UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549

FORM 8-K

CURRENT REPORT

Pursuant to Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934

Date of Report (Date of earliest event reported): January 18, 2022

Weatherford International plc

(Exact name of registrant as specified in its charter) 001-36504

98-0606750

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| (State or other jurisdiction of incorporation) | (Commission File Number) | (I.R.S. Employer Identification No.) |
| 2000 St. James Place, Houston | , Texas | 77056 |
| (Address of principal executi | ve offices) | (Zip Code) |
| Registrant's | telephone number, including area co | de: 713.836.4000 |
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| (Former Nar | ne or Former Address, if Changed Sin | ce Last Report) |
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| Securities registered pursuant to Section 12(b) of the Act: | | |
| Title of each class | Trading Symbol | Name of each exchange on which registered |
| Ordinary shares, \$0.001 par value per share | WFRD | The Nasdaq Global Select Market |
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Item 5.02 Departure of Directors or Certain Officers; Election of Directors; Appointment of Certain Officers; Compensatory Arrangements of Certain Officers.

Approval of Forms of Award Agreement and Equity Awards - Named Executive Officer

On January 18, 2022, the Board of Directors (the "Board") of Weatherford International plc (the "Company") approved forms of restricted share unit ("RSU") award agreement and performance share unit ("PSU") award agreement (collectively, the "Award Agreements") under the Company's Second Amended and Restated 2019 Equity Incentive Plan for 2022 (the "2019 EIP").

Awards made under the form RSU award agreement for our named executive officers generally vest in three equal annual installments over the three-year period from the date of grant. Awards made under the form PSU award agreement may be earned between 0% and 200% of the target award based on achievement of performance goals determined by the Committee (as defined in the 2019 EIP) and will vest following the completion of a three-year performance period. The underlying metrics are competitively sensitive information; therefore, they will be disclosed only in our future disclosures as performance periods are completed.

Under the RSU award agreement applicable to our named executive officers, upon a termination of employment by the Company without "Cause" or by the participant for "Good Reason" (each as defined in the Award Agreements), as applicable, the participant will be entitled to accelerated vesting of a pro-rated portion of the next eligible tranche of any outstanding RSUs based on days elapsed in each tranche. Upon a Qualifying Termination (as defined in the Company's Change in Control Severance Plan), all outstanding RSUs granted under the Award Agreements will accelerate and vest upon such termination of employment. All unvested RSUs are immediately forfeited if a participant's service to the Company is terminated for any other reason.

Under the PSU award agreement applicable to our named executive officers, upon a termination of employment by the Company without "Cause" or by the participant for "Good Reason" (each as defined in the Award Agreements), as applicable, the participant will be eligible for accelerated vesting of outstanding PSUs, which will settle at the end of the applicable performance period based on actual performance through the end of the performance period, pro-rated for days elapsed prior to the date of termination. If a Change in Control (as defined in the Company's Change in Control Severance Plan) occurs within 12 months following the grant date, and the participant experiences a Qualifying Termination (as defined in the Company's Change in Control Severance Plan), the PSUs will vest at target performance. If the Change in Control occurs on or after 12 months following the grant date and the Participant experiences a Qualifying Termination, the PSUs will vest at the greater of target achievement or the actual performance through the date of such Change in Control. Upon a participant's termination of service for any other reason, all unvested PSUs will be immediately forfeited.

Each of the Award Agreements will be used to grant equity-based awards to Messrs. Saligram, Jennings and Weatherholt, with respect to the following numbers of ordinary shares of the Company per award:

| | RSUs | PSUs |
|----------------------|--------|---------|
| Girish K. Saligram | 84,518 | 126,777 |
| H. Keith Jennings | 34,025 | 34,025 |
| Scott C. Weatherholt | 21,691 | 21,691 |

The foregoing summary is qualified in its entirety by the forms of Award Agreements, which are filed as Exhibits 10.01 and 10.2, respectively, to this Form 8-K and incorporated herein by reference.

Approval of Forms of Award Agreement - Directors

On January 18, 2022, the Board also approved a form of RSU award agreement for the Company's non-executive directors under the 2019 EIP. Awards made under the form RSU award agreement for our directors fully vest on the first anniversary of the date of grant. The RSUs will accelerate and vest if a non-executive director is terminated by the Company without cause or due to the non-executive director's death or disability. If a non-executive director is terminated for any other reason, all unvested RSUs are immediately forfeited.

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Item 9.01 Financial Statements and Exhibits.

(d) Exhibits

| Exhibit Number | Exhibit Description |
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| *10.1 | Form of Executive Officer Restricted Share Unit Award Agreement |
| *10.2 | Form of Executive Officer Performance Share Unit Award Agreement |
| *10.3 | Form of Non-Executive Director Restricted Share Unit Award Agreement |
| 104 | Cover Page Interactive Data File - the cover page XBRL tags are embedded within the Inline XBRL document. |

^{*} Management contract or compensatory plan or arrangement

SIGNATURE

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 hereunto duly authorized.

| Date: January 20, 2022 | Weatherford International plc | | |
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| Date. January 20, 2022 | /s/ Scott C. Weatherholt | | |
| | Scott C. Weatherholt | | |
| | Executive Vice President, General Counsel, and Chief Compliance Officer | | |

WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC

RESTRICTED SHARE UNIT AWARD AGREEMENT

PURSUANT TO THE

SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED 2019 EQUITY INCENTIVE PLAN

(TIME VESTING)

| Grant : | Date: | |
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THIS RESTRICTED SHARE UNIT AWARD AGREEMENT (this "Agreement"), dated as of the Grant Date specified above, is entered into by and between WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC, a public limited company organized under the laws of Ireland (the "Company"), and you as the Participant specified below, pursuant to that certain award letter regarding the awards granted hereunder dated January 18, 2022 (the "Award Letter") between the parties and further made subject to the Weatherford International plc Second Amended and Restated 2019 Equity Incentive Plan, as in effect and as amended from time to time (the "Plan"), which is administered by the Committee (as defined in the Plan); and

WHEREAS, it has been determined under the Plan that it would be in the best interests of the Company to grant the Restricted Share Units ("<u>RSUs</u>") provided herein to the Participant.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and promises hereinafter set forth and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto hereby mutually covenant and agree as follows:

- 1. <u>Incorporation By Reference; Plan Document Receipt.</u> This Agreement is subject in all respects to the terms and provisions of the Plan (including, without limitation, any amendments thereto adopted at any time and from time to time unless such amendments are expressly intended not to apply to the Award provided hereunder), all of which terms and provisions are made a part of and incorporated into this Agreement as if they were each expressly set forth herein. Except as provided otherwise herein, any capitalized term not defined in this Agreement shall have the same meaning as is ascribed thereto in the Plan. The Participant hereby acknowledges receipt of a true copy of the Plan and that the Participant has read the Plan carefully and fully understands its content. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Agreement and the terms of the Plan, the terms of the Plan shall control.
- 2. <u>Grant of Restricted Share Unit Award</u>. The Company hereby grants the number of RSUs specified above to the Participant, as of the Grant Date stated above. Except as otherwise provided by the Plan, the Participant agrees and understands that nothing contained in this Agreement provides, or is intended to provide, the Participant with any protection against potential future dilution of the Participant's interest in the Company for any reason, and no adjustments shall be made for dividends in cash or other property, distributions or other rights in

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respect of the Shares underlying the RSUs, except as otherwise specifically provided for in the Plan or this Agreement.

3. **Vesting**.

(a) Subject to the provisions of <u>Sections 3(b)</u> - <u>3(e)</u> hereof, the RSUs subject to this Award shall become vested as follows, provided that the Participant has not incurred a Termination prior to each such vesting date (each, a "<u>Vesting Date</u>"):

| <u>Vesting Date</u> | Percentage of RSUs |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
| First Anniversary of the Grant Date | 33.33% |
| Second Anniversary of the Grant Date | 33.33% |
| Third Anniversary of the Grant Date | 33.34% |

There shall be no proportionate or partial vesting in the periods prior to each Vesting Date and all vesting shall occur only on the appropriate Vesting Date, subject to the Participant's continued service with the Company or any of its Subsidiaries on each applicable Vesting Date.

