)	ship	*	2013	12,000	40,000				Stacked Sep-16			
Deepwater Corcovado	(7), (8)	ship	*	2011	10,000	35,000	Brazil	Petrobras	Dec-19	Jul-23	203,000	N/A	
	(7), (8)			0044	40.000	05.000	Brazil	Not Disclosed	Aug-23	Jul-27	400,000	203,000	
Deepwater Mykonos	(7), (8)	ship	*	2011	10,000	35,000	Brazil	Petrobras	Nov-19	Sep-23	224,000	N/A	
D	(7), (8)	- 1- 1		0044	40.000	05.000	Brazil	Petrobras	Oct-23	Nov-24	366,000	224,000	
Deepwater Orion Deepwater Champion	(7), (8)	ship	*	2011 2011	10,000 12,000	35,000 40,000	Brazil	Not Disclosed	Nov-23	Nov-26 Stacked Feb-16	417,000	N/A	
Discoverer Inspiration		ship ship	*	2010	12,000	40,000	USGOM	Hess	Dec-21	Apr-23	215,000	N/A	
Discoverer inspiration		SHIP	*	2010	12,000	40,000	USGOM	EnVen Energy	Apr-23	Арт-23 Мау-23	290,000	215,000	
							USGOM	EnVen Energy	May-23	Jun-23	300,000	290,000	
Discoverer India		ship	*	2010	12,000	40,000	OOOOWI	Enven Energy	Way-25	Stacked Jul-20	300,000	250,000	
Dhirubhai Deepwater KG2	(7), (8)	ship	*	2010	12,000	35,000	Brazil	Not Disclosed	Aug-23	Mar-26	439,000	N/A	
Discoverer Luanda	(), ()	ship	*	2010	7,500	40,000	2142	1101 210010004	710.9 _0	Stacked Feb-18	100,000		
Discoverer Americas		ship	*	2009	12,000	40,000				Stacked Apr-16			
Discoverer Clear Leader		ship	*	2009	12,000	40,000				Stacked Jun-19			
Petrobras 10000	(6), (7), (16)	ship	*	2009	12,000	37,500	Brazil	Petrobras	Mar-22	Mar-23	317,000	N/A	
	(6), (7), (16)	•					Brazil	Petrobras	Mar-23	Oct-23	326,000	N/A	
	(6), (7), (16)						Brazil	Petrobras	Oct-23	Oct-24	393,000	N/A	
	(6), (7), (16)						Brazil	Petrobras	Oct-24	Oct-25	405,000	N/A	
	(6), (7), (16)						Brazil	Petrobras	Oct-25	Oct-26	417,000	N/A	
	(6), (7), (16)						Brazil	Petrobras	Oct-26	Oct-27	430,000	N/A	
	(6), (7), (16)						Brazil	Petrobras	Oct-27	Oct-28	442,000	N/A	
	(6), (7), (16)						Brazil	Petrobras	Oct-28	Jul-29	456,000	N/A	
Dhirubhai Deepwater KG1	(14), (17)	ship	*	2009	12,000	35,000	India	Reliance	Jan-23	Aug-23	194,000	330,000	
							India	Reliance	Aug-23	Oct-23	330,000	194,000	
Development Driller III	(8)	semi	*	2009	7,500	37,500	Suriname	TotalEnergies	Feb-23	May-23	345,000	331,000	Excludes additional services
	(8)						Suriname	TotalEnergies	May-23	Aug-23	360,000	345,000	Excludes additional services
GSF Development Driller I		semi	*	2005	7,500	37,500				Stacked Nov-20			
Deepwater Nautilus		semi		2000	8,000	30,000				Stacked Nov-22			

Q1 2023 Q2 2023 Q3 2023 Q4 2023 Estimated Average Contract Dayrates (5) \$340,000 \$359,000 \$403,000 \$429,000

