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**EANS-Adhoc: Weatherford Announces Change Of Auditors**

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GENEVA, March 8, 2013 -- Weatherford International Ltd. (NYSE / Euronext Paris / SIX: WFT) today announces that the audit committee of its board of directors approved the engagement of KPMG LLP as its independent registered public accounting firm for the year ending December 31, 2013. The committee determined that as a matter of good corporate governance, it is appropriate at this time to rotate to a different firm to serve as the company's auditors. This appointment is subject to ratification by Weatherford's shareholders at the 2013 Annual General Meeting. At that meeting, the Company also expects to propose the election by our shareholders of KPMG AG as our Swiss statutory auditor for the year ending December 31, 2013.

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