- (b) <u>Termination Without Cause; Resignation for Good Reason; Due to Death or Disability</u>. Subject to <u>Section 4(c)</u>, in the event the Participant's Service is terminated by the Company without Cause or by the Participant for Good Reason (each, as defined in the Company's Change in Control Severance Plan[, notwithstanding the definitions contained the Participant's Offer Letter from the Company]), the Participant shall be entitled to vest a pro-rated portion of the next tranche of time-vested RSUs that would otherwise vest but for Participant's termination, with such pro-rated portion, if any, determined by multiplying the next unvested tranche by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of days elapsed from the immediately preceding Vesting Date (or the Grant Date if no Vesting Date has occurred) through the Participant's date of termination, and the denominator of which is the number of days from the immediately preceding Vesting Date (or the Grant Date if no Vesting Date has occurred) through the next scheduled Vesting Date. Subject to <u>Section 4(c)</u>, in the event the Participant's Service is terminated due to the Participant's death or Disability, all unvested time-vested RSUs will accelerate and vest.
- (c) <u>Change in Control</u>. Subject to <u>Section 4(c)</u>, if a Change in Control occurs, and the successor or purchaser in the Change in Control has assumed the Company's obligations with respect to the RSUs or provided a substitute award and the Participant has a Qualifying Termination (as defined in the Company's Change in Control Severance Plan), the RSUs shall become fully vested as of the time immediately prior to such termination of Service, all remaining forfeiture restrictions shall immediately lapse as of the Vesting Date and the Vesting Date shall be deemed to be the date of such termination of Service; provided that if such Qualifying Termination occurs prior to a Change in Control, then the RSUs shall become fully vested as of the time immediately prior to such Change in Control, all remaining forfeiture restrictions shall immediately lapse as immediately prior to such Change in Control and the Vesting Date shall be deemed to be the date of such Change in Control.
- (d) <u>Committee Discretion to Accelerate Vesting</u>. In addition to the foregoing, the Committee may, in its sole discretion, accelerate vesting of the RSUs at any time and for any reason.

(e) <u>Forfeiture</u>. Subject to the terms of this <u>Section 3</u>, all unvested RSUs (taking into account any vesting that may occur upon the Participant's Termination in accordance with <u>Section 3(b)</u> hereof) shall be immediately forfeited upon the Participant's Termination for any reason.

4. <u>Delivery of Shares</u>.

- (a) <u>General</u>. Subject to the provisions of <u>Section 4(b)</u> hereof, within ten (10) days following the applicable Vesting Date of the RSUs the Participant shall receive the number of Shares that correspond to the number of RSUs that have become vested on the applicable Vesting Date, less any shares withheld by the Company pursuant to <u>Section 8</u> hereof.
- (b) Section 409A. If the RSUs are considered an item of deferred compensation subject to Section 409A of the Code and the Shares are distributable at a time or times by reference to the Participant's separation from service (within the meaning of Section 409A(a)(2)(A)(i) of the Code) and the Participant on the date of the Participant's separation from service is both subject to U.S. federal income taxation and a "specified employee" (within the meaning of Section 409A(a)(2)(B)(i) of the Code), any Shares that would otherwise be issuable during the 6-month period commencing on the Participant's separation from service will be issued on the first day which immediately follows the last day of the 6-month period that commences on the Participant's separation from service (or, if the Participant dies during such period, within 30 days after the Participant's death). Such Shares shall be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable.
- (c) <u>Release</u>. The receipt of Shares subject to the RSUs that are eligible to vest pursuant to <u>Section 3(b)</u> or <u>(c)</u> shall be subject to the execution and nonrevocation of a general release of claims in favor of the Company, in a form reasonably satisfactory to the Company.
- 5. <u>Dividends</u>; <u>Rights as Shareholder</u>. Cash dividends on the number of Shares issuable hereunder shall be credited to a dividend book entry account on behalf of the Participant with respect to each RSU granted to the Participant; <u>provided</u> that such cash dividends shall not be deemed to be reinvested in Shares and shall be held uninvested and without interest and paid in cash at the same time that the Shares underlying the RSUs are delivered to the Participant in accordance with the provisions hereof. Stock dividends on Shares shall be credited to a dividend book entry account on behalf of the Participant with respect to each RSU granted to the Participant; <u>provided</u> that such stock dividends shall be paid in Shares at the same time that the Shares underlying the RSUs are delivered to the Participant in accordance with the provisions hereof. Except as otherwise provided herein, the Participant shall have no rights as a shareholder with respect to any Shares covered by any RSU unless and until the Participant has become the holder of record of such Shares.
- 6. <u>Non-Transferability</u>. The RSUs, and any rights and interests with respect thereto, issued under this Agreement and the Plan shall not be sold, exchanged, transferred, assigned, pledged, encumbered or otherwise disposed of or hypothecated in any way by the Participant (or any beneficiary of the Participant who holds the RSUs as a result of a Transfer by will or by the laws of descent and distribution), other than in accordance with the provisions of Section 10(c) of the Plan.

7. <u>Governing Law; Jurisdiction and Venue</u>.

(a) All questions arising with respect to the provisions of this Agreement shall be determined by application of the laws of Texas, without giving any effect to any conflict of law provisions thereof, except to the extent Texas state law is preempted by federal law. The obligation of the Company to sell and deliver Shares hereunder is subject to applicable laws and

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to the approval of any governmental authority required in connection with the authorization, issuance, sale, or delivery of such Shares. The Participant and the Company (each, a "Party") irrevocably and unconditionally agree that any past, present, or future dispute, controversy, or claim arising under or relating to this Agreement; any employment or other agreement between the Participant and the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (collectively with the Company, the "Company Parties"); any federal, state, local, or foreign statute, regulation, law, ordinance, or the common law (including but not limited to any law prohibiting discrimination); or in connection with the Participant's employment or the termination thereof; involving the Participant, on the one hand, and any of the Company Parties, on the other hand, including both claims brought by the Participant and claims brought against the Participant, shall be submitted to binding arbitration before the American Arbitration Association ("AAA") for resolution; provided that nothing herein shall require arbitration of a claim or charge that, by law, cannot be the subject of a compulsory arbitration agreement. The Parties further agree to arbitrate solely on an individual basis, that this Agreement does not permit class arbitration or any claims brought as a plaintiff or class member in any class or representative arbitration proceeding, that the arbitrator may not consolidate more than one person's claims and may not otherwise preside over any form of a representative or class proceeding, and that claims pertaining to different employees shall be heard in separate proceedings. Within 10 business days of the initiation of an arbitration hereunder, the Parties shall each separately designate an arbitrator, who shall be a former partner at an "AmLaw 200" law firm based in Houston, Texas, and within 20 business days of selection, the appointed arbitrators shall appoint a neutral arbitrator from the AAA Panel of Commercial Arbitrators. Such arbitration shall be conducted in Houston, Texas, and the arbitrators shall apply Texas law, including federal statutory law as applied in Texas courts. The arbitrators, and not any federal, state, or local court or adjudicatory authority, shall have exclusive authority to resolve any dispute relating to the interpretation, applicability, enforceability, and/or formation of this Agreement, including but not limited to any dispute as to whether (i) a particular claim is subject to arbitration hereunder, and/or (ii) any part of this <u>Section 7</u> is void or voidable. The arbitrators shall issue their written decision (including a statement of finding of facts and the reasons for the award) within 30 days from the date of the close of the arbitration hearing. Except as otherwise provided herein, the Parties shall treat any arbitration as strictly confidential, and shall not disclose the existence or nature of any claim or defense; any documents, correspondence, pleadings, briefing, exhibits, or information exchanged or presented in connection with any claim or defense, unless required by applicable law (including public disclosures under applicable securities laws); or any rulings, decisions, or results of any claim, defense, or argument (collectively, "Arbitration Materials") to any third party, with the exception of the Parties' legal counsel and/or tax advisors or such other similar consultants (who the applicable Party shall ensure complies with these confidentiality terms). Except as provided in <u>Section 7(c)</u> below, the arbitrators shall not have authority to award attorneys' fees or costs, punitive damages, compensatory damages, damages for emotional distress, penalties, or any other damages not measured by the prevailing party's actual losses, except to the extent such relief is explicitly available under a statute, ordinance, or regulation pursuant to which a claim is brought. In agreeing to arbitrate their claims hereunder, the Parties hereby recognize and agree that they are waiving their right to a trial in court and/or by a jury.

(b) In the event of any court proceeding to challenge or enforce an arbitrators' award, the Parties hereby consent to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in Harris County, Texas; agree to exclusive venue in that jurisdiction; and waive any claim that such jurisdiction is an inconvenient or inappropriate forum. There shall be no interlocutory appeals to any court, or any motions to vacate any order of the arbitrators that is not a final award dispositive of the arbitration in its entirety, except as required by law. The Parties agree to take all steps necessary to protect the confidentiality of the Arbitration Materials in connection with any court proceeding, agree to use their best efforts to file all Confidential Information (and documents containing Confidential Information) under seal, and agree to the

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entry of an appropriate protective order encompassing the confidentiality terms of this Agreement.