Rig Type/Name	Footnote References	Floater Type	DP	Yr. ⁽¹⁾ Entered Service	Water Depth (Feet)	Drilling Depth (Feet)	Location	Customer	Estimated Contract Start Date ⁽²⁾	Estimated Expiration Date ⁽²⁾	Dayrate on Current Contract ⁽³⁾ (Dollars)	Dayrate on Previous Contract ⁽³⁾ (Dollars)	Additional Comments
larsh Environment (10)													
ransocean Norge	(7), (8), (12) (7), (8), (12), (22) (7), (8), (12), (22) (7), (8), (12), (22) (7), (8), (12), (22)	semi	*	2019	10,000	40,000	Norway Norway Norway Norway Norway	Wintershall DEA/OMV Wintershall DEA/OMV Wintershall DEA/OMV Wintershall DEA/OMV Wintershall DEA/OMV	Apr-23 Jan-24 Jan-25 Jul-25 Mar-26	Jan-24 Apr-24 Jul-25 Oct-25 May-27	344,000 414,000 419,000 424,000 424,000	N/A 344,000 414,000 419,000 424,000	
ransocean Enabler	(6), (7), (8) (6), (7), (8)	semi	*	2016	1,640	28,000	Norway Norway	Equinor Equinor	Jul-22 Jul-23	Jul-23 Mar-24	433,000 414,000	N/A N/A	
ransocean Encourage	(6), (7), (8) (6), (7), (8)	semi	*	2016	1,640	28,000	Norway Norway	Equinor Equinor	Mar-22 Mar-23	Mar-23 Nov-23	419,000 410,000	N/A N/A	
ransocean Endurance	(6), (8)	semi	*	2015	1,640	28,000	Norway	Equinor	Dec-22	Jun-23	483,000	N/A	
ransocean Equinox	, , , ,	semi	*	2015	1,640	28,000	•	·		Idle Oct-22	·		
ransocean Spitsbergen	(4), (6), (7), (8) (4), (6), (7), (8) (4), (6), (7), (8)	semi	*	2010	10,000	30,000	Norway Norway Norway	Equinor Equinor Equinor	Dec-22 Jun-23 Nov-23	Jun-23 Nov-23 Jan-25	303,000 313,000 335,000	N/A N/A N/A	Excludes additional services Excludes additional services Excludes additional services
ransocean Barents	(8)	semi	*	2009	10,000	30,000	UKNS	Not Disclosed	Mar-23	Jun-23	310,000	282,000	
aul B. Loyd, Jr.	(6), (7), (8), (20) (6), (7), (8), (20) (6), (7), (8) (6), (7), (8)	semi		1990	2,000	25,000	UKNS	Harbour Energy Harbour Energy Harbour Energy Harbour Energy	Jan-23 Apr-23 Aug-23 Nov-23	Apr-23 Aug-23 Nov-23 Aug-24	175,000 175,000 175,000 175,000	160,000 175,000 175,000 175,000	
ransocean Leader		semi		1987/1997	4,500	25,000				Stacked Jul-20			
lenry Goodrich		semi		1985/2007	5,000	30,000				Stacked Mar-20			
ransocean Leader Henry Goodrich									Q1 2023		Q3 2023	Q4 2023	

Estimated Average Contract Dayrates (5)

Q1 2023 Q2 2023 \$358,000 \$350,000 Q3 2023 \$332,000

\$327,000

Rig Type/Name Managed Rigs (1)	Footnote References	Floater Type	DP	Yr. ⁽¹⁾ Entered Service	Water Depth (Feet)	Drilling Depth (Feet)	Location	Customer	Estimated Contract Start Date ⁽²⁾	Estimated Expiration Date ⁽²⁾	Dayrate on Current Contract ⁽³⁾ (Dollars)	Dayrate on Previous Contract ⁽³⁾ (Dollars)	Additional Comments
Deepwater Aquila	(13)	ship	*	TBA	12,000	40,000	TBA						
Fixed-Price Options - See Footnote 10 Ultra-Deepwater													
Deepwater Mykonos	(7), (8), (21)	ship	*	2011	10,000	35,000	Brazil	Petrobras	Oct-24	Jan-25	364,000		

