

Helix Announces Decommissioning Contract Extension with Trident Energy and other Commercial Updates

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HOUSTON--(BUSINESS WIRE)--Feb. 6, 2024-- Helix Energy Solutions Group, Inc. (NYSE: HLX) is pleased to announce the extension of its decommissioning contract with Trident Energy do Brasil Ltda. The contract extension is for an additional 12 months and in direct continuation of the current contract. The extension is expected to begin in the fourth quarter of 2024 at rates in line with the improved well intervention market. The original contract commenced late 2022 offshore Brazil in the Campos Basin and utilizes the *Siem Helix* 1 riser-based well intervention vessel and a 10K Intervention Riser System. Helix is providing fully integrated plug and abandonment well services through its Subsea Services Alliance partner SLB as well as project management and engineering services.

Helix and Siem Offshore have signed six-year charter extensions for both the *Siem Helix* vessels, with the *Siem Helix* 1 term extending through December 2030 and the *Siem Helix* 2 term extending through December 2031. The *Siem Helix* vessels are purpose-built advanced well intervention vessels capable of performing a wide range of subsea services including production enhancement, well decommissioning, subsea installation, offshore crane and Remotely Operated Vehicle (ROV) operations, offshore construction and emergency response.

The *Helix Producer I (HPI)* contract has also been extended by one year, to June 1, 2025. Since 2016, the *HPI*, a ship-shaped dynamically positioned (DP2) floating production unit, has been located at Green Canyon Block 237 producing oil and gas through the existing Phoenix Field subsea infrastructure. The vessel is designed to produce hydrocarbons and export to shore via pipeline or tanker.

Scotty Sparks, Helix's Executive Vice President and Chief Operating Officer, stated, "We are pleased to announce that Helix has successfully executed these contract extensions, reflective of improving market conditions and increased demand for Helix's assets and services."

About Helix

Helix Energy Solutions Group, Inc., headquartered in Houston, Texas, is an international offshore energy services company that provides specialty services to the offshore energy industry, with a focus on well intervention, robotics and full field decommissioning operations. Our services are key in supporting a global energy transition by maximizing production of existing oil and gas reserves, decommissioning end-of-life oil and gas fields and supporting renewable energy developments. For more information about Helix, please visit our website at www.helixesg.com.

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