(c) The Participant and the Company Parties shall each bear their own expenses, legal fees and other fees incurred in connection with this Agreement; provided, that the prevailing party in any such action shall be fully reimbursed by the other party for all costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees, court costs, expert or consultants' fees and reasonable travel and lodging expenses, incurred by the prevailing party in its successful prosecution or defense thereof, including any appellate proceedings.

8. **Withholding of Tax**.

- (a) The Participant acknowledges that, regardless of any action taken by the Company or, if different, Participant's employer (the "Employer"), the ultimate liability for all income tax, social insurance, payroll tax, fringe benefits tax, payment on account or other tax-related items related to the Participant's participation in the Plan and legally applicable to Participant ("Tax-Related Items") is and remains the Participant's responsibility and may exceed the amount, if any, actually withheld by the Company or the Employer. The Participant further acknowledges that the Company and the Employer (i) make no representations or undertakings regarding the treatment of any Tax-Related Items in connection with any aspect of the RSUs; and (ii) do not commit to and are under no obligation to structure the terms of the grant or any aspect of the RSUs to reduce or eliminate the Participant's liability for Tax-Related Items or achieve any particular tax result. Further, if the Participant is subject to Tax-Related Items in more than one jurisdiction, the Participant acknowledges that the Company and/or the Employer (or former employer, as applicable) may be required to withhold or account for Tax-Related Items in more than one jurisdiction.
- (b) To satisfy any withholding obligations of the Company and/or the Employer with respect to Tax-Related Items, the Company will withhold Shares otherwise issuable upon vesting of the RSUs. Alternatively, or in addition, in connection with any applicable withholding event, the Participant authorizes the Company and/or the Employer, or their respective agents, at their discretion, to satisfy their obligations, if any, with regard to all Tax-Related Items by one or a combination of the following: (i) withholding from the Participant's wages or other cash compensation paid to the Participant by the Company or the Employer, (ii) withholding from proceeds of the sale of Shares acquired upon vesting of the RSUs either through a voluntary sale or through a mandatory sale arranged by the Company (on the Participant's behalf pursuant to this authorization without further consent) and/or (iii) requiring the Participant to tender a cash payment to the Company or an Affiliate in the amount of the Tax-Related Items; provided, however, that if the Participant is a Section 16 officer of the Company under the Exchange Act, the withholding methods described in this Section 8(b)(i), (ii), and (iii) will only be used if the Committee (as constituted to satisfy Rule 16b-3 of the Exchange Act) determines, in advance of the applicable withholding event, that one of such withholding methods will be used in lieu of withholding Shares.
- (c) The Company may withhold for Tax-Related Items by considering applicable statutory withholding amounts or other applicable withholding rates, including maximum applicable rates in the Participant's jurisdiction(s), in which case the Participant may receive a refund of any over-withheld amount in cash and will have no entitlement to the equivalent amount in Shares. The Company may refuse to issue or deliver the Shares or the proceeds of the sale of Shares, if the Participant fails to comply with his or her obligations in connection with the Tax-Related Items.
- 9. <u>Legend</u>. The Company may at any time place legends referencing any applicable federal, state or foreign securities law restrictions on all certificates, if any,

representing Shares issued pursuant to this Agreement. The Participant shall, at the request of the Company, promptly present to the Company any and all certificates, if any, representing Shares acquired pursuant to this Agreement in the possession of the Participant in order to carry out the provisions of this <u>Section 9</u>.

- 10. <u>Securities Representations</u>. This Agreement is being entered into by the Company in reliance upon the following express representations and warranties of the Participant. The Participant hereby acknowledges, represents and warrants that:
- (a) The Participant has been advised that the Participant may be an "affiliate" within the meaning of Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933 (as amended, the "Securities Act") and in this connection the Company is relying in part on the Participant's representations set forth in this Section 10.
- (b) If the Participant is deemed to be an affiliate within the meaning of Rule 144 of the Securities Act, the Shares issuable hereunder must be held indefinitely unless an exemption from any applicable resale restrictions is available or the Company files an additional registration statement (or a "re-offer prospectus") with regard to such Shares and the Company is under no obligation to register such Shares (or to file a "re-offer prospectus").
- (c) If the Participant is deemed to be an affiliate within the meaning of Rule 144 of the Securities Act, the Participant understands that (i) the exemption from registration under Rule 144 will not be available unless (A) a public trading market then exists for the Shares of the Company, (B) adequate information concerning the Company is then available to the public, and (C) other terms and conditions of Rule 144 or any exemption therefrom are complied with, and (ii) any sale of the Shares issuable hereunder may be made only in limited amounts in accordance with the terms and conditions of Rule 144 or any exemption therefrom.
- 11. <u>Clawback</u>. The Participant shall be subject to the Company's clawback, forfeiture or other similar policies in accordance with Section 19 of the Plan. By accepting this Award, the Participant is deemed to have acknowledged and consented to the Company's application, implementation and enforcement of any such policy adopted of the Company, whether adopted prior to or following the Grant Date (and any provision of applicable law relating to reduction cancellation, forfeiture or recoupment), and to have agreed that the Company may take such actions as may be necessary to effectuate any such policy or applicable law, without further consideration or action by the Participant.
- 12. Entire Agreement; Amendment. This Agreement, together with the Plan, contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter contained herein, and supersedes all prior agreements or prior understandings, whether written or oral, between the parties relating to such subject matter. This Agreement may be amended by the Board or by the Committee at any time (a) if the Board or the Committee determines, in its sole discretion, that an amendment is necessary or advisable in light of any addition to or change in any federal or state, tax or securities law or other law or regulation, which change occurs after the Grant Date and by its terms applies to the Award; or (b) other than in the circumstances described in clause (a) or provided in the Plan, with the Participant's consent.
- 13. <u>Notices</u>. All notices required or permitted under this Agreement must be in writing and personally delivered or sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, and shall be deemed to be delivered on the date on which it is actually received by the person to whom it is properly addressed, in the case of a Participant, at the Participant's address shown in the books and records of the Company or, in the case of the Company, at the Company's principal offices, attention General Counsel. Any person entitled to notice hereunder may waive such notice in writing.

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- 14. <u>Electronic Delivery and Participation</u>. The Company may, in its sole discretion, decide to deliver any documents related to participation in the Plan by electronic means or to request the Participant's consent to participate in the Plan by electronic means. By receipt of this RSU grant, the Participant hereby consents to receive such documents by electronic delivery and agrees to participate in the Plan through an on-line or electronic system established and maintained by the Company or a third party designated by the Company.
- 15. **No Right to Employment**. Any questions as to whether and when there has been a termination of Service and the cause of such termination shall be determined in the sole discretion of the Committee. Nothing in this Agreement confers upon you the right to continue in the employ of or performing services for the Company or any Subsidiary, or interfere in any way with the rights of the Company or any Subsidiary to terminate your employment or service relationship at any time, subject to any employment agreement or other service agreement in effect between the Company and the Participant.
- 16. <u>Transfer of Personal Data</u>. The Participant authorizes, agrees and unambiguously consents to the transmission by the Company (or any Subsidiary) of any personal data information related to the RSUs awarded under this Agreement for legitimate business purposes (including, without limitation, the administration of the Plan). This authorization and consent is freely given by the Participant.
- Compliance with Laws. Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, the issuance of the RSUs (and the Shares upon settlement of the RSUs) pursuant to this Agreement will be subject to compliance with all applicable requirements of federal, state, or foreign law with respect to such securities and with the requirements of any stock exchange or market system upon which the Shares may then be listed. No Shares will be issued hereunder if such issuance would constitute a violation of any applicable federal, state, or foreign securities laws or other law or regulations or the requirements of any stock exchange or market system upon which the Shares may then be listed. In addition, Shares will not be issued hereunder unless (a) a registration statement under the Securities Act, is at the time of issuance in effect with respect to the Shares issued or (b) in the opinion of legal counsel to the Company, the shares issued may be issued in accordance with the terms of an applicable exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act. The inability of the Company to obtain from any regulatory body having jurisdiction the authority, if any, deemed by the Company's legal counsel to be necessary to the lawful issuance and sale of any Shares subject to the Award will relieve the Company of any liability in respect of the failure to issue such Shares as to which such requisite authority has not been obtained. As a condition to any issuance hereunder, the Company may require the Participant to satisfy any qualifications that may be necessary or appropriate to evidence compliance with any applicable law or regulation and to make any representation or warranty with respect to such compliance as may be requested by the Company. From time to time, the Board and appropriate officers of the Company are authorized to take the actions necessary and appropriate to file required documents with governmental authorities, stock exchanges, and other appropriate Persons to make Shares available for issuance.
- 18. <u>Section 409A</u>. This Agreement and the Plan are intended to be exempt from or comply with the applicable requirements of Section 409A of the Code and shall be limited, construed and interpreted in accordance with such intent. To the extent that this Award is subject to Section 409A of the Code, it shall be paid in a manner that will comply with Section 409A of the Code, including proposed, temporary or final regulations or any other guidance issued by the Secretary of the Treasury and the Internal Revenue Service with respect thereto. The Company shall have no liability to the Participant, or any other party, if an Award that is intended to be exempt from, or compliant with, Section 409A of the Code is not so exempt

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or compliant or for any action taken by the Committee or the Company and, in the event that any amount or benefit under this Agreement or the Plan becomes subject to penalties under Section 409A of the Code, responsibility for payment of such penalties shall rest solely with the Participant and not with the Company.

