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John de Wardt has 48 years of management and technical experience in the upstream oil and gas industry worldwide, primarily in drilling and wells, with operators and all types of suppliers. He has supported over 80 global clients and worked in 36 countries.

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