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MAPLE ENERGY PLC
("Maple" or the "Company")

BLOCK LISTING SIX MONTHLY RETURN

Maple Energy plc (AIM: MPLE; LIMA: MPLE), an integrated energy company with assets in Peru, is pleased to announce the following update relating to its block admission of shares to be issued to certain optionholders upon the exercise by such optionholders of options granted pursuant to the Maple Energy Share Option Plan 2007:

Name of applicant:	Maple Energy plc
Name of scheme:	Maple Energy Share Option Plan 2007
Period of return:	From: 27 November 2009 To: 26 May 2010
Balance under scheme from previous return:	4,721,948 ordinary shares
The amount by which the block scheme has been increased, if the scheme has been increased since the date of the last return:	N/A
Number of securities issued/allotted under scheme during the period of return:	None
Balance under scheme not yet issued or allotted at the end of the return period:	4,721,948 ordinary shares
Number and class of securities originally admitted and the date of admission:	75,281,130 ordinary shares of US\$0.01 each admitted on 13 July 2007
Total number of securities in issue at the end of the period:	106,140,956 ordinary shares
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