# 17 August 2010

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Paladin Energy Ltd Level 4 502 Hay Street Subjaco Western Australia 6008

# Re: Notice of Interests of Substantial Shareholder under Section 671B

Company Secretary:

Enclosed is a Form 603 dated 16 August 2010. Please note that a copy of this report has been sent to the Australian Stock Exchange.

The Capital Group Companies, Inc. ("CGC") is the parent company of Capital Research and Management Company ("CRMC"). CRMC is a U.S.-based investment management company that manages The American Funds family of mutual funds. CGC is also the parent company of Capital Group International, Inc. ("CGII"), which in turn is the parent company of five investment management companies: Capital Guardian Trust Company, Capital International, Inc., Capital International Limited, Capital International Sàrl and Capital International K.K. Each of these investment management companies acts separately from the others and from CGC in exercising investment discretion over its managed accounts.

Neither CGC nor any of its affiliates own shares of your company for its own account. Rather, the shares reported on Form 603 are owned by accounts under the discretionary investment management of one or more of the investment management companies described above.

For the purposes of this Notice an outstanding share balance of 717,892,802 shares was used to calculate the percentages of holdings of the relevant share capital. We believe this outstanding share balance is current; however, if this number is not accurate, please contact us as soon as possible so that we may make the necessary revisions to this Notice.

Should you have questions or require additional information, please contact Gina Martinez or Vivien Tan at (213) 615-0469 or send a fax message to (213) 486-9698. Alternatively, you may contact us via E-mail at GRGroup@capgroup.com.

Regards,

Gina Martinez Compliance Manager

#### Form 603

#### Corporations Act 2001 Section 671B

#### Notice of initial substantial holder

To Company Name/Scheme	Paladin Energy Ltd	
ACN/ARSN		
1. Details of substantial holder (1)		
Name	The Capital Group Companies, Inc.	
ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	n/a	
The holder became a substantial holde	er on	16 August 2010

#### 2. Details of voting power

The total number of votes attached to all the voting shares in the company or voting interests in the scheme that the substantial holder or an associate (2) had a relevant interest (3) in on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Class of securities (4)	Number of securities	Person's votes (5)	Voting power (6)
Ordinary Shares {OR Stapled Securities}	35,957,396 shares	35,957,396 shares	5.01%

#### 3. Details of relevant interests

The nature of the relevant interest the substantial holder or an associate had in the following voting securities on the date the substantial holder became a substantial holder are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Nature of relevant interest (7)	Class and number of securities
The Capital Group Companies, Inc.		35,957,396 Ordinary Shares

The shares being reported under this section are owned by accounts under the discretionary investment management of 4 investment management companies (Capital Guardian Trust Company, Capital International Limited, Capital International Sarl, and Capital International, Inc.) which are direct or indirect subsidiaries of The Capital Group Companies, Inc., 333 South Hope Street, 55th Floor, Los Angeles, California 90071 and such shares are being reported in the aggregate.

### 4. Details of present registered holders

The persons registered as holders of the securities referred to in paragraph 3 above are as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Registered holder of securities	Person entitled to be registered as holder (8)	Class and number of securities
		none	
See Annexure A dated 16 August 2010 (copy attached)			

#### 5. Consideration

The consideration paid for each relevant interest referred to in paragraph 3 above, and acquired in the four months prior to the day that the substantial holder became a substantial holder is as follows:

Holder of relevant interest	Date of acquisition	Consideration (9)		Class and number of	
riolder of felevant interest		Cash	Non-cash	securities	
The Capital Group	16 April 2010	Average price of 3.9062 AUD		5,318,673	
Companies, Inc.	Through			Ordinary Shares	
	16 August 2010				

#### 6. Associates

The reasons the persons named in paragraph 3 above are associates of the substantial holder are as follows:

Name and ACN/ARSN (if applicable)	Nature of association
N/A	N/A

The companies (Capital Guardian Trust Company, Capital International Limited, Capital International Sàrl, and Capital International, Inc.) referred to in paragraph 1(a) are wholly owned direct or indirect subsidiaries of The Capital Group Companies, Inc.

#### 7. Addresses

The addresses of persons named in this form are as follows:

Name	Address
The Capital Group Companies, Inc.	333 South Hope Street, 55 <sup>th</sup> Floor Los Angeles, CA 90071

Signature	
print name: Liliane Corzo	Capacity: Senior Counsel
sian here	Date: 17 August 2010

# Annexure "A"

This is the Annexure of 4 pages marked Annexure "A" referred to in Form 603 (initial)
signed by this corporation dated 16 August 2010.

