

MOODY INTERNATIONAL ACQUIRES PETROSPECT INSPECTION SERVICES, LTD

HOUSTON, Texas, USA - Moody International recently announced that it had acquired PetroSpect Inspection Services, Ltd., an in-service technical inspection and engineering support services provider to the USA Refining and Chemical Processing industry. PetroSpect is based in Texas City, Texas.

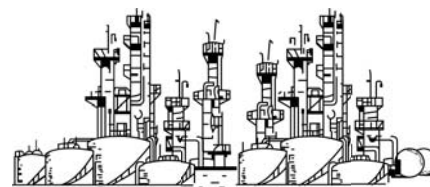
Brendan Connolly, CEO of Moody International, commented that, "This acquisition is in line with Moody's strategy to grow our Asset Integrity Services. PetroSpect has an enviable reputation for providing services and people to the industry, has a strong management team, and is a close cultural fit. PetroSpect complements our existing in-service business allowing us to better serve our clients through the provision of a wider range of services."

James Cesarini, General Manager of PetroSpect, commented, "PetroSpect prides itself on a 20-year history of providing quality visual in-service inspection services. We are excited to leverage Moody's global presence to expand PetroSpect's reach."

The combined Moody International and PetroSpect In-Service offerings in the USA now include:

- In-Service / routine operational inspections such as API 510, 570, 653, and AIA to National Board requirements.
- Corrosion monitoring
- Remaining life assessments and calculations
- Fitness for purpose assessments
- Inspection program auditing
- In-Service repair management, consulting, planning and certification
- Metallurgical and failure investigations
- Inspection support for re-rating and equipment modifications

Further exciting developments are being planned to grow this service offering in the USA and to expand into other select areas of the world.



PetroSpect
Inspection Services



Moody Marine

The Moody International Management System Certification (MSC) division, Moody Marine, has a strong tradition of undertaking assessments and audits for Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) certification, and is proud to be responsible for certification services of two thirds of the fisheries that have already been through the process worldwide, and over half of those in the main assessment requirement.

According to Moody Marine Managing Director Andy Hough, its auditors' collective and extensive expertise makes Moody Marine a firm choice for companies seeking a certification body to take them through MSC assessment. Andy has been undertaking MSC assessments since the eco label originated in 1997 and now manages the operation for Moody Marine. He also provides advice and assistance to the company's auditors and clients throughout the world who benefit from his considerable experience. Feedback from clients is positive, and Moody has built an excellent reputation for its work.

The At-Sea Processors Association operates the world's largest MSC certified fishery, the Alaska Pollock Fishery, and their representative Jim Gilmour is delighted with the service provided by Moody Marine. "The organization brings knowledge and experience to the table in evaluating fishery sustainability, and works with an approach that fosters cooperation with the management agency, and openness to the views of a variety of stakeholders," he states.

In the past twelve months, demand has grown considerably for MSC certification and the Moody Marine division recently recruited a group of associate auditors to ensure it could meet forward demand. From a core staff of people based in the US and Europe, Moody now has expertise all over the globe and includes Spanish and French speakers. Andy Hough comments, "We are well placed to cover fisheries in all the world's oceans, coastal areas and estuaries, as well as freshwater lakes and rivers. Moody Marine is currently working in Africa, Asia, Europe, America, Australasia, the Pacific, and even in the Antarctic."

In 2008, the Moody Marine MSC introduced a standardized assessment tree which has ensured a transparent and consistent approach to fishery assessments. More recently the MSC's new risk based framework for data deficient fisheries has encouraged more clients to come forward for assessment, "The MSC process provides an excellent independent review of the performance of a fishery and can help clients with access to markets and increased value of the landed product" explains Andy.

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Moody Wins Global Certification and Training Contract with Jotun Paints

Moody Certification Norway has successfully won a global contract with Jotun Paint for certification of all their production sites worldwide.

Jotun, with its Head Office in Sandefjord Norway. (www.jotun.com), is a global leader in the fields of Decorative, Protective, Marine and Powder coatings. The company has embarked on a universal certification scheme of implementing ISO 14001 and OHSAS 18001 into their production plants. In all approx 60 new certifications will be started and completed within the next 18-24 months as well as 60 transfers of existing schemes.

Jotun has had a mix of Certification bodies for various standards and has been looking to standardize this for consistency and ongoing improvement. The contract awarded to Moody was won against fierce international competition.

In addition to the certification, Moody will also provide top management awareness training as well as awareness, internal auditor and lead auditor training to staff around the world, again to provide Jotun with a consistent internal approach.

As part of their commitment to this project, (due to be completed between the end of 2010 and mid 2011), Jotun has appointed a group ISO project manager located in Sandefjord and established a core unit of 4 regional managers who will liaise with MIC Norway on a regular basis.