(6), (7), (8), (11) (6), (7), (8), (11) (6), (7), (8) (6), (7), (8) 2016 1,640 414,000 Transocean Enabler 28,000 Mar-24 Norway Equinor Mar-27 N/A Mar-27 Mar-30 414,000 N/A Norway Equinor Mar-30 Mar-33 414,000 N/A Norway Equinor Mar-33 Mar-36 414,000 N/A Equinor Norway Transocean Encourage (6), (7), (8), (11) 2016 1,640 28,000 Equinor Nov-23 Nov-26 420,000 N/A semi Norway (6), (7), (8), (11) (6), (7), (8) (6), (7), (8) (6), (7), (8) (4), (6), (7), (8) Norway Equinor Nov-26 Nov-29 420,000 N/A Norway Equinor Nov-29 Nov-32 420,000 N/A Nov-32 Nov-35 420,000 Norway Equinor N/A 2010 10,000 30,000 Jan-25 Aug-25 375,000 N/A Transocean Spitsbergen Equinor semi Norway



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Footnotes

- (1) Dates shown are the original service date and the date of the most recent upgrade, if any.
- Estimated Contract Start and Estimated Expiration Dates are generally calculated as follows: (1) for events estimated to occur between the 1st and 15th of a month, the previous month or quarter is reported (i.e. a contract which is estimated to commence on March 4, 2021 will be reported as commencing in February 2021) and (2) for events estimated to occur between the 16th and the end of a month, the actual month or quarter is reported (i. a contract which is estimated to commence on March 24, 2021 will be reported as commencing in March 2021). Expiration dates represent the company's current estimate of the earliest date the contract for each rig is likely to expire. Some rigs have two or more contracts in continuation, so the last line shows the estimated earliest availability. Many contracts permit the customer to extend the contract.
- (3) Represents the full operating dayrate, although the average dayrate over the term of the contract will be lower and could be substantially lower. Does not reflect incentive programs which are typically based on the rig's operating performance against a performance curve. Please refer to the "Customer Contract Duration, Timing and Dayrates and Risks Associated with Operations" section of the Disclaimers & Definitions for a description of dayrates. This column may not reflect the rate currently being received under the contract as a result of an applicable standby rate or other rate, which typically is less than the contract dayrate.
- (4) Transocean Spitsbergen, contractual dayrates have been updated to reflect current effect of foreign currency component:

\$302,000 now **\$303,000**

\$305,000 now **\$313,000**

\$335,000 now **\$335,000**

\$375,000 now **\$375,000**

- (5) Estimated Average Contract Dayrate is defined as the average contracted full operating dayrate to be earned per revenue earning day. See note (3) for definition of full operating dayrate.
- (6) If the dayrate is disclosed, reflects the current contracted dayrate which could reflect prior cost escalations, or de-escalations, and could change in the future due to further cost escalations, or de-escalations.
- (7) If the dayrate is disclosed, reflects the current contracted dayrate which, along with costs, includes a foreign currency component. Changes in the value of the U.S. dollar relative to certain foreign currencies will result in an adjustment to the dayrate according to the terms of the contract. The dayrate adjustment generally offsets the foreign currency exchange-related change in costs.
- (8) If the dayrate is disclosed, the contract provides for a bonus incentive opportunity not reflected in the current contract dayrate.
- (9) Customer pays an additional MPD standby rate and may call-off full MPD services to be provided at any time resulting in incremental \$32,000 MPD operating rate to be paid to Transocean.
- Fixed price options may be exercised at the customer's discretion. During periods when dayrates on new contracts are increasing relative to existing contracts, the likelihood of customers exercising fixed price options increases. During periods when dayrates on new contracts are decreasing relative to existing contracts, the likelihood of customers exercising fixed price options declines.
- (11) If exercised, a lump sum payment of \$12.5 million shall be payable to the customer upon commencement of the option period.
- We hold a 33.0% ownership interest in the unconsolidated company owning the rig. Our customer has entered into the drilling contract with the operating company, a wholly owned subsidiary. Our contract backlog includes and we will recognize 100% of the contract drilling revenues associated with the drilling contract.
- (13) Transocean maintains the exclusive right to market and manage the operations of the rig.
- (14) The contract includes a quarterly dayrate escalation mechanism that may increase or decrease the dayrate with a floor of \$127,000.
- (15) The contract is expected to start in the period indicated. Factors that could influence the contract start date include shipyard delivery, customer acceptance, and mobilization to operating location, among others.
- (16) The dayrate disclosed excludes a 5% royalty related to Transocean's dual activity patent.
- (17) The quarterly dayrate escalation mechanism increased dayrate to \$250,000 from 23rd September 2022 to 22nd December 2022.
- (18) Reserved
- (19) Reserved
- (20) Customer will assign the contract during this period to NEO Energy.
- (21) Contract includes multiple option periods of minimum 90 days up to 279 days.
- (22) Customer will pay an idle period rate to Transocean during this time. For any activities exercised in this period, the operating dayrate shall be between \$360,000 and \$420,000
- (23) In addition to operating dayrate, up to an incremental \$38,000 per day may be paid for additional products and services
- (24) In addition to operating dayrate, up to an incremental \$39,000 per day may be paid for additional products and services
- (25) In addition to operating dayrate, up to an incremental \$40,000 per day may be paid for additional products and services
- (26) Reserved
- The calculated dayrate of \$315,000 includes a lump sum payment of \$11.8M prorated over an estimated period of 255 days
- (28) During the BOP installation period estimated to last 80 days, the company will receive a lump sum payment of \$16.7M.