- 19. **No Advice Regarding Grant**. The Company is not providing any tax, legal or financial advice, nor is the Company making any recommendations regarding the Participant's participation in the Plan, or his or her acquisition or sale of the underlying Shares. the Participant should consult with his or her own personal tax, legal and financial advisors regarding the Participant's participation in the Plan before taking any action related to the Plan.
- 20. <u>Country-Specific Provisions</u>. The RSUs and the Shares subject to the RSUs shall be subject to any special terms and conditions for the Participant's country set forth in the Appendix, if applicable. Moreover, if the Participant relocates to one of the countries included in the Appendix, the special terms and conditions for such country will apply to the Participant, to the extent the Company determines that the application of such terms and conditions is necessary or advisable for legal or administrative reasons. The Appendix constitutes part of this Agreement.
- 21. <u>Imposition of Other Requirements</u>. This grant is subject to, and limited by, all applicable laws and regulations and such approvals by any governmental agencies or national securities exchanges, to the extent applicable, as may be required. The Participant agrees that the Company shall have unilateral authority to amend the Plan and this Agreement without the Participant's consent to the extent necessary to comply with securities or other laws applicable to the issuance of Shares (including any state "blue sky" laws). The Company reserves the right to impose other requirements on the Participant's participation in the Plan, on the RSUs and on any Shares acquired under the Plan, to the extent the Company determines it is necessary or advisable for legal or administrative reasons, and to require the Participant to sign any additional agreements or undertakings that may be necessary to accomplish the foregoing.
- 22. <u>Insider Trading Restrictions/Market Abuse Laws</u>. The Participant acknowledges that the Participant may be subject to insider trading restrictions and/or market abuse laws in applicable jurisdictions including, but not limited to, the United States and, if different, the Participant's country of residence, which may affect his or her ability to acquire or sell Shares or rights to Shares (e.g., RSUs) under the Plan during such times as the Participant is considered to have "inside information" regarding the Company (as defined by the laws in the applicable jurisdictions). Any restrictions under these laws or regulations are separate from and in addition to any restrictions that may be imposed under any applicable Company insider trading policy. The Participant is responsible for ensuring his or her compliance with any applicable restrictions and should speak to his or her personal legal advisor on this matter.
- 23. Foreign Asset/Account Reporting; Exchange Controls. The Participant acknowledges that, depending on his or her country of residence, the Participant may be subject to foreign asset and/or account reporting requirements and/or exchange controls as a result of the vesting and settlement of the RSUs, the acquisition, holding and/or transfer of Shares or cash resulting from participation in the Plan and/or the opening and maintaining of a brokerage or bank account in connection with the Plan. For example, the Participant may be required to report such assets, accounts, account balances and values and/or related transactions to the tax or other authorities in his or her country. The Participant may also be required to repatriate sale proceeds or other funds received pursuant to the Plan to his or her country through a designated bank or broker and/or within a certain time after receipt. The Participant is responsible for ensuring compliance with any applicable requirements and should speak to his or her personal legal advisor regarding these requirements.

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- No Secured Rights. The Participant's right to payments under this Agreement shall not constitute nor be treated as property or as a trust fund of any kind. The Participant's rights are limited exclusively to the right to receive Shares as provided in the Agreement. The Participant shall not have any rights as an owner of the Company with respect to any RSUs granted to Participant. All benefits payable to the Participant shall be payable solely from the general assets of the Company and no separate or special funds shall be established and no segregation of assets shall be made to assure the payment of benefits to Participant. The Participant's rights shall be limited to those rights that are specifically enumerated in the Agreement, and such rights shall be for all purposes, unsecured contractual creditors' rights against the Company only.
- 25. <u>Binding Agreement; Assignment; Amendment</u>. This Agreement shall inure to the benefit of, be binding upon, and be enforceable by the Company and its successors and assigns. The Participant shall not assign any part of this Agreement without the prior express written consent of the Company, which consent may not be unreasonably withheld, conditioned or delayed. The Committee has the right to amend, alter, suspend, discontinue or cancel the RSUs, prospectively or retroactively; provided that no such amendment shall materially and adversely affect the Participant's rights under this Agreement without the Participant's consent, except as provided in Sections 18 and 21 hereof and Section 14 of the Plan.
- 26. <u>Headings</u>. The titles and headings of the various sections of this Agreement have been inserted for convenience of reference only and shall not be deemed to be a part of this Agreement.
- 27. <u>Counterparts</u>. This Agreement may be executed in one or more counterparts, each of which shall be deemed to be an original, but all of which shall constitute one and the same instrument. Counterpart signature pages to this Agreement transmitted by facsimile transmission, by electronic mail in portable document format (.pdf), or by any other electronic means intended to preserve the original graphic and pictorial appearance of a document, will have the same effect as physical delivery of the paper document bearing an original signature.
- 28. <u>Further Assurances</u>. Each party hereto shall do and perform (or shall cause to be done and performed) all such further acts and shall execute and deliver all such other agreements, certificates, instruments and documents as either party hereto reasonably may request in order to carry out the intent and accomplish the purposes of this Agreement and the Plan and the consummation of the transactions contemplated thereunder.
- 29. <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be illegal or invalid for any reason, the illegality or invalidity shall not affect the remaining provisions hereof, but such provision shall be fully severable and this Agreement shall be construed and enforced as if the illegal or invalid provision had never been included herein.
- 30. <u>Confidentiality</u>. The Participant agrees to keep strictly confidential and not to disclose to any Person the fact that the Participant has been granted the RSUs or any terms of this Agreement; provided, however, that the Participant may disclose the fact that the Participant has been granted the RSUs and the terms of this Agreement to the Participant's attorney, accountant, spouse or those employees of the Company or its Affiliates who are or will be involved in administering and implementing this Agreement. The Participant specifically acknowledges and agrees to the provisions of Section 10(h) of the Plan (regarding confidentiality and other restrictive covenants).

| 31. <u>Acknowledgement & Acceptance within 30 Days</u> . This grant is subject to acceptance, within 30 days of the Grant Date, by electronic acceptance through the website of Merrill Lynch, the Company's share plan administrator, or by signed documents delivered to the Company. Failure to accept the RSUs within 30 days of the Grant Date may result in cancellation of the RSUs. | | | |
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By signing below, the Participant hereby acknowledges receipt of the RSUs issued on the Grant Date indicated above, which have been issued under the terms and conditions of the Plan and this Agreement.

WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC

PERFORMANCE RESTRICTED SHARE UNIT AWARD AGREEMENT

PURSUANT TO THE

SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED 2019 EQUITY INCENTIVE PLAN

(PERFORMANCE VESTING)

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Grant Date: January 18, 2022

THIS PERFORMANCE RESTRICTED SHARE UNIT AWARD AGREEMENT (this "<u>Agreement</u>"), dated as of the Grant Date specified above, is entered into by and between WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC, a public limited company organized under the laws of Ireland (the "<u>Company</u>"), and you as the Participant specified below, and is made pursuant to that certain award letter regarding the awards granted hereunder dated January 18, 2022 (the "<u>Award Letter</u>") between the parties and further made subject to the Weatherford International plc Second Amended and Restated 2019 Equity Incentive Plan, as in effect and as amended from time to time (the "<u>Plan</u>"), which is administered by the Committee (as defined in the Plan); and

WHEREAS, it has been determined under the Plan that it would be in the best interests of the Company to grant the Performance Restricted Share Units ("<u>PSUs</u>") provided herein to the Participant.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and promises hereinafter set forth and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto hereby mutually covenant and agree as follows:

- 1. Incorporation By Reference; Plan Document Receipt. This Agreement is subject in all respects to the terms and provisions of the Plan (including, without limitation, any amendments thereto adopted at any time and from time to time unless such amendments are expressly intended not to apply to the Award provided hereunder), all of which terms and provisions are made a part of and incorporated into this Agreement as if they were each expressly set forth herein. Except as provided otherwise herein, any capitalized term not defined in this Agreement shall have the same meaning as is ascribed thereto in the Plan and the "Performance Period" shall mean the three fiscal-year period commencing on the first day of the fiscal year of the Company in which the Grant Date occurs. The Participant hereby acknowledges receipt of a true copy of the Plan and that the Participant has read the Plan carefully and fully understands its content. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Agreement and the terms of the Plan, the terms of the Plan shall control.
- 2. **Grant of Performance Restricted Share Unit Award**. The Company hereby grants the target number of PSUs specified in the Award Letter to the Participant, as of the Grant Date stated above (the "<u>Target Award</u>"). Except as otherwise provided by the Plan, the Participant agrees and understands that nothing contained in this Agreement provides, or is intended to provide, the Participant with any protection against potential future dilution of the Participant's interest in the Company for any reason, and no adjustments shall be made for

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dividends in cash or other property, distributions or other rights in respect of the Shares underlying the PSUs, except as otherwise specifically provided for in the Plan or this Agreement.