From the Moody side, this contract will be run out of the office in Sandefjord, Norway, with the assistance of MI UK for training and 4 appointed regional coordinators to be responsible for the day to day liaison with their Jotun counterpart. The certification worldwide will be based on Norwegian Accreditation.

Please feel free to visit the Jotun home page, and look at some of the exciting projects being completed with Jotun products: The Eiffel Tower; the Queen Mary 2 cruise ship; various oil & gas platforms/vessels; the Burj Al Arab Hotel (the Sail); various land based industrial applications; and the worlds highest building, soon to be completed, the Burj Dubai Tower.

Moody welcomes this opportunity to work with Jotun to provide a value for money range of services that will utilize Moody's substantial worldwide network.

For more information please contact Arne Dahl at a.dahl@moodyint.com



Pictured: Gary Pedersen, Global Project Manager - ISO Project; Morten Fon, Jotun President and CEO; Arne Dahl, Managing Director of Moody International Certification Scandinavia; Jon Cato Juvik, Jotun Purchasing Manager

Moody Canada Sponsorship & Networking



On September 3, 2009, Moody International Canada sponsored a golf tournament in Calgary on behalf of GPAC (Gas Processing Association of Canada). Jay Enright, Moody Canada Business Development Manager and member of the GPAC Board of Directors, organized the tournament. Moody Canada provided sponsorship for a United Way charity golf tournament c/o Enbridge on September 17 as well. The tournament sponsors contributed to the over \$30,000 total collected during the event.



The Calgary Stampede has been a time-honored Global Event dating back to the early 1900's. For a full week every July, Calgarians and thousands of visitors don the traditional "cowboy" outfits to show participation and local support. As Entertainment Director of GPAC, Jay Enright also lent his services as MC for the organization's annual Stampede Breakfast. This was a group event involving Society of Petroleum Engineers (SPE), Canadian Heavy Oil Association (CHOA), GPAC, and Petroleum Society.

EMPLOYEE PROFILES

Marc Pages



Marc Pages recently joined Moody International as a UK-based Global Account Manager.

For over the past fifteen years, Marc has been working within the oil & gas business sector, initially involved in component parts for the rotating equipment market. He then went on to manage a small business in Saudi Arabia that, amongst other things, designed, supplied and installed cascade breathing systems to land-based oil rigs. Marc then returned to the UK in 2002 when he joined General Electric's Global Services Division. There he initially handled customer requirements for GE's existing UK fleet of turbines and compressors, and then was involved in pipeline integrity programs, including "launching intelligent pigs" down pipelines around the world.

Marc is a qualified Marine Engineer. After completing a cadetship with Shaw Savill & Albion, he spent a further five years with P&O as an Engineer Officer sailing the seven seas! After deciding to come ashore, Marc joined the Vickers' Marine Engineering Division where he was initially involved in the sale of whitmetal (babbit) bearings. He then went on to a project management role in the design, manufacture and installation of deck edge elevators aboard the French Navy's "Charles de Gaulle" aircraft carrier.

Throughout his career Marc has travelled extensively and has lived in France, the USA & Saudi Arabia. In his new role, his travel is very much expected to continue and he will no doubt add countries and regions never before visited.

Marc is very much a family man. In spending time with his wife, Moyra, and their three teenage children, Nick, Oli, and Lucy, life is never dull. His pastimes include snow skiing, tennis, racquetball and the occasional game of golf.

Marc is very excited about the challenges the Global Account Manager role offers and looks forward to working with everyone at Moody and helping grow the business.

Philippe Guardia



Philippe Guardia joined Moody International in February 2009 as a Global Account Manager (GAM) based in the Moody Paris office.

Graduating from Business Economics and International Management, Philippe joined the information technology (IT) industry in the early 1980's working successively with Xerox, Hewlett-Packard, and Silicon Graphics, and focusing mainly on the process manufacturing industry (oil & gas, petrochemical, and chemical) before co-founding and managing a company providing IT consultancy and system integration services.

Philippe brings over twenty years of extensive international sales management and development experience in selling and delivering technology solutions and services to the oil & gas industries in Europe, the Middle East, Africa, and the Americas. His business background spans a variety of operational positions including regional management, global accounts, business consulting, business development, supply chain strategic planning, vertical energy industry sales leadership, and customer services.

His various international business experiences have given Philippe the ability to adapt within different cultural and economic environments as he and his family have lived in the UK, Germany, the USA, Saudi Arabia, and the UAE.

