

Activity/Operator	Location	Date
Texaco Exploration and Production, Inc., Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 96-153.	High Island Area, Block 138, Lease OCS-G 2680, 22 miles south of Jefferson County, Texas.	9/06/96
Devon Energy Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 96-154.	Eugene Island Area, Block 164, lease OCS-G 4864, 39 miles south of St. Mary Parish, Louisiana.	8/15/96
Texaco Exploration and Production Inc., Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 96-155.	South Marsh Island Area, Block 212, Lease OCS 0310, 5 miles southwest of Iberia Parish, Louisiana.	8/12/96
Samedan Oil Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA Nos. ES/SR 96-156 and 96-157.	West Delta Area, Block 33, Lease OCS-G 5670, 10 miles south of Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana.	9/06/96
Amerada Hess Corporation, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 96-158.	Main Pass Area, Block 107, Lease OCS-G 12087, 42 miles northeast of Venice, Louisiana.	9/18/96
Chevron U.S.A., Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 96-159.	South Timbalier Area, Block 24, Lease OCS 0387, 6 miles southeast of Lafourche Parish, Louisiana.	8/27/96
W&T Offshore, Inc., Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 96-163.	Brazos Area, Block 507, Lease OCS-G 13301, 55 miles east of Port O'Connor, Texas.	9/27/96
Oryx Energy Company, Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 96-164.	High Island Area, Block 129, Lease OCS-G 1848, 28 miles south of Jefferson County, Texas.	9/09/96
Burlington Resources Offshore Inc., Structure Removal Operations, SEA No. ES/SR 96-165.	Vermilion Area, Block 172, Lease OCS-G 13884, 46 miles south of Vermilion Parish, Louisiana.	9/23/96

Persons interested in reviewing environmental documents for the proposals listed above or obtaining information about EA's and FONSI's prepared for activities on the Gulf of Mexico OCS are encouraged to contact the MMS office in the Gulf of Mexico OCS Region.

**FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:**

Public Information Unit, Information Services Section, Gulf of Mexico OCS Region, Minerals Management Service, 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard, New Orleans, Louisiana 70123-2394, Telephone (504) 736-2519.

**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** The MMS prepares EA's and FONSI's for proposals which relate to exploration for and the development/production of oil and gas resources on the Gulf of Mexico OCS. The EA's examine the potential environmental effects of activities described in the proposals and present MMS conclusions regarding the significance of those effects. Environmental Assessments are used as a basis for determining whether or not approval of the proposals constitutes major Federal actions that significantly affect the quality of the human environment in the sense of NEPA Section 102(2)(C). A FONSI is prepared in those instances where the MMS finds that approval will not result in significant effects on the quality of the human environment. The FONSI briefly presents the basis for that finding and includes a summary or copy of the EA. This notice constitutes the public notice of availability of environmental documents required under the NEPA Regulations.

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**National Park Service**

**Fiscal Year 1997 Historic Preservation Fund Grants to Indian Tribes, Alaska Natives, and Native Hawaiians**

**AGENCY:** National Park Service, Interior.

**ACTION:** Notice of availability of grant funds.

The Tribal Preservation Program of the National Park Service invites applications for Fiscal Year 1997 Historic Preservation Fund Grants to Indian Tribes, Alaska Natives, and Native Hawaiians. Federally recognized Indian tribes are encouraged to submit proposals to protect historic properties and cultural traditions under the authority of the National Historic Preservation Act, as amended. For more information and/or a copy of the Application and Guidelines, contact Ronnie Emery, Tribal Preservation Program, Heritage Preservation Services, National Park Service, P.O. Box 37127, Washington, DC 20013-7127; (202) 343-4280 voice; (202) 343-6004 fax; or visit the Tribal Preservation Program's World Wide Web Page at <http://www.cr.nps.gov/ppb/tribal/index.htm>.

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**Bureau of Reclamation**

**Information Collection Submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for Review Under the Paperwork Reduction Act**

**AGENCY:** Bureau of Reclamation, Interior.

**ACTION:** Information collection submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for review Under the Paperwork Reduction Act.

**SUMMARY:** The proposal for the revised collection of information listed below has been submitted to the Office of Management and Budget for review under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (44 U.S.C. Chapter 35). Copies of this information collection and the supporting documentation may be obtained by contacting Reclamation's Clearance Officer at the telephone number listed below. Comments on this information collection should be made within 30 days directly to the Office of Information and Regulatory Affairs, Office of Management and Budget, Attention: Desk Officer for the Bureau of Reclamation, Paperwork Reduction Project (1006-0014), Washington, DC 20503, Telephone (202) 395-7340.

*Title:* Lower Colorado River Well Inventory.

*Abstract:* The Bureau of Reclamation desires to inventory wells along the lower Colorado River to ensure that all Colorado River water use conforms to applicable laws and regulations and is accurately accounted for. This will affect every well owner and operator along the lower Colorado River in Arizona, California, and Nevada.

*OMB Approval Number:* 1006-0014. Reclamation will display a valid OMB control number on the form. Persons who are required to respond to the