3. **Vesting**.

- (a) Subject to the provisions of this <u>Section 3</u>, the PSUs subject to this Agreement shall be eligible to vest on the last day of the Performance Period, subject to the Participant's continued Service with the Company on such date or as otherwise provided in this Agreement.
 - (i) The actual number of PSUs that are earned, if any, pursuant to the terms and conditions of this Agreement is subject to increase or decrease based on the Company's actual performance against the Performance Goals set forth on Exhibit A and may range from 0% to 200% of the Target Award, rounded to the nearest whole Share.
 - (ii) Following the end of the Performance Period and no later than 60 days thereafter, the Committee will determine the number of PSUs that have been earned (the "<u>Earned PSUs</u>") in accordance with Exhibit A (such date, the "Determination Date").
- (b) <u>Termination without Cause; for Good Reason; or Due to Death or Disability</u>. Subject to <u>Section 4(c)</u>, in the event the Participant's Service is terminated by the Company without Cause or by the Participant for Good Reason (each, as defined in the Company's Change in Control Severance Plan) in each case, during the third year of the Performance Period, a prorated portion of the Award shall remain eligible to vest at the end of the Performance Period based on actual performance, with such pro-rated portion, if any, determined by multiplying the number of Earned PSUs by a fraction, the numerator of which is the number of days elapsed from the Grant Date through the Participant's date of termination, and the denominator of which is the number of days in the Performance Period. Subject to <u>Section 4(c)</u>, in the event the Participant's Service is terminated due to the Participant's death or Disability, the Shares subject to the PSUs that have not yet vested shall vest at the end of the Performance Period based on actual performance. For the avoidance of doubt, in the event Participant's Service is terminated by the Company without Cause or by the Participant for Good Reason prior to the third year of the Performance Period, the PSUs shall be immediately forfeited.
- (c) <u>Change in Control</u>. Subject to <u>Section 4(c)</u>, <u>and not withstanding Section 3(b)</u>, if a Change in Control occurs, the successor or purchaser in the Change in Control has assumed the Company's obligations with respect to the PSUs or provided a substitute award and the Participant (i) has a Qualifying Termination (as defined in the Company's Change in Control Severance Plan) or (ii) remains employed with the Company through the end of the Performance Period, then the PSUs shall become earned and vested (y) if the Change in Control occurs within 12 months following the Grant Date hereunder, then at Target achievement of the Performance Goals, or (z) if such Change in Control occurs on or after 12 months following the Grant Date hereunder, then at the greater of Target achievement or the actual achievement of the Performance Goals through the date of such Change in Control; <u>provided</u> that if such Qualifying Termination occurs prior to a Change in Control, then the PSUs shall become earned and vested at the greater of Target achievement or the actual achievement of the Performance Goals through the date of such Change in Control.
- (d) <u>Committee Discretion to Accelerate Vesting</u>. In addition to the foregoing, the Committee may, in its sole discretion, accelerate vesting of the PSUs at any time and for any reason.

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(e) <u>Forfeiture</u>. Subject to the terms of this <u>Section 3</u>, all unvested PSUs (taking into account any vesting that may occur upon the Participant's termination of Service in accordance with <u>Section 3</u> hereof) shall be immediately forfeited upon the Participant's termination of Service for any reason.

4. <u>Delivery of Shares</u>.

- (a) <u>General</u>. Subject to the provisions of <u>Section 4(b)</u> hereof, on the Determination Date (and no later than the 15th day of the third month following the end of the Performance Period), the Participant shall receive the number of Shares that correspond to the number of Earned PSUs, less any shares withheld by the Company pursuant to <u>Section 8</u> hereof.
- (b) Section 409A. If the PSUs are considered an item of deferred compensation subject to Section 409A of the Code and the Shares are distributable at a time or times by reference to the Participant's separation from service (within the meaning of Section 409A(a)(2)(A)(i) of the Code) and the Participant on the date of the Participant's separation from service is both subject to U.S. federal income taxation and a "specified employee" (within the meaning of Section 409A(a)(2)(B)(i) of the Code), any Shares that would otherwise be issuable during the 6-month period commencing on the Participant's separation from service will be issued on the first day which immediately follows the last day of the 6-month period that commences on the Participant's separation from service (or, if the Participant dies during such period, within 30 days after the Participant's death). Such Shares shall be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable.
- (c) <u>Release</u>. The receipt of Shares subject to the Earned PSUs that are eligible to vest pursuant to <u>Section 3(b)</u> or <u>(c)</u> shall be subject to the execution and nonrevocation of a general release of claims in favor of the Company, in a form reasonably satisfactory to the Company.
- 5. <u>Dividends</u>; <u>Rights as Shareholder</u>. Cash dividends on the number of Shares issuable hereunder shall be credited to a dividend book entry account on behalf of the Participant with respect to each PSU granted to the Participant; <u>provided</u> that such cash dividends shall not be deemed to be reinvested in Shares and shall be held uninvested and without interest and paid in cash at the same time that the Shares underlying the PSUs are delivered to the Participant in accordance with the provisions hereof. Stock dividends on Shares shall be credited to a dividend book entry account on behalf of the Participant with respect to each PSU granted to the Participant; <u>provided</u> that such stock dividends shall be paid in Shares at the same time that the Shares underlying the PSUs are delivered to the Participant in accordance with the provisions hereof. Except as otherwise provided herein, the Participant shall have no rights as a shareholder with respect to any Shares covered by any PSU unless and until the Participant has become the holder of record of such Shares.
- 6. <u>Non-Transferability</u>. The PSUs, and any rights and interests with respect thereto, issued under this Agreement and the Plan shall not be sold, exchanged, transferred, assigned, pledged, encumbered or otherwise disposed of or hypothecated in any way by the Participant (or any beneficiary of the Participant who holds the PSUs as a result of a Transfer by will or by the laws of descent and distribution), other than in accordance with the provisions of Section 10(c) of the Plan.

7. <u>Governing Law; Jurisdiction and Venue</u>.

(a) All questions arising with respect to the provisions of this Agreement shall be determined by application of the laws of Texas, without giving any effect to any conflict of law provisions thereof, except to the extent Texas state law is preempted by federal law. The