Philippe is a French native born in Algeria, and essentially raised in Nice, France. He and his wife, Joelle, have two grown daughters (Sandrine and Audrey), a 21 year old son (Giordan) completing his business school studies, and a two year old grandson (Kellian). As well as enjoying skiing and biking, Philippe enjoys the odd game of tennis and is proud of his past national ranking in the game.



Randy Smith Training Solutions Receives 2009 Best of Lafayette Award

Randy Smith Training Solutions, a Moody International company, has been selected for the 2009 Best of Lafayette Award in the Oil Field Service category by the U.S. Commerce Association (USCA).

The Best of Lafayette Award Program was created to honor and generate public recognition of the achievements and positive contributions of businesses and organizations in and around Lafayette. Their mission is to raise the profile of exemplary companies and entrepreneurs among the press, the business community and the general public. Selection as a 2009 Award Winner is determined by the marketing success of a company within the local community and business category.

The USCA is a Washington D.C. based organization funded by local businesses operating in towns, large and small, across America. The purpose of the USCA is to promote local business through public relations, marketing and advertising.

TRAINERS' CORNER



Pictured: Greg Anderson (President MI C&T);
Jens Byrialsen (EDC General Manager & Managing Director)

In a continued expansion of their Managed Service offering, Moody International Consulting & Training (MI C&T) has taken responsibility for the management and provision of Egyptian Drilling Company's

(EDC) total training requirements. As a result of this agreement MI C&T direct hired five of EDC's training department personnel.

With some 4800 employees, EDC was formed in 1976 as a joint venture between the Egyptian General Petroleum Corporation (EGPC) and the A.P.Moller - Maersk Group of Denmark. EDC's fleet totals 60 Rigs (40 drilling rigs & 20 workover units), including three jack-ups, three offshore platform rigs, and the remainder being land rigs. In addition to the existing fleet, EDC has a new build program for two jack-ups and four additional land rigs.

The MI C&T business unit was created through Moody International's acquisition of Randy Smith Training Solutions (RSTS) in 2007 and The Enterprise Development Network (EDN) in 2009. The combination of RSTS & EDN provides a broad range of both technical and non-technical learning expertise. This Managed Service agreement provides Egyptian Drilling Company the following benefits:

- Enhanced quality of curriculum
- Consistency in the delivery of training
- Continuous updating and development of content
- Reduced fixed overhead expense
- Volume based pricing
- Single point of contact and invoicing



Pictured Left to Right: Ezzat Kamel (RSTS Regional Mgr - MENA); Ahmed Magdy (Facilitator); Greg Anderson (President MI C&T); Mohamed Fathy (Admin Coordinator); Ehab Moustafa (Training Mgr); Eric Guidry (RSTS COO); Halem Khalil (Facilitator)
(Not Pictured: Ahmed Mohamed Shams (Technical Instructor))

Russia - China Oil Pipeline

Moody International has been selected by Transneft, Russia and CNPC, China as third-party inspection contractors to supervise construction of an oil pipeline river crossing. Inspection teams from both Moody Russia and Moody China will work together on this project.

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The Russia / China oil pipeline is being constructed by CNPC and Transneft in their respective countries, with the river crossing section being constructed jointly by both companies. The 1,150 meter dual-line section will cross the Heilongjiang River on the border between Russia and China, with completion expected in June 2010. This pipeline, which runs from Skovorodino, Russia to China's northeastern city of Daging, will link Russia's far east to China's northeast, and is set to start operation by the end of 2010. It is anticipated that the pipeline will transport 15 million tones of crude oil annually during the years 2011 through 2030.



Henri Salaün (1947-2009)

Moody International France deeply grieves over their valued former Director and dear friend, Henri Salaün, who died in Paris on July 16th, 2009, after a long and brave fight against leukemia.

Henri was the founder of the Moody International office in France in 1995 and successfully led the then minority Moody-owned company to full acquisition by Moody International in 2003. In 2005, Henri then took responsibility for the Certification activities in France. He was key to the development of business relations with key clients including Technip and Total. Henri knew how to make people love their work and he could be proud to have gained his employees' loyalty over decades. His interpersonal skills, permanent good temper and high professional values were greatly respected by anyone who met him.

Although retired in 2007, Henri continued to carry out audits on behalf of the Moody Certification division. It was always a pleasure to see him walking through Moody International office doors as the friendship he shared with his former employees never ceased. Beyond his professional life and significant contribution to Moody International, we salute the man he was, a model to all of us. Henri will be remembered for the professional opportunities he seized and created as well as for his love of champagne and his sweet presence.

Our most sincere sympathy goes to his family and wife, Annie, also a former long term Moody employee.



