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Please renew the licence agreement for Barryroe to allow Providence Resources proceed with this field which has successfully been drilled for oil and gas on several occasions.

This has the potential to help alleviate Ireland's dependence on energy imports.

Minister Ryan's head-in-the-sand approach to Barryroe is not only leaving Ireland exposed to oil and gas shortages but also leaves us exposed to litigation. Please note Rockhopper Exploration PLC's recent successful arbitration against Italy resulting in a ~€200m award to Rockhopper.