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1Q 05

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Liftboats

Drilling

Hercules Offshore Overview

Note: See Explanatory Information slide. Division Adjusted EBITDA does not include corporate G&A and other income/exp Quarterly Revenue

Quarterly Adjusted EBITDA

(\$ in millions)
(\$ in millions)
Unique business mix within the oil services industry
Tremendous growth since inception in mid 2004
Experienced management team
Proven track record of strong return on capital

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Pending TODCO Acquisition Highlights
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agreement to acquire TODCO for \$2.3 billion with average per share consideration of:

0.979 Hercules shares (\$1.3 billion in equity)

\$16.00 in cash (\$930 million in cash)
Cash portion to be funded with existing cash on hand and a senior secured term loan facility
Closing expected mid-2007

Subject to:

HSR approval

Hercules and TODCO shareholder approval

Other customary closing conditions
Post-transaction Board of Directors to include
seven Hercules and three TODCO nominees

A Gulf of Mexico Leader. . . With Global Reach A New Leader in Jackup Drilling A Leader in Barge Drilling A Leader in Liftboats

Creates Value for Stakeholders in Near and Long-term
Accretive to earnings and cash flow per share
Opportunity to enhance future returns with lower cost of capital
Diversifies Hercules
asset and customer base
1Q 07 pro forma trailing 12 month revenue of \$1.4 billion and EBITDA of \$630 million
Revenue
(1)
(\$mm)
EBITDA
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(\$mm)

(1) PF HERO represents Hercules plus TODCO financials per SEC filings, no accounting adjustments have been made. \$223 \$630 0.0 250.0 500.0 750.0 **HERO** PF HERO \$399 \$1,369 0.0 500.0 1,000.0 1,500.0 **HERO** 

PF HERO

Acquisition-related debt allows Hercules to optimize its capital structure Enhanced credit quality due to increased scale and scope Free cash flow expected to significantly exceed debt coverage needs

Pro Forma Capital Structure as of 3/31/07

Total Debt/Total Capitalization

Total

Debt

as

a

Multiple

of

LTM

**EBITDA** 

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For

comparison purposes, **EBITDA** Revenue Operating Expenses SG&A Competitor ratios based on 1Q07 reported earnings. 1.7x 1.6x 1.4x 0.9x0.6x0.5x0.4x1.6x 0.0x0.4x0.8x1.2x 1.6x 2.0xRIG PF **HERO** PDE SPN **RDC** NE **GSF** DO 48% 34% 34% 33% 21%

19% 18% 12% 0.0% 20.0%

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Summary of Strategic Rationale
Enhances position in Gulf of Mexico and increases
operational flexibility
Provides asset and geographic diversity
Expands international footprint for future growth
Creates larger, more diverse jackup fleet
Timely combination in a fragmented jackup market
Combines leaders in barge drilling and liftboats
Potential to realize meaningful synergies

Economies of scale

Procurement of materials, insurance, employee benefits

Operational synergies and redundant public company expenses

Provides Asset Diversity

1Q 2007 Revenue Segmentation Analysis

Pre-Transaction

\$110 MM

Post-Transaction

\$352 MM

GOM Contract

Drilling

39%

Domestic

Liftboats

30%

International

Contract Drilling

19%

International

Liftboats

13%

Domestic

Liftboats

9%

Inland Barge

Drilling

18%

International

Contract

Drilling

20%

International

Liftboats

4%

**GOM Contract** 

Drilling

42%

Delta Towing

6%

1Q 2007 Geographic Revenue Analysis Provides Geographic Diversity Pre-Transaction \$110 MM

Post-Transaction

\$352 MM

We expect international contribution to represent a greater portion of our revenues in the future

Middle East

6%

US GOM

68%

India

13%
West Africa
13%
US GOM, 58%
Inland US, 18%
Latin America,
13%
West Africa, 5%
India, 4%
Middle East, 2%

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A Global Footprint with Significant Expansion Potential (1)
Pro forma for TODCO s
announced THE 208 relocation.
(2)
Includes Hercules Rig 26, marketing internationally.
Mexico
Jackup Rigs
2
Platform Rig
1
West Africa
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Jackup Rig Liftboats 17 Middle East Jackup Rig 1 Malaysia (1) Jackup Rig 1 U.S. Gulf Coast **Inland Barges** 27 Land Rigs (TX) Trinidad Jackup Rig Land Rig 1 Brazil Jackup Rig 1 Venezuela Land Rigs U.S. Gulf of Mexico Jackup Rigs 25 Submersible Liftboats 47 India Jackup Rig 1 **Global Summary** Liftboats 64 Jackup Rigs 33 **Inland Barges** 27 Land Rigs Submersible Platform Rigs

(2)

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**HERO** 

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#### GSF

Fourth Largest Global Jackup Fleet

Current Global Jackup Landscape

Current

Gulf

of

Mexico

Jackup

Landscape

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Source: ODS-Petrodata

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Excludes

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announced

mobilization

out

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the GOM,

including

Hercules

Rig

26

and

Pride

Mississippi

A
Leading Player in US Gulf Coast Inland Barge Rigs
Source:
Company estimates based on public information.
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Tetra

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NBR

A Leading Provider of Liftboat Services

Source:

Company estimates based on public information.

