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The Managing Director
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Dear Sir,

APPROVAL FOR THE USE OF BDO 2002 (CLEANING AGENT) FOR OPERATIONS IN THE NIGERIAN OIL AND GAS INDUSTRY

Arising from the results of the acute toxicity tests of **BDO 2002** which were carried out by two (2) accredited laboratories under Nigerian environmental conditions, it was reported that the chemical is moderately toxic to fresh water and slightly toxic to brackish water organisms; with minimum 96hrLC50 values of **1.19mg/l** and **11.70mg/l** respectively.

2. Consequently, we are pleased to inform you of the acceptance of the product technical data including the Material Safety Data Sheet (MSDS) submitted on the chemical, as well as the results of acute toxicity tests; and also convey our approval for the use of **BDO 2002** in the Nigerian Oil and Gas Industry as a Cleaning Agent; **in Brackish Water environment only as its use is prohibited in fresh water environment.**

3. This approval is for a period of three (3) years in the first instance from the date of this letter and is subject to periodic review by the Department as deemed necessary.

4. The use of **BDO 2002** shall be governed by the provision of section 25 of the Petroleum (Drilling and Production) Regulations, 1969 as well as Environmental Guidelines and Standards for the Petroleum Industry in Nigeria (EGASPIN 2002) which were both issued pursuant to section 9(1)(b)(iii) of Petroleum Act, 1969.

5. Furthermore, any change in the composition or reformulation of this product that could wholly or partly alter the data submitted should be promptly communicated to the Director of Petroleum Resources for the purpose of re-certification, as such changes automatically renders this approval invalid.

6. Finally, you are to note that this approval notwithstanding, the user of the product shall seek the approval of the DPR for the specific use under specified terms and condition; and shall remain fully responsible for any damage done to the local environment on account of the use of the product.

Yours faithfully,

Agada J.O

For: Director of Petroleum Resources