

MITSUI & CO LTD
Form 6-K
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FORM 6-K

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

Washington, D.C. 20549

Report of Foreign Private Issuer

Ten Year Production Period Extension of Four Offshore Blocks in the Gulf of Thailand

Pursuant to Rule 13a-16 or 15d-16

of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

For the month of October 29, 2007

Commission File Number 09929

Mitsui & Co., Ltd.

(Translation of registrant's name into English)

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(Address of principal executive offices)

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Signatures

Pursuant to the requirements of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934, the registrant has duly caused this report to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned, thereunto duly authorized.

Date: October 29, 2007

MITSUI & CO., LTD.

By: /s/ Kazuya Imai
Name: Kazuya Imai
Title: Executive Vice President

Chief Financial Officer

October 29, 2007

For immediate release:

To Whom It May Concern

Mitsui & Co., Ltd.

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Mitsui & Co., Ltd. (Mitsui) announced today that its subsidiary, Mitsui Oil Exploration Co., Ltd. (MOECO), its co-concessionaires and the Thai Ministry of Energy have signed an agreement in Bangkok to extend the production period of four offshore blocks (Block No. 10, 11, 12 and 13) in the Gulf of Thailand for an additional ten years from 2012 to 2022. The co-concessionaires are Chevron Thailand Exploration and Production, Ltd, a subsidiary of Chevron Corporation, and PTT Exploration and Production Public Company Limited.

The offshore blocks 10-13 encompass several major operating areas in the Gulf of Thailand with a daily average production of approximately 1.0 billion cubic feet of gas and 60,000 barrels of oil and condensate as of July 2007. The blocks are divided into three gas contract concession areas of U1, U2 and U3. MOECO currently holds a 20 percent working interest in concessions U1; 30 percent in U2; and 23.75 percent in U3.

Mitsui, through MOECO, is dedicated to working with the Kingdom of Thailand and co-concessionaires to contribute to the stable and reliable supply of energy in the Kingdom.

Attachment: Concession Area Map

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Concession Area Map