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Denotes cold-stacked or abandoned vessels.

Current Gulf of Mexico Liftboat Landscape

Current West Africa Liftboat Landscape

47

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NV De Brandt Shoreline

14 August 2005 Acquired the Whale Shark liftboat from CS Liftboats June 2005 Acquired Rig 16 from Transocean and 17 liftboats from Superior Energy October 2004

Acquired 22 liftboats from

Global Industries

August

2004

Acquired five

jackup rigs from

Parker Drilling

Successful integration of 12 asset acquisitions since formation

Integrated several large fleets, operations and employees

Opportunistic acquisition strategy

Focus on return on capital employed

Successful Acquisition Track Record

February

2006

Acquired Rig 26

from Aries

Offshore Partners

Ltd.

November

2005

Acquired seven

liftboats from Danos

& Curole

September

2005

Acquired Rig 31

from Hydrocarbon

Capital II LLC

June

2006

Acquired six

liftboats from

Laborde Marine

Lifts

November

2006

Acquired eight

liftboats and

assumed rights to

operate five

additional liftboats

from Halliburton

January

2005

Acquired Rig 25

from Parker Drilling

and Rig 30

from

Porterhouse Offshore, L.P. March 2007 Entered into a definitive merger agreement to acquire TODCO

15 Transaction is Consistent With Hercules Strategy Grow the Company

Merger expedites growth initiative

Utilize critical mass and financial strength to enhance future growth Quickly integrate and deploy newly acquired assets

Identify and implement operational best practices

Past successes of effectively integrating acquisitions Maintain Financial Discipline

Pro forma debt level of 1.6x LTM EBITDA is within industry range Diversify asset base and geographic footprint

Leverage combined operational and management depth to continue and

accelerate international expansion

Business Outlook

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Strong Outlook for Oil Prices . . .
OPEC Surplus Capacity & Utilization
OPEC surplus capacity is minimal
Sustained upward pressure on prices

Encourages investment in projects previously considered uneconomic

Source: US DOE, EIA
Global Oil Production versus
Drilling & Completion Spending
Source: EIA, Spears & Associates
Production 10yr CAGR 1% Spending

Production Spending

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... and for US Natural Gas

Decline Rates Are Rising

Production Rates Are Falling

An ever increasing number of wells are needed to maintain production As a result of long term deliverability issues, gas storage is becoming a less important determinant of price

0.35

0.55

0.75

0.95

1.15

1.35

1.55

1997

2006E 2007E Initial First Year Production per New Well Source: EOG Resources, Raymond James First Year US Gas Well Decline Rates 35.0% 40.0% 45.0% 50.0% 55.0% 

2006E

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Jackup Market has been Bifurcated Since Mid-2006
Jackup
Avail.
Supply
0
20
40
60
80
100
120
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140 160 \$0 \$20 \$40 \$60 \$80 \$100 \$120 Contracted Stacked Ready Dayrate Contracted GOM Jackup Market in a Trough International Jackup Markets at Peak, but Demand Remains Strong Jackup Avail. Supply 0 20 40 60 80 100 120 140 160 180 \$0 \$20 \$40 \$60 \$80 \$100 \$120 \$140 \$160 \$180 \$200 Contracted Stacked Ready Dayrate Contracted Dayrate Dayrate Current GOM demand for 62 jackups against marketed supply of 72 jackups, leaving 10 rigs hot-stacked International jackup utilization is still effectively at 100%

Source: ODS-Petrodata, Jefferies & Company

450 500 \$-\$25 \$50 \$75 \$100 \$125 \$150 \$175 \$200 0 50 100 150 200 250 300 \$-\$25 \$50 \$75 \$100 \$125 Source: ODS-Petrodata. West Africa dayrates are used to approximate average market rates for worldwide jackup rigs. Solid Backlog of Work Globally Business visibility has increased substantially over the past six years, but has weakened considerably in the US Gulf of Mexico over the last several months Current Worldwide Jackup Backlog Current GOM Jackup Backlog Jan 1999 187 Days Apr 2007 434 Days West Africa 300 IC 200 MC Jackups in GOM Jan 2004 32 Days Apr 2007 118 Days Backlog

