



Monthly Return of Equity Issuer on Movements in Securities

For the month ended (dd/mm/yyyy) : 31/01/2009

To : Hong Kong Exchanges and Clearing Limited

Name of Issuer South Sea Petroleum Holdings Limited

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I. Movements in Authorised Share Capital

1. Ordinary Shares

(1) Stock code : 76 Description : South Sea Petro

| | No. of ordinary shares | Par value (HKD) | Authorised share capital (HKD) |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| Balance at close of preceding month | <u>14,000,000,000</u> | <u>0.078</u> | <u>1,092,000,000</u> |
| Increase/(decrease) | <u>0</u> | | <u>0</u> |
| Balance at close of the month | <u>14,000,000,000</u> | <u>0.078</u> | <u>1,092,000,000</u> |

(2) Stock code : _____ Description : _____

| | No. of ordinary shares | Par value (State currency) | Authorised share capital (State currency) |
|-------------------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| Balance at close of preceding month | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Increase/(decrease) | _____ | | _____ |
| Balance at close of the month | _____ | _____ | _____ |

2. Preference Shares

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------|--|---|
| Stock code : _____ | Description : _____ | | |
| | No. of preference shares | Par value (<i>State currency</i>) | Authorised share capital (<i>State currency</i>) |
| Balance at close of preceding month | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Increase/(decrease) | _____ | | _____ |
| Balance at close of the month | _____ | _____ | _____ |

3. Other Classes of Shares

| | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|---|
| Stock code : _____ | Description : _____ | | |
| | No. of other classes of shares | Par value (<i>State currency</i>) | Authorised share capital (<i>State currency</i>) |
| Balance at close of preceding month | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| Increase/(decrease) | _____ | | _____ |
| Balance at close of the month | _____ | _____ | _____ |

Total authorised share capital at the end of the month (*HKD*) : 1,092,000,000

II. Movements in Issued Share Capital

| | No. of ordinary shares | | No of preference shares | No. of other classes of shares |
|---------------------------------------|------------------------|-----|-------------------------|--------------------------------|
| | (1) | (2) | | |
| Balance at close of preceding month | 10,972,239,359 | | | |
| Increase/ (decrease) during the month | 0 | | | |
| Balance at close of the month | 10,972,239,359 | | | |

III. Details of Movements in Issued Share Capital

Share Options (under Share Option Schemes of the Issuer)

| Particulars of share option scheme including EGM approval date (dd/mm/yyyy) and class of shares issuable | Movement during the month | | | | No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto | No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month |
|--|---------------------------|-----------|----------------------------|--------|--|---|
| | Granted | Exercised | Cancelled | Lapsed | | |
| 1. _____ _____ _____ (/ /) _____ shares (Note 1) | | | | | | |
| 2. _____ _____ _____ (/ /) _____ shares (Note 1) | | | | | | |
| 3. _____ _____ _____ (/ /) _____ shares (Note 1) | | | | | | |
| | | | Total A. (Ordinary shares) | | | |
| | | | (Preference shares) | | | |
| | | | (Other class) | | | |
| Total funds raised during the month from exercise of options (State currency) | _____ | | | | | |

Warrants to Issue Shares of the Issuer which are to be Listed

| Description of warrants (Date of expiry - dd/mm/yyyy) | Currency of nominal value | Nominal value at close of preceding month | Exercised during the month | Nominal value at close of the month | No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto | No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month |
|--|---------------------------------|---|----------------------------------|---|--|--|
| 1. _____ _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (/ /) | | | | | | |
| Stock code (if listed) _____ | | | | | | |
| Class of shares _____ | | | | | | |
| issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) _____ | | | | | | |
| Subscription price _____ | | | | | | |
| EGM approval date (if applicable) | | | | | | |
| (dd/mm/yyyy) | | (/ /) | | | | |
| 2. _____ _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (/ /) | | | | | | |
| Stock code (if listed) _____ | | | | | | |
| Class of shares _____ | | | | | | |
| issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) _____ | | | | | | |
| Subscription price _____ | | | | | | |
| EGM approval date (if applicable) | | | | | | |
| (dd/mm/yyyy) | | (/ /) | | | | |
| 3. _____ _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (/ /) | | | | | | |
| Stock code (if listed) _____ | | | | | | |
| Class of shares _____ | | | | | | |
| issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) _____ | | | | | | |
| Subscription price _____ | | | | | | |
| EGM approval date (if applicable) | | | | | | |
| (dd/mm/yyyy) | | (/ /) | | | | |
| 4. _____ _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ | _____ |
| (/ /) | | | | | | |
| Stock code (if listed) _____ | | | | | | |
| Class of shares _____ | | | | | | |
| issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) _____ | | | | | | |
| Subscription price _____ | | | | | | |
| EGM approval date (if applicable) | | | | | | |
| (dd/mm/yyyy) | | (/ /) | | | | |
| Total B. (Ordinary shares) _____ | | | | | | |
| (Preference shares) _____ | | | | | | |
| (Other class) _____ | | | | | | |