obligation of the Company to sell and deliver Shares hereunder is subject to applicable laws and to the approval of any governmental authority required in connection with the authorization, issuance, sale, or delivery of such Shares. The Participant and the Company (each, a "Party") irrevocably and unconditionally agree that any past, present, or future dispute, controversy, or claim arising under or relating to this Agreement; any employment or other agreement between the Participant and the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (collectively with the Company, the "Company Parties"); any federal, state, local, or foreign statute, regulation, law, ordinance, or the common law (including but not limited to any law prohibiting discrimination); or in connection with the Participant's employment or the termination thereof; involving the Participant, on the one hand, and any of the Company Parties, on the other hand, including both claims brought by the Participant and claims brought against the Participant, shall be submitted to binding arbitration before the American Arbitration Association ("AAA") for resolution; provided that nothing herein shall require arbitration of a claim or charge that, by law, cannot be the subject of a compulsory arbitration agreement. The Parties further agree to arbitrate solely on an individual basis, that this Agreement does not permit class arbitration or any claims brought as a plaintiff or class member in any class or representative arbitration proceeding, that the arbitrator may not consolidate more than one person's claims and may not otherwise preside over any form of a representative or class proceeding, and that claims pertaining to different employees shall be heard in separate proceedings. Within 10 business days of the initiation of an arbitration hereunder, the Parties shall each separately designate an arbitrator, who shall be a former partner at an "AmLaw 200" law firm based in Houston, Texas, and within 20 business days of selection, the appointed arbitrators shall appoint a neutral arbitrator from the AAA Panel of Commercial Arbitrators. Such arbitration shall be conducted in Houston, Texas, and the arbitrators shall apply Texas law, including federal statutory law as applied in Texas courts. The arbitrators, and not any federal, state, or local court or adjudicatory authority, shall have exclusive authority to resolve any dispute relating to the interpretation, applicability, enforceability, and/or formation of this Agreement, including but not limited to any dispute as to whether (i) a particular claim is subject to arbitration hereunder, and/or (ii) any part of this <u>Section 7</u> is void or voidable. The arbitrators shall issue their written decision (including a statement of finding of facts and the reasons for the award) within 30 days from the date of the close of the arbitration hearing. Except as otherwise provided herein, the Parties shall treat any arbitration as strictly confidential, and shall not disclose the existence or nature of any claim or defense; any documents, correspondence, pleadings, briefing, exhibits, or information exchanged or presented in connection with any claim or defense, unless required by applicable law (including public disclosures under applicable securities laws); or any rulings, decisions, or results of any claim, defense, or argument (collectively, "Arbitration Materials") to any third party, with the exception of the Parties' legal counsel and/or tax advisors or such other similar consultants (who the applicable Party shall ensure complies with these confidentiality terms). Except as provided in Section 7(c) below, the arbitrators shall not have authority to award attorneys' fees or costs, punitive damages, compensatory damages, damages for emotional distress, penalties, or any other damages not measured by the prevailing party's actual losses, except to the extent such relief is explicitly available under a statute, ordinance, or regulation pursuant to which a claim is brought. In agreeing to arbitrate their claims hereunder, the Parties hereby recognize and agree that they are waiving their right to a trial in court and/or by a jury.

(b) In the event of any court proceeding to challenge or enforce an arbitrators' award, the Parties hereby consent to the exclusive jurisdiction of the state and federal courts sitting in Harris County, Texas; agree to exclusive venue in that jurisdiction; and waive any claim that such jurisdiction is an inconvenient or inappropriate forum. There shall be no interlocutory appeals to any court, or any motions to vacate any order of the arbitrators that is not a final award dispositive of the arbitration in its entirety, except as required by law. The Parties agree to take all steps necessary to protect the confidentiality of the Arbitration Materials in connection with any court proceeding, agree to use their best efforts to file all Confidential Information (and documents containing Confidential Information) under seal, and agree to the

entry of an appropriate protective order encompassing the confidentiality terms of this Agreement.

(c) The Participant and the Company Parties shall each bear their own expenses, legal fees and other fees incurred in connection with this Agreement; provided, that the prevailing party in any such action shall be fully reimbursed by the other party for all costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees, court costs, expert or consultants' fees and reasonable travel and lodging expenses, incurred by the prevailing party in its successful prosecution or defense thereof, including any appellate proceedings.

8. **Withholding of Tax**.

- (a) The Participant acknowledges that, regardless of any action taken by the Company or, if different, Participant's employer (the "Employer"), the ultimate liability for all income tax, social insurance, payroll tax, fringe benefits tax, payment on account or other tax-related items related to the Participant's participation in the Plan and legally applicable to Participant ("Tax-Related Items") is and remains the Participant's responsibility and may exceed the amount, if any, actually withheld by the Company or the Employer. The Participant further acknowledges that the Company and the Employer (i) make no representations or undertakings regarding the treatment of any Tax-Related Items in connection with any aspect of the PSUs; and (ii) do not commit to and are under no obligation to structure the terms of the grant or any aspect of the PSUs to reduce or eliminate the Participant's liability for Tax-Related Items or achieve any particular tax result. Further, if the Participant is subject to Tax-Related Items in more than one jurisdiction, the Participant acknowledges that the Company and/or the Employer (or former employer, as applicable) may be required to withhold or account for Tax-Related Items in more than one jurisdiction.
- (b) To satisfy any withholding obligations of the Company and/or the Employer with respect to Tax-Related Items, the Company will withhold Shares otherwise issuable upon vesting of the PSUs. Alternatively, or in addition, in connection with any applicable withholding event, the Participant authorizes the Company and/or the Employer, or their respective agents, at their discretion, to satisfy their obligations, if any, with regard to all Tax-Related Items by one or a combination of the following: (i) withholding from the Participant's wages or other cash compensation paid to the Participant by the Company or the Employer, (ii) withholding from proceeds of the sale of Shares acquired upon vesting of the PSUs either through a voluntary sale or through a mandatory sale arranged by the Company (on the Participant's behalf pursuant to this authorization without further consent) and/or (iii) requiring the Participant to tender a cash payment to the Company or an Affiliate in the amount of the Tax-Related Items; provided, however, that if the Participant is a Section 16 officer of the Company under the Exchange Act, the withholding methods described in this Section 8(b)(i), (ii), and (iii) will only be used if the Committee (as constituted to satisfy Rule 16b-3 of the Exchange Act) determines, in advance of the applicable withholding event, that one of such withholding methods will be used in lieu of withholding Shares.
- (c) The Company may withhold for Tax-Related Items by considering applicable statutory withholding amounts or other applicable withholding rates, including maximum applicable rates in the Participant's jurisdiction(s), in which case the Participant may receive a refund of any over-withheld amount in cash and will have no entitlement to the equivalent amount in Shares. The Company may refuse to issue or deliver the Shares or the proceeds of the sale of Shares, if the Participant fails to comply with his or her obligations in connection with the Tax-Related Items.
- 9. <u>Legend</u>. The Company may at any time place legends referencing any applicable federal, state or foreign securities law restrictions on all certificates, if any,

representing Shares issued pursuant to this Agreement. The Participant shall, at the request of the Company, promptly present to the Company any and all certificates, if any, representing Shares acquired pursuant to this Agreement in the possession of the Participant in order to carry out the provisions of this <u>Section 9</u>.

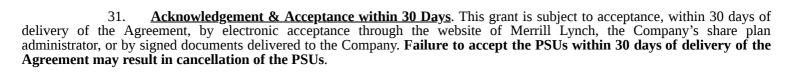
- 10. <u>Securities Representations</u>. This Agreement is being entered into by the Company in reliance upon the following express representations and warranties of the Participant. The Participant hereby acknowledges, represents and warrants that:
- (a) The Participant has been advised that the Participant may be an "affiliate" within the meaning of Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933 (as amended, the "Securities Act") and in this connection the Company is relying in part on the Participant's representations set forth in this Section 10.
- (b) If the Participant is deemed to be an affiliate within the meaning of Rule 144 of the Securities Act, the Shares issuable hereunder must be held indefinitely unless an exemption from any applicable resale restrictions is available or the Company files an additional registration statement (or a "re-offer prospectus") with regard to such Shares and the Company is under no obligation to register such Shares (or to file a "re-offer prospectus").
- (c) If the Participant is deemed to be an affiliate within the meaning of Rule 144 of the Securities Act, the Participant understands that (i) the exemption from registration under Rule 144 will not be available unless (A) a public trading market then exists for the Shares of the Company, (B) adequate information concerning the Company is then available to the public, and (C) other terms and conditions of Rule 144 or any exemption therefrom are complied with, and (ii) any sale of the Shares issuable hereunder may be made only in limited amounts in accordance with the terms and conditions of Rule 144 or any exemption therefrom.
- 11. <u>Clawback</u>. The Participant shall be subject to the Company's clawback, forfeiture or other similar policies in accordance with Section 19 of the Plan. By accepting this Award, the Participant is deemed to have acknowledged and consented to the Company's application, implementation and enforcement of any such policy adopted of the Company, whether adopted prior to or following the Grant Date (and any provision of applicable law relating to reduction cancellation, forfeiture or recoupment), and to have agreed that the Company may take such actions as may be necessary to effectuate any such policy or applicable law, without further consideration or action by the Participant.
- 12. Entire Agreement; Amendment. This Agreement, together with the Plan, contains the entire agreement between the parties hereto with respect to the subject matter contained herein, and supersedes all prior agreements or prior understandings, whether written or oral, between the parties relating to such subject matter. This Agreement may be amended by the Board or by the Committee at any time (a) if the Board or the Committee determines, in its sole discretion, that an amendment is necessary or advisable in light of any addition to or change in any federal or state, tax or securities law or other law or regulation, which change occurs after the Grant Date and by its terms applies to the Award; or (b) other than in the circumstances described in clause (a) or provided in the Plan, with the Participant's consent.
- 13. **Notices**. All notices required or permitted under this Agreement must be in writing and personally delivered or sent by certified mail, return receipt requested, and shall be deemed to be delivered on the date on which it is actually received by the person to whom it is properly addressed, in the case of a Participant, at the Participant's address shown in the books and records of the Company or, in the case of the Company, at the Company's principal offices, attention General Counsel. Any person entitled to notice hereunder may waive such notice in writing.

