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Commissioner Dr Allan Hawke AC
Hydraulic Fracturing Enquiry
c/- GP Box 4204
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Dear Commissioner

Hydraulic Fracturing for Hydrocarbon Deposits in the Territory

Advent Energy Limited is pleased to have the opportunity to make the following submission on the implications of hydraulic fracturing in the Territory.

Our Company

Advent Energy Limited is an unlisted Oil & Gas exploration company with a strong asset portfolio containing near term production opportunities and exploration upside. Advent has proven conventional gas resources and multi TCF conventional and shale targets in both onshore and offshore Australian permits in New South Wales, Western Australia and the Northern Territory.

Advent Energy has a strong interest in ensuring that hydraulic fracturing operations are conducted in a responsible and effective manner.

Hydraulic Fracturing

The process of hydraulic fracturing has been known since before 1947. In Australia it has been applied to wells in the Cooper Basin for many decades without incident. Research and monitoring of activities, discussion and investigation of any environmental impact has been extensive throughout the world and new technologies will continue to improve operations.

Our submission focuses on the research done by the industry, government and third parties. There is a large resource of practical information available showing that science of hydraulic fracturing is sustainable.

I have attached various submissions related to this matter and highlighted key text on the extracted text document which is also attached.

If you would like to discuss this further please don't hesitate in contacting me.

Yours sincerely

DAVID BREEZE
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR