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Attention - Mr Chris Chapman, Head of Planning

Via email

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Dear Mr Chapman

Ofgem Proposed Corporate Strategy 2004 – 2007

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on the above.

ConocoPhillips has reviewed the document and believes that Ofgem have identified the right themes to focus on for the period 2004 - 2007. In particular we are pleased to see the increased importance that Ofgem now places on EU regulatory policy, both to the legislation itself, but also to the developing institutions responsible for it.

The sub-themes under the seven strategy themes also appear appropriate and we look forward to receiving the detailed Corporate Plan in late March, where no doubt the sub themes will be developed further.

Yours sincerely

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