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Lumen Production Resumes After Full Post-Storm Inspection

PATNA SURAT, Day 4 after Hurricane Yolanda

Patna Surat Sea Resources (PSSR) today resumed production at the Lumen project in PSSR Block C, following a full post-storm inspection of the Green Dawn and its mining system.

Hurricane Yolanda passed west of Block C four days ago, considerably stronger than forecast. In line with our approved emergency response plan, PSSR had already suspended lifting and all discharges and secured the riser before the storm arrived.

During the storm, a section of the riser was damaged. The release was limited to the contents of the riser at the time, and our automatic shutdown system isolated the riser at once. PSSR reported the incident to the International Seabed Authority of Mir within 24 hours, as the regulations require.

The damaged section has been replaced and pressure-tested, and the Authority has been kept fully informed. Monitoring continues as set out in our approved monitoring plan.

"Our people and our systems did exactly what they were designed to do in the strongest storm this sea has seen," said Signe Ukaliq, Chief Executive of PSSR. "We are proud to be back at work, delivering the minerals Mir needs for its green energy transition."

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