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Mr. Nicholson

On behalf of Crown Drilling LLC I wanted to formally express our thanks for the 2 new GDS IBOP Actuators that we took delivery of back in the 3rd quarter of 2011 and inform you of what a great job they have been doing for us on our Rig #8 and that our customer **Chevron N/A** is most impressed with how they work and have flawlessly operated and that you are API 8C. Crown Rig #8 has been the flagship for Chevron in the Marcellus play here in the US and its operation very scrutinized. Your design truly is the best of what we have found on the market we have tried them all and yours seems to have eliminated the week points of any others.

Also send out a thank you to your service team for all that they done for our top drive uptime since we have started working with you our up time and unscheduled down time events have dramatically decreased we don't feel this is coincidence GDS has made the difference here to help us achieve this statistical improvement. Crown is very comfortable with GDS taking the lead with this program it is one less thing now that we have to worry about. Also as a note let it be known that when the GDS service team shows up on location their attention to safety is very well demonstrated and that they (GDS Crews) involve themselves in our (Crown) and customer (Chevron) on location safety meetings, policies and procedures this is exactly the attitude required to work for Crown and nothing less. As I have told you personally in the past safety is #1 with Crown and Chevron and anyone that don't understand that is not used for service no matter their performance excellence.

In closing Paul thank you for everything I will see you in Houston on my next trip through I want to discuss your new top drive design. I am interested in a 250T model; I have heard good things about the 850T you have put out.

John C Morrison

President