	The Capital Group Companies, Inc.	
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Ву:	Liliane Corzo Senior Counsel	

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CG Investment Management Company	Account Number	Number of Shares	% Held
Capital Guardian Trust Company	44000300	795,888	
	44001300	273,903	
	44002300	10,616	
	44022700	10,990	
	44022900	78,169	
	44023900	38,000	
	44025900	239,600	
	44028100	78,000	
	44028600	24,185	
	44029700	102,400	
	44032100	60,000	
	44036500	714,665	
	44036900	123,174	
	44038900	135,100	
	44040900	120,000	
	44043000	17,826	
	44043700	10,990	
	44044000	19,000	
	44045900	180,023	
	44255000	420,000	
	44257000	134,285	
	44257100	216,192	
	44257600	350,222	
	44257800	176,086	
	44259200	40,106	
	44263800	8,800	
	44267200	43,678	
	44268600	25,200	
	44269700	7,548	
	44271500	15,100	
	44273000	36,500	
	44273400	18,000	
	44278600	22,000	
	44279100	53,000	
	44283000	3,516	
	44283900	122,000	
	44288500	31,994	
	44302200	31,994	
	44308600	62,700	
	44315000	86,331	

44336000

123,174

CG Investment Management Company	Account Number	Number of Shares	% Held
Capital Guardian Trust Company	44343000	50,900	
	44344600	27,821	
	44344800	15,353	
	44351800	54,006	
	44352100	23,824	
	44352200	3,766	
	44352400	24,600	
	44353000	32,000	
	44356900	29,000	
	44357100	26,517	
	44357800	220,000	
	44358800	104,224	
	44359200	186,500	
	44359700	6,435	
	44359800	666,461	
	44364900	39,418	
	44370700	13,800	
	44373700	26,111	
	44373900	22,300	
	44375500	58,270	
	44376300	71,700	
	44376400	26,106	
	44376700	179,000	
	44377300	17,140	
	44377400	47,000	
	44378900	65,565	
	44940300	301,964	
	44941300	461,692	
	44950900	62,551	
	44951600	125,763	
		8,050,742	
Capital International Limited	43051100	45,486	
	43051500	15,255	
	43053900	150,506	
	43057200	8,055	
	43057600	15,748	
	43060800	37,569	
	43355500	12,322	
	43356100	35,994	

CG Investment Management Company	Account Number	Number of Shares	% Held
Capital International Limited	43404900	9,726	
	43417700	966,123	
	43419300	212,650	
	43426300	1,919,632	
	43426800	574,792	
	43426900	1,289,948	
	43445200	121,098	
	43451200	36,082	
	43463000	116,739	
	43465300	207,484	
	43487500	33,000	
	43487700	30,200	
	43487800	29,746	
	43507400	14,600	
	43507500	31,019	
	43510600	90,000	
	43558600	162,240	
	43564200	22,820	
	43565400	83,308	
	43570200	27,748	
		6,299,890	
Capital International SÁrl	45415100	157,800	
	45426000	1,820,110	
	45500200	44,791	
	45503100	8,960	
	45503200	8,253	
	45503300	23,000	
	45515100	37,218	
	45517600	291,966	
	45521100	26,765	
	45530000	18,340	
	45589000	15,067	
	45590100	248,000	
	45590400	80,356	
		2,780,626	
Capital International, Inc.	46000015	10,770,668	

CG Investment Management Company	Account Number	Number of Shares	% Held
Capital International, Inc.	46459500	333,413	
	46480300	723,470	
	46520100	146,571	
	46608900	857,575	
		18,826,138	
GRAND TOTAL		35,957,396	5.01%

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### Nominee Name

ANZ Nominees Level 25, Collins Street GPO Box 2842 AA Melbourne 3001 VIC

43060800	37,569
44364900	39,418
45503100	8,960

Total Shares: 85,947

ANZ Nominees Limited (Melbourne)

GPO Box 2842AA

Melbourne, Victoria 3001

Australia

43451200	36,082
43510600	90,000

Total Shares: 126,082

Australia & New Zealand Banking Grp Ltd

35, Elisabeth Street

PO Box 2842AA

Melbourne VIC 3000

43404900	9,726
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Total Shares: 9,726

