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Weatherford International plc Reconciliation of GAAP to Non-GAAP Financial Measures

(Unaudited)

(In Millions, Except Per Share Amounts)

	Three Months Ended						Nine Months Ended			
	9/30/2015		6/30/2015		9/30/2014		9/30/2015		9/30/2014	
Operating Income:										
GAAP Operating Income (Loss)	\$	(98)	\$	(464)	\$	318	\$	(512)	\$	473
Restructuring, Exited Businesses and Severance		51		72		175		164		345
Loss (Gain) on Sale of Businesses		_		5		(38)		2		(38)
Impairments, Divestiture Related and Other Charges		26		218		24		265		336
Legacy Contracts and Other		40		69		2		118		50
Litigation Charges		_		112		_		112		_
Total Non-GAAP Adjustments		117		476		163		661		693
Non-GAAP Operating Income	\$	19	\$	12	\$	481	\$	149	\$	1,166
Income (Loss) Before Income Taxes:										
GAAP Income (Loss) Before Income Taxes	\$	(226)	\$	(615)	\$	187	\$	(948)	\$	60
Operating Income Adjustments		117		476		163		661		693
Currency Devaluation and Related Charges		26		16		_		68		_
Non-GAAP Income (Loss) Before Income Taxes	\$	(83)	\$	(123)	\$	350	\$	(219)	\$	753
Benefit (Provision) for Income Taxes:										
GAAP Benefit (Provision) for Income Taxes	\$	65	\$	132	\$	(98)	\$	197	\$	(136)
Tax Effect on Non-GAAP Adjustments		(15)		(80)		8	•	(104)		(51)
Non-GAAP Benefit (Provision) for Income Taxes	\$	50	\$	52	\$	(90)	\$	93	\$	(187)
Net Income (Loss) Attributable to Weatherford:										
GAAP Net Income (Loss)	\$	(170)	\$	(489)	\$	77	\$	(777)	\$	(109)
Total Charges, net of tax	•	128	•	412	•	171	4	625	•	642
Non-GAAP Net Income (Loss)	\$	(42)	\$	(77)	\$	248	\$	(152)	\$	533
Diluted Earnings (Loss) Per Share Attributable to Weatherford:										
GAAP Diluted Earnings (Loss) per Share	\$	(0.22)	\$	(0.63)	\$	0.10	\$	(1.00)	\$	(0.14)
Total Charges, net of tax		0.17		0.53		0.22		0.80		0.82
Non-GAAP Diluted Earnings (Loss) per Share	\$	(0.05)	\$	(0.10)	\$	0.32	\$	(0.20)	\$	0.68
GAAP Effective Tax Rate (a)		29%		21%		52%		21%		226%
Non-GAAP Effective Tax Rate (b)		60%		42%		26%		42%		25%

⁽a) GAAP Effective Tax Rate is the GAAP provision for income taxes divided by GAAP income before income taxes.

⁽b) Non-GAAP Effective Tax Rate is the Non-GAAP provision for income taxes divided by Non-GAAP income before income taxes and calculated in thousands.

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Weatherford International plc Selected Cash Flow Data

(Unaudited) (In Millions)

		Three Months Ended						Nine Months Ended			
	9/30/2015		6/30/2015		9/30/2014		9/30/2015		9/30/2014		
Net Cash Provided by Operating Activities	\$	134	\$	291	\$	350	\$	383	\$	379	
Less: Capital Expenditures for Property, Plant and Equipment		(131)		(187)		(383)		(542)		(1,045)	
Free Cash Flow	\$	3	\$	104	\$	(33)	\$	(159)	\$	(666)	
Add: Litigation Settlements*		120		_		_		120		253	
Free Cash Flow from Operations	\$	123	\$	104	\$	(33)	\$	(39)	\$	(413)	

[&]quot;Free Cash Flow" is defined as net cash provided by or used in operating activities less capital expenditures. Free cash flow is an important indicator of how much cash is generated or used by our normal business operations, including capital expenditures. Management uses free cash flow as a measure of progress on its capital efficiency and cash flow initiatives.

^{*}Litigation settlements represent (a) a settlement payment of \$120 million related to a shareholder derivative lawsuit in the three and nine months ended September 30, 2015 and (b) a settlement payment of \$253 million to settle the United Nations oil-for-food program governing sales of goods into Iraq and Foreign Corrupt Practices Act matters for the nine months ended September 30, 2014.