

# IMPORTANT NOTICE

**The Depository Trust Company**



**#:** 6273-10  
**Date:** March 11, 2010  
**To:** All Participants  
**Category:** Dividends  
**From:** International Services  
**Attention:** Operations, Reorg & Dividend Managers, Partners & Cashiers  
**Subject:** Depository Fees Notification  
Vimetco 144A & Reg S  
CUSIP: 92718P104 & 92718P203  
JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.

The Depository Trust Company has received from JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A., the attached information regarding depository fees. Charges will be processed through the billing statement on the seventh business day of the following month.

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## **DEPOSITARY FEES NOTIFICATION**

**J.P. Morgan** (the “Depository”) hereby represents and warrants to The Depository Trust Company (“DTC”) that it may collect and receive, pursuant to the terms and conditions of the Deposit Agreement(s) (the “Agreement(s)”), dated as of July 27, 2007, by **VIMETCO N.V.** and the Depository, an annual service fee per GDR share in accordance with the table below (the “Representation”):

<b>Depository</b>	<b>DTC #</b>	<b>Security Name</b>	<b>CUSIP</b>	<b>Security Type</b>	<b>Fee</b>	<b>Record Date</b>	<b>Billing Period</b>
J.P. Morgan	923	<b>VIMETCO N.V. – 144A</b>	<b>92718P104</b>	DR	\$0.04	April 12, 2010	April
J.P. Morgan	923	<b>VIMETCO N.V. - Reg S</b>	<b>92718P203</b>	DR	\$0.04	April 12, 2010	April

The Depository hereby instructs DTC to collect and pass-through such fee(s) to the Depository (the “Instruction”).

Depository hereby agrees to indemnify and defend DTC and its respective officers, directors, employees, agents and attorneys (the “Indemnities”) from and against, and hold the Indemnities harmless from, any and all liabilities, damages, judgments, payments, litigations, costs and expenses (including without limitation any costs of investigation and legal fees and expenses incurred), regardless of whether or not any liability, payment, obligation or judgment is ultimately imposed against the Indemnities (together “Losses”) and/or any claim, counterclaim, demand, action, suit, counterclaim, arbitration, inquiry, proceeding or investigation before any federal, state or foreign court or other tribunal, or any investigative or regulatory agency or SRO (together “Legal Actions”) suffered or incurred by the Indemnities resulting from, relating to, arising out of, or in connection with the Representation and/or the Instruction.