Bankers Trust Australia Level 9, The Chifley Tower

2, Chifley Square

Sydney NSW 2000, Australia

Sydney NOV 2000, Adstralia	
43051100	45,486
43057200	8,055
44036900	123,174
44040900	120,000
44263800	8,800
44268600	25,200
44269700	7,548
44283900	122,000

Total Shares: 460,263

Brown Bros. One Mellon Bank Center Pittsburgh, PA 15258

Non	ninee	Name

45530000	18,340
Total Shares:	18,340
Chase Manhattan Bank Australia Limited	
Level 36 World Trade Centre	
Jamison Street	
Sydney, NSW 2000 Australia	
43053900	150,506
44000300	795,888
44001300	273,903
44002300	10,616
44022900	78,169
44028600	24,185
44036500	714,665
44043000	17,826
44255000	420,000
44257000	134,285
44288500	31,994
44352400	24,600
44359200	186,500
45500200	44,791
Total Shares:	2,907,928
Chase Manhattan Nominee Ltd.	
Australia	
43417700	966,123
44257800	176,086
44259200	40,106
44352100	23,824
44352200	3,766
44376300	71,700
44940300	301,964
44950900	62,551
45590100	248,000
Total Shares:	1,894,120
Citicorp Nominees PTY Ltd	
Level 26, Mitre 502-30	
101 Collins Street	
Melbourne, Victoria 3000	
43426300	1,919,632

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43507400		14,600
43507500		31,019
	Total Shares:	1,965,251
Commonwealth Bank of Australia		
Level 7, Bank House, 309-315 Geo	rge St.	
Sydney NSW 2000		
Australia		
44267200		43,678
44278600		22,000
	Total Shares:	65,678
HSBC		
2 Leboh Ampang		
50100 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia		
43356100		35,994
	Total Shares:	35,994
HSBC Bank plc		
Securities Services, Mariner House		
Pepys Street		
London EC3N 4DA		
46608900		857,575
	Total Shares:	857,575
ID Marrian Chara Bank		
JP Morgan Chase Bank 44257600		350,222
44941300		461,692
44951600		125,763
45517600		291,966
45589000		15,067
45590400		80,356
46000015		10,770,668
46059100		5,994,441
	Total Shares:	18,090,175

KAS UK Kass Associate P.O Box 178 1000 AD Amsterdam

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### Nominee Name

43463000	116,739
Total Shares:	116,739
Mellon Bank N.A.	
London Branch	
London	
United Kingdom	
44356900	29,000
44377300	17,140
Total Shares:	46,140
National Australian Bank LTD.	
271 Collins St.	
5th Floor South	
Melbourne, Victoria 3000	
43419300	212,650
43426800	574,792
43465300	207,484
43564200	22,820
44025900	239,600
44028100	78,000
44032100	60,000
44043700	10,990
44044000	19,000
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44302200	31,994
44344600	27,821
44344800	15,353
44353000	32,000
44373700	26,111
44373900	22,300
44375500	58,270
45503200	8,253
45515100	37,218
45521100	26,765
46459500	333,413

Total Shares: 2,332,026

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82 Pitt Street Sydney, NSW 2000 Australia

44315000	86,331
44343000	50,900

Total Shares: 137,231

Northern Trust c/o NorTrust Nominees Limited 155 Bishopsgate

London EC2M 3XS

43426900	1,289,948
44376400	26,106
44377400	47,000

Total Shares: 1,363,054

State Street Bank & Trust Co.

46480300	723,470
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Total Shares: 723,470

Westpac Banking Corp

15,255
33,000
10,990
38,000
102,400
6,435
157,800

Total Shares: 363,880

Westpac Custodian Nominees 50 Pitt Street, 8th Floor Sydney, NSW 2000

Australia	
43057600	15,748
43355500	12,322
43445200	121,098
43487700	30,200
43487800	29,746
43558600	162,240
43565400	83,308

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### Nominee Name

43570200	27,748
44038900	135,100
44045900	180,023
44271500	15,100
44273000	36,500
44283000	3,516
44308600	62,700
44336000	123,174
44351800	54,006
44357100	26,517
44357800	220,000
44358800	104,224
44359800	666,461
44370700	13,800
44376700	179,000
44378900	65,565
45426000	1,820,110
45503300	23,000
46520100	146,571

Total Shares: 4,357,777