

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management**

[CO-934-5700; COC58684]

Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Leases

Pursuant to the provisions of 30 U.S.C. 188 (d) and (e), and 43 CFR 3108.2-3 (a) and (b)(1), a petition for reinstatement of oil and gas lease, COC58684, for lands in Rio Blanco and Garfield counties, Colorado, were timely filed and were accompanied by all the required rentals accruing from the date of termination. The lessee has agreed to the amended lease terms for rentals and royalties at rates of \$10.00 per acre, or fraction thereof, per year and 16 $\frac{2}{3}$ percent, respectively. The lessee has paid the required \$500 administrative fee and \$158 to reimburse the Department for the cost of this **Federal Register** notice. The lessee has met all the requirements for reinstatement of the lease as set out in Section 31 (d) and (e) of the Mineral Lands Leasing Act of 1920 (30 U.S.C. 188), and Bureau of Land Management is proposing to reinstate lease COC58684 effective September 1, 1999, subject to the original terms and conditions of the lease and the increased rental and royalty rates cited above.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Bureau of Land Management****Notice of Proposed Reinstatement of Terminated Oil and Gas Lease****AGENCY:** Bureau of Land Management, Interior.**ACTION:** Notice.

SUMMARY: Per Pub. L. 97-451, the lessee timely filed a petition for reinstatement of oil and gas lease MSES 49470, Monroe County, Mississippi. The lessee paid the required rentals accruing from the date of termination.

The Bureau of Land Management has not issued any leases affecting the lands. The lessee paid the \$500 administration fee for the reinstatement of the lease. The lessee has met the requirements for reinstatement of the lease per sec. 31 (d) and (e) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920 (30 U.S.C. 188). We are proposing to reinstate the lease, effective the date of termination subject to:

- The original terms and conditions of the lease;
- The increased rental of \$10 per acre;
- The increased royalty of 16 $\frac{2}{3}$ percent; and
- The \$158 cost of publishing this Notice.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ida V. Doup, Chief, Branch of Use Authorization, Division of Resources, Planning, Use and Protection, BLM Eastern States Office, 7450 Boston Boulevard, Springfield, Virginia 22153, (703) 440-1541.

Dated: September 7, 2001.

Ida V. Doup,*Chief, Branch Use of Authorization, Division of Resources Planning, Use and Protection.*

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR**Minerals Management Service****Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Policy Committee of the Minerals Management Advisory Board; Notice and Agenda for Meeting****AGENCY:** Minerals Management Service, Interior.**ACTION:** Notice of Meeting.

SUMMARY: The OCS Policy Committee of the Minerals Management Advisory Board will meet at the Wyndham San Diego at Emerald Plaza in San Diego, California.

DATES: Wednesday, October 31, 2001, from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. and Thursday, November 1, 2001, from 8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

ADDRESSES: The Wyndham San Diego at Emerald Plaza, 400 West Broadway, San Diego, California 92101-3504, telephone (619) 239-4500.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Ms. Jeryne Bryant at Minerals Management Service, 381 Elden Street, Mail Stop 4001, Herndon, Virginia 20170-4187. She can be reached by telephone at (703) 787-1211 or by electronic mail at jeryne.bryant@mms.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The OCS Policy Committee represents the collective viewpoint of coastal States, environmental interests, industry and other parties involved with the OCS Program. It provides policy advice to the Secretary of the Interior through the Director of the MMS on all aspects of leasing, exploration, development, and protection of OCS resources.

The Agenda for October 31st Will Cover the Following Principal Subjects

Status Report. This presentation will provide an update on the status of the resolutions passed at the May 2001 meeting and the draft proposed 5-Year Oil and Gas Leasing Program for 2002-2007.

Oil and Gas Supply/Demand Update. This presentation will provide an update on the oil and gas supply/demand situation since May.

National Energy Policy. This presentation will address issues that are emerging as the Administration implements the national energy policy, OCS related legislation, and new issues throughout the country.

Hard Minerals Update. This presentation will provide an update on subcommittee activities and other pertinent hard minerals information.

Reemergence of Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG). This presentation will address alternative ways of getting natural gas to the consumer, Calypso gas pipeline, reactivation of LNG facilities, etc.

Access for Offshore Energy Development. This presentation will address the Great Lakes drilling proposal to lift moratorium, eastern/western Canadian offshore studies on lifting the moratorium, and the States' perspective on why moratoria is in place.

Alternative Energy—Related Uses of the OCS. This presentation will address alternative energy related uses of the OCS such as floating LNG facilities, proposed offshore LNG terminals, offshore wind farms, etc.

The Agenda for November 1st Will Cover the Following Principal Subjects

Congressional/Legislative Update. This presentation will provide an update on current congressional issues related to the OCS.

MMS Regional Updates. The Regional Directors will highlight activities off the California and Alaska coasts and the Gulf of Mexico.

OCS Scientific Committee Update. This presentation will provide an update on the activities of the Scientific Committee. It will also highlight the activities that are related to energy issues/concerns, ocean issues, hard minerals activities, and any other topics that are relevant to both Committees.

New Technology. This presentation will address the positive technological steps that have been taken to reduce the environmental footprint of oil and gas development.

Ocean and Coastal Policy Initiatives. This presentation will address ocean and coastal policy, directives, and