- 14. <u>Electronic Delivery and Participation</u>. The Company may, in its sole discretion, decide to deliver any documents related to participation in the Plan by electronic means or to request the Participant's consent to participate in the Plan by electronic means. By receipt of this PSU grant, the Participant hereby consents to receive such documents by electronic delivery and agrees to participate in the Plan through an on-line or electronic system established and maintained by the Company or a third party designated by the Company.
- 15. **No Right to Employment**. Any questions as to whether and when there has been a termination of Service and the cause of such termination shall be determined in the sole discretion of the Committee. Nothing in this Agreement confers upon you the right to continue in the employ of or performing services for the Company or any Subsidiary, or interfere in any way with the rights of the Company or any Subsidiary to terminate your employment or service relationship at any time, subject to any employment agreement or other service agreement in effect between the Company and the Participant.
- 16. <u>Transfer of Personal Data</u>. The Participant authorizes, agrees and unambiguously consents to the transmission by the Company (or any Subsidiary) of any personal data information related to the PSUs awarded under this Agreement for legitimate business purposes (including, without limitation, the administration of the Plan). This authorization and consent is freely given by the Participant.
- Compliance with Laws. Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, the issuance of the PSUs (and the Shares upon settlement of the PSUs) pursuant to this Agreement will be subject to compliance with all applicable requirements of federal, state, or foreign law with respect to such securities and with the requirements of any stock exchange or market system upon which the Shares may then be listed. No Shares will be issued hereunder if such issuance would constitute a violation of any applicable federal, state, or foreign securities laws or other law or regulations or the requirements of any stock exchange or market system upon which the Shares may then be listed. In addition, Shares will not be issued hereunder unless (a) a registration statement under the Securities Act, is at the time of issuance in effect with respect to the Shares issued or (b) in the opinion of legal counsel to the Company, the shares issued may be issued in accordance with the terms of an applicable exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act. The inability of the Company to obtain from any regulatory body having jurisdiction the authority, if any, deemed by the Company's legal counsel to be necessary to the lawful issuance and sale of any Shares subject to the Award will relieve the Company of any liability in respect of the failure to issue such Shares as to which such requisite authority has not been obtained. As a condition to any issuance hereunder, the Company may require the Participant to satisfy any qualifications that may be necessary or appropriate to evidence compliance with any applicable law or regulation and to make any representation or warranty with respect to such compliance as may be requested by the Company. From time to time, the Board and appropriate officers of the Company are authorized to take the actions necessary and appropriate to file required documents with governmental authorities, stock exchanges, and other appropriate Persons to make Shares available for issuance.
- 18. Section 409A. This Agreement and the Plan are intended to be exempt from or comply with the applicable requirements of Section 409A of the Code and shall be limited, construed and interpreted in accordance with such intent. To the extent that this Award is subject to Section 409A of the Code, it shall be paid in a manner that will comply with Section 409A of the Code, including proposed, temporary or final regulations or any other guidance issued by the Secretary of the Treasury and the Internal Revenue Service with respect thereto. The Company shall have no liability to the Participant, or any other party, if an Award that is intended to be exempt from, or compliant with, Section 409A of the Code is not so exempt or compliant or for any action taken by the Committee or the Company and, in the event that any

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By signing below, the Participant hereby acknowledges receipt of the PSUs issued on the Grant Date indicated above, which have been issued under the terms and conditions of the Plan and this Agreement.

WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC

DIRECTOR RESTRICTED SHARE UNIT AWARD AGREEMENT

PURSUANT TO THE

SECOND AMENDED AND RESTATED 2019 EQUITY INCENTIVE PLAN

(TIME VESTING)

| Participant: | |
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| Grant Date: | |
| Number of Restricted Share Units Granted: | |

THIS RESTRICTED SHARE UNIT AWARD AGREEMENT (this "<u>Agreement</u>"), dated as of the Grant Date specified above, is entered into by and between WEATHERFORD INTERNATIONAL PLC, a public limited company organized under the laws of Ireland (the "<u>Company</u>"), and the Participant specified above, pursuant to the Weatherford International plc Second Amended and Restated 2019 Equity Incentive Plan, as in effect and as amended from time to time (the "<u>Plan</u>"), which is

administered by the Committee (as defined in the Plan); and

WHEREAS, it has been determined under the Plan that it would be in the best interests of the Company to grant the Restricted Share Units ("<u>RSUs</u>") provided herein to the Participant for serving as a non-employee director on the Company's Board of Directors.

NOW, THEREFORE, in consideration of the mutual covenants and promises hereinafter set forth and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, the parties hereto hereby mutually covenant and agree as follows:

- 1. <u>Incorporation By Reference; Plan Document Receipt</u>. This Agreement is subject in all respects to the terms and provisions of the Plan (including, without limitation, any amendments thereto adopted at any time and from time to time unless such amendments are expressly intended not to apply to the Award provided hereunder), all of which terms and provisions are made a part of and incorporated into this Agreement as if they were each expressly set forth herein. Except as provided otherwise herein, any capitalized term not defined in this Agreement shall have the same meaning as is ascribed thereto in the Plan. The Participant hereby acknowledges receipt of a true copy of the Plan and that the Participant has read the Plan carefully and fully understands its content. In the event of any conflict between the terms of this Agreement and the terms of the Plan, the terms of the Plan shall control.
- 2. <u>Grant of Restricted Share Unit Award</u>. The Company hereby grants the number of RSUs specified above to the Participant, as of the Grant Date stated above. Except as otherwise provided by the Plan, the Participant agrees and understands that nothing contained in this Agreement provides, or is intended to provide, the Participant with any protection against potential future dilution of the Participant's interest in the Company for any reason, and no adjustments shall be made for dividends in cash or other property, distributions or other rights in

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respect of the Shares underlying the RSUs, except as otherwise specifically provided for in the Plan or this Agreement.

3. **Vesting**.

(a) Subject to the provisions of <u>Sections 3(b)</u> - <u>3(e)</u> hereof, the RSUs subject to this Award shall become vested as follows, subject to the Participant's continued service with the Company or any of its Subsidiaries on the vesting date:

Vesting DateFirst Anniversary of the Grant Date

Percentage of RSUs 100%

- (b) <u>Termination by the Company; Due to Death or Disability</u>. Subject to <u>Section 4(c)</u>, in the event the Participant's Service is terminated by the Company other than for cause or due to the Participant's death or Disability all unvested RSUs will accelerate and vest.
 - (c) <u>Change in Control</u>. All unvested RSUs shall become fully vested upon a Change in Control.
- (d) <u>Committee Discretion to Accelerate Vesting</u>. In addition to the foregoing, the Committee may, in its sole discretion, accelerate vesting of the RSUs at any time and for any reason.
- (e) <u>Forfeiture</u>. Subject to the terms of this <u>Section 3</u>, all unvested RSUs (taking into account any vesting that may occur upon the Participant's Termination in accordance with <u>Section 3(b)</u> hereof) shall be immediately forfeited upon the Participant's Termination for any reason.

4. <u>Delivery of Shares</u>.

- (a) <u>General</u>. Subject to the provision of <u>Section 4(b)</u> hereof, within ten (10) days following the applicable Vesting Date of the RSUs the Participant shall receive the number of Shares that correspond to the number of RSUs that have become vested on the applicable Vesting Date.
- (b) Section 409A. If the RSUs are considered an item of deferred compensation subject to Section 409A of the Code and the Shares are distributable at a time or times by reference to the Participant's separation from service (within the meaning of Section 409A(a)(2)(A)(i) of the Code) and the Participant on the date of the Participant's separation from service is both subject to U.S. federal income taxation and a "specified employee" (within the meaning of Section 409A(a)(2)(B)(i) of the Code), any Shares that would otherwise be issuable during the 6-month period commencing on the Participant's separation from service will be issued on the first day which immediately follows the last day of the 6-month period that commences on the Participant's separation from service (or, if the Participant dies during such period, within 30 days after the Participant's death). Such Shares shall be validly issued, fully paid and non-assessable.
- (c) Release. The receipt of Shares subject to the RSUs that are eligible to vest pursuant to $\underline{Section\ 3(b)}$ or $\underline{(c)}$ shall be subject to the execution and nonrevocation of a general release of claims in favor of the Company, in a form reasonably satisfactory to the Company.