Dayrate

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74
(4)
6
72
87
(15)
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30
60
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120 150 180 156 87 (15)72 6 (4) 74 ??? ??? ??? GOM Supply Continues Downward Trend June 2001 Jackup Supply Less: Cold Stacked/ Shipyard (2) Marketed Supply Less: Jackups Leaving GOM Plus: Jackups in Yard (noncontracted) Visible Marketed Supply Less: Future Jackup Deployments Plus: Newbuilds Plus: Reactivation of Cold Stacked (9) Current Jackup Supply (1) (1) Excludes 1 GSF rig severely damaged in Hurricane Katrina

- (2) Includes only rigs that are not contracted.

Source: ODS-Petrodata as of 5/4/07, and company disclosure.

Rigs Departing the GOM

Rig Name

Destination

Rig Name

Destination

Hercules 26

**TBD** 

Ben Avon (Songa

Tellus)

West Africa

Mexico

Pride Mississippi

Rigs in Shipyard

Rig Name

Blake 202

Pride Wyoming

Hercules 26

Ensco 83

GSF Adriatic VII

Ben Rinnes

(Songa

Neptune)

West Africa

Ocean King

22 Inland Barge Update Largest operator in US Gulf Coast

72 total barges of which 23 are workover only

Of 49 drilling barges, TODCO owns 27, Parker owns 14 (84% of supply) TODCO holds excess supply with 17 operating and 10 cold stacked Average Backlog 122 days
(1)
TODCO fleet as of April 30, 2007 and Hercules estimates
Latest Contracted Dayrates
Marketed

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Rigs
Working
Rigs
Avg
High
 Conventional
<2000hp
1
1
32,000
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32,000
 Conventional
 2000hp
2
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35,000
35,000
 Conventional
 3000hp
3
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38,500
42,000
 Posted
 2000hp
3
68,000
68,000
 Posted
 3000hp
47,500
58,000
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14
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51,286

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23 Liftboat Update Return to more typical seasonality in GOM

During 2006 demand was extremely robust given the hurricane repair work and operators were willing to pay for liftboats while waiting out the weather

Following a seasonal decline in utilization in the GOM during the winter months, utilization has rebounded significantly GOM Dayrate outlook stable

Dayrates likely to remain flat during 2007 West Africa remains strong

Increased spot market prices by 30% during December

May mobilize additional vessels into West Africa

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Hercules

Liftboat Fleet

Starfish

Class 140

Liftboat

Swordfish

Class 200

Liftboat

(1)

Within the liftboat industry, the terms leg-length and liftboat class are used interchangeably.

Note:

Utilization is defined as the total number of operating days in the period as a percentage of the total number of calendar days in

Edgar Filing: TODCO - Form 425 were actively marketed. Dayrates include reimbursements from customers under relevant contracts. 69% Leg - Length / Liftboat Class (1) Number of Mar-06 Mar-07 Y-o-Y 2007 (Feet) Vessels Dayrate Dayrate % Change Utilization Gulf of Mexico 260' 1 \$29,638 \$33,514 13% 91% 230' 3 \$23,579 28,269 20% 37% 190-215' 6 18,736 22,179 18% 83% 170' 2 NA 19,627 NA 18% 140-150' 6 8,583

10,293 20% 82% 120-130' 14 7,321

8,702

19%

62%

105'

15

5,669

7,136

26%

63%

Domestic Total

47

\$10,040

\$12,748

27%

65%

West Africa

All Vessels

17

\$9,934

\$11,485

16%

79%

Credit Highlights
Successful
History of
Growth
Leading Market
Position
Diversification
by Assets,
Geography, and
Customers
Experienced

Management

Team
Favorable
Industry
Fundamentals
Strong Financial
Profile

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**Explanatory Information** 

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Note: Reconciliations for Drilling and Liftboats do not include corporate adjustments. **EBITDA** Reconciliation (\$ in millions) Drilling Liftboats 1Q 05 2Q 05 Q3 05 4Q 05 1Q 06 2Q 06 3Q 06 4Q 06 1Q 07 1Q 05 2Q 05 Q3 05 4Q 05 1Q 06 2Q 06 3Q 06 4Q 06 1Q 07 Net Income \$9.5 \$7.6 \$10.5 \$0.5 \$25.6 \$15.6 \$19.1 \$27.2 \$25.7 \$2.5 \$1.5 \$2.5 (\$1.6) \$7.5 \$9.3 \$12.6 \$12.7 \$7.8 Plus: Interest Expense 1.8 1.8

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63

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Less: Gain on Disposal of Assets

29.6

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#### Adjusted EBITDA

\$12.5

\$12.6

\$13.8

\$11.3

\$14.1

\$26.8

\$33.7 \$43.5

\$40.2

\$4.2

\$4.6

\$5.8

\$11.7

\$16.8

\$20.7

\$26.7

\$24.5

\$21.7

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Explanatory Information (cont.)