Convertibles (i.e. Convertible into Shares of the Issuer which are to be Listed)

| Class and description | Currency of amount outstanding | Amount at close of preceding month | Converted during the month | Amount at close of the month | No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto | No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month |
|--|--------------------------------|------------------------------------|----------------------------|------------------------------|--|---|
| 1. _____ _____ _____ | | | | | | |
| Stock code (if listed) | _____ | | | | | |
| Class of shares issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) | _____ | | | | | |
| Subscription price | _____ | | | | | |
| EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) | _____ (/ /) | | | | | |
| 2. _____ _____ _____ | | | | | | |
| Stock code (if listed) | _____ | | | | | |
| Class of shares issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) | _____ | | | | | |
| Subscription price | _____ | | | | | |
| EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) | _____ (/ /) | | | | | |
| 3. _____ _____ _____ | | | | | | |
| Stock code (if listed) | _____ | | | | | |
| Class of shares issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) | _____ | | | | | |
| Subscription price | _____ | | | | | |
| EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) | _____ (/ /) | | | | | |
| 4. _____ _____ _____ | | | | | | |
| Stock code (if listed) | _____ | | | | | |
| Class of shares issuable (<i>Note 1</i>) | _____ | | | | | |
| Subscription price | _____ | | | | | |
| EGM approval date (if applicable) (dd/mm/yyyy) | _____ (/ /) | | | | | |
| | | | | Total C. (Ordinary shares) | _____ | |
| | | | | (Preference shares) | _____ | |
| | | | | (Other class) | _____ | |

Any other Agreements or Arrangements to Issue Shares of the Issuer which are to be Listed, including Options (other than under Share Option Schemes)

| Full particulars including EGM approval date (dd/mm/yyyy), if applicable, and class of shares issuable: | No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto | No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month |
|---|--|---|
| 1. _____ _____ _____ _____ (/ /) _____ shares (<i>Note 1</i>) | | |
| 2. _____ _____ _____ _____ (/ /) _____ shares (<i>Note 1</i>) | | |
| 3. _____ _____ _____ _____ (/ /) _____ shares (<i>Note 1</i>) | | |
| _____ Total D. (Ordinary shares) _____ (Preference shares) _____ (Other class) | | |

Other Movements in Issued Share Capital

| Type of Issue | | | | No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto | No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month |
|---------------|--------------|---------------------------------|---|--|---|
| 1. | Rights issue | At price : State currency _____ | Class of shares issuable _____ <i>(Note 1)</i> Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ | (/ /) | (/ /) |
| 2. | Open offer | At price : State currency _____ | Class of shares issuable _____ <i>(Note 1)</i> Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ | (/ /) | (/ /) |
| 3. | Placing | At price : State currency _____ | Class of shares issuable _____ <i>(Note 1)</i> Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ | (/ /) | (/ /) |
| 4. | Bonus issue | | Class of shares issuable _____ <i>(Note 1)</i> Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ | (/ /) | (/ /) |

For Main Board and GEM listed issuers

| Type of Issue | | | No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto | No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month |
|---------------|----------------------|---------------------------------|--|---|
| 5. | Scrip dividend | At price : State currency _____ | <p>Class of shares issuable _____ (Note 1)</p> <p>Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)</p> <p>EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)</p> | _____ |
| 6. | Repurchase of shares | | <p>Class of shares repurchased (Note 1) _____</p> <p>Cancellation date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)</p> <p>EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)</p> | _____ |
| 7. | Redemption of shares | | <p>Class of shares redeemed (Note 1) _____</p> <p>Redemption date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)</p> <p>EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)</p> | _____ |
| 8. | Consideration issue | At price : State currency _____ | <p>Class of shares issuable _____ (Note 1)</p> <p>Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)</p> <p>EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) (/ /)</p> | _____ |

For Main Board and GEM listed issuers

| Type of Issue | | No. of new shares of issuer issued during the month pursuant thereto | No. of new shares of issuer which may be issued pursuant thereto as at close of the month |
|----------------------------|--|--|---|
| 9. Capital reorganisation | Class of shares issuable _____ <i>(Note 1)</i> Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ | | |
| 10. Other (Please specify) | At price : State currency _____ Class of shares issuable _____ <i>(Note 1)</i> Issue and allotment date : (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ EGM approval date: (dd/mm/yyyy) _____ | | |
| | | Total E. (Ordinary shares) _____ | |
| | | (Preference shares) _____ | |
| | | (Other class) _____ | |

| | | |
|---|-----------|---|
| Total increase / (decrease) in ordinary shares during the month (i.e. Total of A to E): | (1) _____ | 0 |
| | (2) _____ | |
| Total increase / (decrease) in preference shares during the month (i.e. Total of A to E): | _____ | |
| Total increase / (decrease) in other classes of shares during the month (i.e. Total of A to E): | _____ | |
| <i>(These figures should be the same as the relevant figures under II above ("Movements in Issued Share Capital").)</i> | | |

Remarks (if any):

Submitted by: Vivian Lam

Title: Company Secretary
(Director, Secretary or other duly authorised officer)

Notes :

- 1. State the class of shares (e.g. ordinary, preference or other).*
- 2. If there is insufficient space, please append the prescribed continuation sheet.*