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- 5. **Dividends; Rights as Shareholder**. Cash dividends on the number of Shares issuable hereunder shall be credited to a dividend book entry account on behalf of the Participant with respect to each RSU granted to the Participant; provided that such cash dividends shall not be deemed to be reinvested in Shares and shall be held uninvested and without interest and paid in cash at the same time that the Shares underlying the RSUs are delivered to the Participant in accordance with the provisions hereof. Stock dividends on Shares shall be credited to a dividend book entry account on behalf of the Participant with respect to each RSU granted to the Participant; provided that such stock dividends shall be paid in Shares at the same time that the Shares underlying the RSUs are delivered to the Participant in accordance with the provisions hereof. Except as otherwise provided herein, the Participant shall have no rights as a shareholder with respect to any Shares covered by any RSU unless and until the Participant has become the holder of record of such Shares.
- 6. <u>Non-Transferability</u>. The RSUs, and any rights and interests with respect thereto, issued under this Agreement and the Plan shall not be sold, exchanged, transferred, assigned, pledged, encumbered or otherwise disposed of or hypothecated in any way by the Participant (or any beneficiary of the Participant who holds the RSUs as a result of a Transfer by will or by the laws of descent and distribution), other than in accordance with the provisions of Section 10(c) of the Plan.

7. <u>Governing Law; Jurisdiction and Venue</u>.

All questions arising with respect to the provisions of this Agreement shall be determined by application of (a) the laws of Texas, without giving any effect to any conflict of law provisions thereof, except to the extent Texas state law is preempted by federal law. The obligation of the Company to sell and deliver Shares hereunder is subject to applicable laws and to the approval of any governmental authority required in connection with the authorization, issuance, sale, or delivery of such Shares. The Participant and the Company (each, a "<u>Party</u>") irrevocably and unconditionally agree that any past, present, or future dispute, controversy, or claim arising under or relating to this Agreement; any other agreement between the Participant and the Company or any of its Subsidiaries (collectively with the Company, the "Company Parties"); any federal, state, local, or foreign statute, regulation, law, ordinance, or the common law (including but not limited to any law prohibiting discrimination); or in connection with the Participant's provision of services or termination thereof; involving the Participant, on the one hand, and any of the Company Parties, on the other hand, including both claims brought by the Participant and claims brought against the Participant, shall be submitted to binding arbitration before the American Arbitration Association ("AAA") for resolution; provided that nothing herein shall require arbitration of a claim or charge that, by law, cannot be the subject of a compulsory arbitration agreement. The Parties further agree to arbitrate solely on an individual basis, that this Agreement does not permit class arbitration or any claims brought as a plaintiff or class member in any class or representative arbitration proceeding, that the arbitrator may not consolidate more than one person's claims and may not otherwise preside over any form of a representative or class proceeding, and that claims pertaining to different employees shall be heard in separate proceedings. Within 10 business days of the initiation of an arbitration hereunder, the Parties shall each separately designate an arbitrator, who shall be a former partner at an "AmLaw 200" law firm based in Houston, Texas, and within 20 business days of selection, the appointed arbitrators shall appoint a neutral arbitrator from the AAA Panel of Commercial Arbitrators. Such arbitration shall be conducted in Houston, Texas, and the arbitrators shall apply Texas law, including federal statutory law as applied in Texas courts. The arbitrators, and not any federal, state, or local court or adjudicatory authority, shall have exclusive authority to resolve any dispute relating to the interpretation, applicability, enforceability, and/or formation of this Agreement, including but not limited to any dispute as to whether (i) a particular claim is subject to arbitration hereunder, and/or (ii) any part of this <u>Section 7</u> is void or voidable. The arbitrators shall issue their written decision (including a statement of finding of facts and the

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reasons for the award) within 30 days from the date of the close of the arbitration hearing. Except as otherwise provided herein, the Parties shall treat any arbitration as strictly confidential, and shall not disclose the existence or nature of any claim or defense; any documents, correspondence, pleadings, briefing, exhibits, or information exchanged or presented in connection with any claim or defense, unless required by applicable law (including public disclosures under applicable securities laws); or any rulings, decisions, or results of any claim, defense, or argument (collectively, "Arbitration Materials") to any third party, with the exception of the Parties' legal counsel and/or tax advisors or such other similar consultants (who the applicable Party shall ensure complies with these confidentiality terms). Except as provided in Section 7(c) below, the arbitrators shall not have authority to award attorneys' fees or costs, punitive damages, compensatory damages, damages for emotional distress, penalties, or any other damages not measured by the prevailing party's actual losses, except to the extent such relief is explicitly available under a statute, ordinance, or regulation pursuant to which a claim is brought. In agreeing to arbitrate their claims hereunder, the Parties hereby recognize and agree that they are waiving their right to a trial in court and/or by a jury.

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- (a) The Participant has been advised that the Participant may be an "affiliate" within the meaning of Rule 144 under the Securities Act of 1933 (as amended, the "Securities Act") and in this connection the Company is relying in part on the Participant's representations set forth in this Section 9.
- (b) If the Participant is deemed to be an affiliate within the meaning of Rule 144 of the Securities Act, the Shares issuable hereunder must be held indefinitely unless an exemption from any applicable resale restrictions is available or the Company files an additional

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registration statement (or a "re-offer prospectus") with regard to such Shares and the Company is under no obligation to register such Shares (or to file a "re-offer prospectus").

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- 15. <u>Transfer of Personal Data</u>. The Participant authorizes, agrees and unambiguously consents to the transmission by the Company (or any Subsidiary) of any personal data information related to the RSUs awarded under this Agreement for legitimate business purposes (including, without limitation, the administration of the Plan). This authorization and consent is freely given by the Participant.
- Compliance with Laws. Notwithstanding any provision of this Agreement to the contrary, the issuance of the RSUs (and the Shares upon settlement of the RSUs) pursuant to this Agreement will be subject to compliance with all applicable requirements of federal, state, or foreign law with respect to such securities and with the requirements of any stock exchange or market system upon which the Shares may then be listed. No Shares will be issued hereunder if such issuance would constitute a violation of any applicable federal, state, or foreign securities laws or other law or regulations or the requirements of any stock exchange or market system upon which the Shares may then be listed. In addition, Shares will not be issued hereunder unless (a) a registration statement under the Securities Act, is at the time of issuance in effect with respect to the Shares issued or (b) in the opinion of legal counsel to the Company, the shares issued may be issued in accordance with the terms of an applicable exemption from the registration requirements of the Securities Act. The inability of the Company to obtain from any regulatory body having jurisdiction the authority, if any, deemed by the Company's legal counsel to be necessary to the lawful issuance and sale of any Shares subject to the Award will relieve the Company of any liability in respect of the failure to issue such Shares as to which such requisite authority has not been obtained. As a condition to any issuance hereunder, the Company may require the Participant to satisfy any qualifications that may be necessary or appropriate to evidence compliance with any applicable law or regulation and to make any representation or warranty with respect to such compliance as may be requested by the Company. From time to time, the Board and appropriate officers of the Company are authorized to take the actions necessary and appropriate to file required documents with governmental authorities, stock exchanges, and other appropriate Persons to make Shares available for issuance.
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- 28. <u>Severability</u>. If any provision of this Agreement is held to be illegal or invalid for any reason, the illegality or invalidity shall not affect the remaining provisions hereof, but such provision shall be fully severable and this Agreement shall be construed and enforced as if the illegal or invalid provision had never been included herein.
- 29. <u>Confidentiality</u>. The Participant agrees to keep strictly confidential and not to disclose to any Person the fact that the Participant has been granted the RSUs or any terms of this Agreement; provided, however, that the Participant may disclose the fact that the Participant has been granted the RSUs and the terms of this Agreement to the Participant's attorney, accountant, spouse or those employees of the Company or its Affiliates who are or will be involved in administering and implementing this Agreement. The Participant specifically acknowledges and agrees to the provisions of Section 10(h) of the Plan (regarding confidentiality and other restrictive covenants).
- 30. Acknowledgement & Acceptance within 30 Days. This grant is subject to acceptance, within 30 days of the Grant Date, by electronic acceptance through the website of [], the Company's share plan administrator, or by signed documents delivered to the Company. Failure to accept the RSUs within 30 days of the Grant Date may result in cancellation of the RSUs.

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By signing below, the Participant hereby acknowledges receipt of the RSUs issued on the Grant Date indicated above, which have been issued under the terms and conditions of the Plan and this Agreement.