§ 250.412 What requirements must the location plat meet?

The location plat must:
(a) Have a scale of 1:24,000 (1 inch = 2,000 feet);
(b) Show the surface and subsurface locations of the proposed well and all the wells in the vicinity;
(c) Show the surface and subsurface locations of the proposed well in feet or meters from the block line;
(d) Contain the longitude and latitude coordinates, and either Universal Transverse Mercator grid-system coordinates or state plane coordinates in the Lambert or Transverse Mercator system;
(e) Contain a template for the location plat that includes the information required by §250.414.

§ 250.413 May I use alternative procedures or equipment during drilling operations?

You may use alternative procedures or equipment during drilling operations after receiving approval from the District Manager. You must identify and discuss your proposed alternative procedures or equipment in your Application for Permit to Drill (APD) (see §250.414(h)).

§ 250.414 How do I obtain approval to drill a well?

You must obtain written approval from the District Manager before you begin drilling any well or before you sidetrack, bypass, or deepen a well. To obtain approval, you must:
(a) Submit the information required by §§250.411 through 250.418;
(b) Include the well in your approved Exploration Plan (EP), Development and Production Plan (DPP), or Development Operations Coordination Document (DOCD);
(c) Meet the oil spill financial responsibility requirements for offshore facilities as required by 30 CFR part 3004; and
(d) Submit the following to the District Manager:
(1) An original and two complete copies of Form BSEE–0123, Application for Permit to Drill (APD), and Form BSEE–0123S, Supplemental APD Information Sheet;
(2) A separate public information copy of forms BSEE–0123 and BSEE–0123S that meets the requirements of §250.186; and
(3) Payment of the service fee listed in §250.125.

§ 250.415 What information must I submit with my application?

In addition to forms BSEE–0123 and BSEE–0123S, you must include the information described in the following table.

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§ 250.417 May I use alternative procedures or equipment during drilling operations?

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§ 250.418 May I obtain departures from these drilling requirements?

The District Manager may approve departures from the drilling requirements specified in this subpart. You may apply for a departure from drilling requirements by writing to the District Manager. You should identify and discuss the departure you are requesting in your APD (see §250.414(h)).

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§ 250.419 How do I obtain approval to drill a well?

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