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Schedule for the Final Investment Decision - Ichthys Project, Australia

INPEX CORPORATION (INPEX) announces today that Ichthys Project, which is undertaken by INPEX group of companies and Total group of companies, has been steadily progressing towards the Final Investment Decision (FID) to be made by the end of this year. While this remains our target, taking into account administrative constraints during the Christmas season and New Year holiday periods, the decision may slip into mid-January 2012.

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