For

comparison

purposes

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forma

**EBITDA** 

combining

Hercules

Offshore

and

TODCO.

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No
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Note: Reconciliations for Drilling and Liftboats do not include corporate adjustments.
Pro forma HERO EBITDA Calculation
(\$ in millions)
1Q 06
2Q 06
3Q 06
4Q 06

1Q 07
LTM
Hercules Revenue
\$56.1
\$76.3
\$97.2
\$114.7
\$110.5
\$398.7
TODCO Revenue
\$183.6
\$226.1
\$242.3
\$260.1
\$241.9
\$970.4
Pro forma Revenue
\$239.7
\$302.4
\$339.5
\$374.8
\$352.4
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Hercules Operating Expense
21.9
26.3
33.2
42.7
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143.7
TODCO Operating Expense
107.3
140.6
129.2
133.1
114.7
517.6
Less: Pro forma Operating Expenses
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162.4
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Hercules General & Administrative
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32.4 TODCO General & Administrativ 9.7 10.7 10.8 10.1 13.3 44.9 Less: Pro forma G&A Expenses 16.3 17.3 18.0 19.5 22.5 77.3 Hercules EBITDA 27.6 43.4 56.8 62.5 59.8 222.6 TODCO EBITDA 66.6 74.8 102.3 116.9 113.9 407.9 PF HERO EBITDA \$94.2 \$118.2 \$159.1

\$179.4 \$173.7 \$630.5

#### 28 Risk Factors

Risks with respect to the combination of Hercules Offshore and TODCO, as well as other recent and future acquisitions, include the risk that we will not be able to close the transaction, as well as difficulties in the integration of the operations and personnel of the acquired company, diversion of management's attention away from other business concerns, and the assumption of any undisclosed or other liabilities of the acquired company. We expect to incur substantial transaction and merger related costs associated with completing the merger with TODCO, obtaining regulatory approvals, combining the operations of the two companies and achieving desired synergies. Additional unanticipated costs may be incurred in the integration of the businesses of Hercules Offshore and TODCO. Expected benefits of the merger may not be achieved in the near term, or at all. Hercules Offshore will have a significant amount of additional debt as a result of the merger. This debt will require us to use cash flow to repay indebtedness, may have a material adverse effect on our financial health, and may limit our future operations and ability to borrow additional funds. For additional information regarding the risks associated with the TODCO acquisition, please read the risk factors section in the joint proxy statement/prospectus included in Hercules Offshore s Form S-4 (No. 333-142314)

registration statement on

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Important Information to be Filed

In connection with the TODCO acquisition, Hercules Offshore has filed with the SEC a registration statement on Form S-4 that contains a joint proxy statement/prospectus. Investors and security holders of Hercules Offshore and TODCO are urged to read the registration statement and definitive joint proxy statement/prospectus (if and when they become available) and any other relevant documents filed with the SEC, as well as any amendments or supplements to those documents, because they contain and will contain important information about Hercules Offshore, TODCO and the merger. A definitive joint proxy statement/prospectus will be sent to security holders of Hercules Offshore seeking their approval of the issuance of shares of common stock in the acquisition.

Investors

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the

SEC's

website

at

www.sec.gov.

In addition, the documents filed with the SEC by Hercules Offshore may be obtained free of charge

from

our

website

at

www.herculesoffshore.com

or

by

calling

our

investor

relations

department

at

(713) 979-9300. The documents filed with the SEC by TODCO may be obtained free of charge from TODCO's

website at www.theoffshoredrillingcompany.com or by calling TODCO's investor relations department (713)278-6000. Investors and security holders are urged to read the

joint proxy

statement/prospectus and the other relevant materials when they become available before making any voting or investment decision with respect to the proposed merger.

Hercules Offshore, TODCO and their respective directors, and executive officers may be considered participants in the solicitation of proxies in connection with the proposed transaction. Information about the participants in the solicitation is set for in the registration statement on Form S-4 and will be set forth in the joint proxy statement/prospectus when it becomes available.