Pictured Left to Right at Henri's retirement celebration in March 2007: Tony Devita (MI Italy), Etienne Valentin (MI France), Henri Salaün, Bernard Lesprit (MIC France), Kevin Osman (MI/MIC UK)



Moody International Finland was initially founded over ten years ago, where the first Managing Director, Mr. Ilkka Karvonen, successfully led his Finland team until his retirement in 2006. During that time Moody Finland grew very quickly with tremendous success – establishing the company as a key player in technical services in Finland. Today Moody Finland also is responsible for inspection and expediting activities in the Baltic countries including Estonia, Latvia & Lithuania.

Moody Finland’s operations have grown to include mechanical and electrical inspections, with technical specialists expertise and extensive knowledge in varied commodities including heat exchangers, filters, pressure vessels, pipes, NDT methods, and others as demand and requirements change.

Moody Finland thanks their loyal clients and staff for a very successful ten years, and looks forward to continuing to work efficiently in fulfilling clients’ requirements and expectations.



Pictured: Petteri Maininki (Operations Manager) and Raija Multala (Accountant)



In 1984, Moody International opened its international office in Norway, located just outside Oslo.

The Norway office was launched in close cooperation with a local engineering and inspection company, in order to provide services to Esso Norway for their first offshore development in the North Sea, the Odin Development. The Moody International mandate covered in-country work but mainly included inspection and expediting at suppliers’ locations worldwide. With such a successful beginning, this formed the basis for continued success for Moody in Norway and overall Moody in Scandinavia.

After a bit of a slowdown in the early 1990’s, the market improved and allowed for a new Scandinavian Head office in Gothenburg, Sweden. With increased business activities, especially in the Norwegian oil and gas industry, the head office was moved to Sandefjord, Norway in 2001. The Swedish administration was then moved to Norway in 2007.

The Moody Scandinavian operations have since then grown to include all ranges of inspection, expediting and technical staffing services as well as certification services. Technical Specialists are located in all the Scandinavian countries (Norway, Sweden and Denmark) and there is a Moody branch office in Stavanger, the oil capital of Norway

Over the past few years, the certification division has taken a lead in Norway for food safety (British Retail Consortium / BRC) and fisheries (Marine Stewardship Council - MSC) certification. For OHSAS 18001 Moody Norway now also operates as a certification office for a number of other countries.

Moody Scandinavia will continue to focus on being a lead provider of professional services via highly skilled personnel.

Congratulations to Moody Norway for 25 years of hard work and success. Thank you!



Pictured Left to Right :
 1st Row : Alexander Pisani, Tom Mathisen, Arve Pisani and Marianne Hübert.
 2nd Row : Hege Solberg, Torunn Moen, Tone Vikholt, Vigdis Hvidsten, Solveig Fismen and Anne Beate Storvik.
 3rd Row: Knut Hofstad, Arne Dahl, Bjørn Borgersen and Grete Antonsen

ISO9001 Certificates Awarded to Moody International Offices in Argentina, Abu Dhabi, Korea and India

The Moody International ISO9001 Group Quality Management System certificate has had some recent additions to the already thirteen offices covered by this Group-specific certificate. Following some excellent work in implementing the Moody Group Management System, and subsequent successful audits by Moody’s certification authority in the first six months of 2009, Moody International can now include the following offices with Quality Management System certificates: Buenos Aires, Argentina; Mumbai, India; Abu Dhabi, UAE; Seoul, Korea. Many thanks to the personnel in these offices for their effort and determination to achieve certification and in the process receive some very positive comments from Moody’s certification body. Moody International now has seventeen offices covered by the one corporate ISO9001 certificate. **Congratulations!**



Congratulations to the following employees!



10 Year Anniversary

Eric Guidry (USA), Roberto Bouciguez (Argentina), Luis Dainotto (Argentina), Gary Zachary (USA)

Welcome New Employees!

H. Sowerby (South Africa), L. Zondo (South Africa), P. Lourens (South Africa), GJ Smit Jr. (South Africa), A. Khan (South Africa), B. Hattingh (South Africa), Andrea Lozada (Colombia), Marco Ventura (Italy), Kahan Dolen (USA), Travis Jarrett (USA), Daniel Powell (USA), Nicole Simon (USA), Max Bath (UK), Roberta Ingram (UK)

Congratulations, Ivan Savov!

At the recent annual meeting of EFAC (the European Federation of Associations of Certification Bodies), Moody International Bulgaria's Ivan Savov was elected as Chairman of EFAC. In this function, Ivan will act as the official representative of over 120 European certification bodies for the International Accreditation Forum, and will also be official representative of the EA (European co-operation for Accreditation), the European body responsible for the implementation of EU rules and directives relating to accreditation and certification. On behalf of everyone at Moody International, we wish you the best in your Chairman's role, Ivan!

