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To whom it may concern,

Between April – October 2010, I was a consultant Seismic Operations Manager on the Kultuk Land/TZ 3D seismic project in the Beineu district, Mangystau Oblast, Republic of Kazakhstan.

My client was Korneд LLP, who are the operator of the Kultuk block. Korneд LLP being a subsidiary of the Kazakhstan Branch of Petrom SA, an OMV company.

The seismic contractor was Azimut Energy Services (Azimut), and I had the privilege of working closely with their Almaty management team as well as their field management team and seismic crew during my time on the project.

The project was extremely challenging but Azimut were definitely up to this challenge and it was a pleasure working with them through planning and execution phases, and to see it completed as a 100% success. Azimut delivered a perfect HSE result and excellent data quality, on schedule and on budget. This is an excellent result given the project challenges and I have nothing but good things to say about Azimut's performance.

I have worked with several major seismic contractors that specialize in similarly challenging Land/TZ projects and I can confirm that Azimut's performance is already up with them, and I expect Azimut to develop even further in this area.

I would particularly like to thank Party Chief Vladimir Shilenko and his Crew 04/10 for doing such a great job in difficult conditions – ultimately making the project look easy, but it wasn't.

And of course I must thank CEO Nikolay Larionov and his team of Almaty management for appropriately planning, organizing and resourcing this project through all phases – Alibek Aralov, Yevgeniy Serov, Serik Mazhkenov, Sergey Petlenko and Valentina Koval. These managers all put a lot of work and enthusiasm into this project and most were able to visit the project to familiarize themselves with the challenges and take away action items to help the crew and the project.

I hope their new venture with PetroAlliance, Integra and Schlumberger WesternGeco becomes the success it should be and I look forward to working with Azimut again on a future project.

I would have no hesitation in recommending Azimut to any operator requiring the services of a first rate seismic contractor to complete a challenging Land/TZ seismic project with a good QHSE result.

Yours Sincerely

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