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Out of Service. The time associated with committed shipyards, upgrades, surveys, repairs, regulatory inspections, contract preparation or other committed activity on the rig and is not expected to earn an operating dayrate, Contract preparation refers to periods during which the rig is undergoing modifications or upgrades as a result of contract requirements.

- The references included in this Fleet Status Report may not be firm and could change significantly based on a variety of factors. Any significant changes to our estimates of out of service time will be reflected in subsequent Fleet Status Reports, as applicable.
- In some instances such as certain mobilizations, upgrades and shipyards, we are paid compensation by our customers that is generally recognized over the life of the primary contract term of the drilling contract.

Forward-Looking Statement. The statements made in the Fleet Update that are not historical facts are forward-looking statements within the meaning of Section 27A of the Securities Act of 1934. Forward-looking statements made in the Fleet Update include, but are not limited to, statements involving the estimated duration of customer contracts, contract dayrate amounts, future contract commencement dates and locations and planned shipyard projects and other out of service time. Such statements are subject to numerous risks, uncertainties and assumptions, including but not limited to, uncertainties relating to the level of activity in offshore oil and gas exploration and development, exploration success by producers, oil and gas prices, competition and market conditions in the contract drilling industry, shipyard delays, actions and approvals of third parties, possible cancellation or suspension of drilling contracts as a result of mechanical difficulties or performance, Transocean's ability to enter into and the terms of future contracts, the availability of qualified personnel, labor relations and the outcome of negotiations with unions representing workers, operating hazards, factors affecting the duration of contracts including well-in-progress provisions, the actual amount of downtime, factors resulting in reduced applicable dayrates, hurricanes and other weather conditions, terrorism, political and other uncertainties inherent in non-U.S. operations (including the risk of war, civil disturbance, seizure or damage of equipment and exchange and currency fluctuations), the impact of governmental laws and regulations, the adequacy of sources of liquidity, the effect of litigation and contingencies and other factors described above and discussed in Transocean's most recently filed Form 10-K, in Transocean's Forms 10-Q for subsequent periods and in Transocean's other filings with the SEC, which are available free of charge on the SEC's website at www.sec.gov. Should one or more of these risks or uncertainties mate

Fleet Classifications. Transocean uses classifications for its drillships and semisubmersibles as follows: "Ultra-Deepwater" are the latest generation of drillships and semisubmersible rigs and are capable of drilling in water depths equal to or greater than 7,500 feet; "Harsh Environment" are premium rigs equipped for year-round operations in harsh environments.

Stacking. An "Idle" rig is primarily between contracts, readily available for operations, and operating costs are typically at or near normal levels. A "Stacked" rig, on the other hand, is primarily manned by a reduced crew or unmanned and typically has reduced operating costs and is (i) preparing for an extended period of inactivity, (ii) expected to continue to be inactive for an extended period, or (iii) completing a period of extended inactivity. However, stacked rigs will continue to incur operating costs at or above normal operating costs for approximately 30 days following initiation of stacking.