

(FONSI) of the Proposed Plan Amendment to the Cedar/Beaver/Garfield/Antimony Resource Management Plan and the Escalante & Paria Management Framework Plans. The Proposed Amendment allows land tenure adjustments and adds five (5) criteria elements by which land disposals and exchanges (adjustments) will be evaluated.

DATES: The protest period for this Proposed Plan Amendment will commence with the date of publication of this notice and last for 30 days. Protests must be received on or before June 28, 1996.

ADDRESSES: Protests must be addressed to the Director (480), Bureau of Land Management, Resource Planning Team, 1849 C Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20240 within 30 days after the date of publication of this Notice of Availability.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Gregg Christensen, Acting Area Manager, Escalante Resource Area, P. O. Box 225, Escalante, Utah 84726, (801) 826-4291. Copies of the proposed Plan Amendment are available for review at the Escalante Resource Area.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: This action is announced pursuant to Section 202(a) of the Federal Land Management Act (1976) and 43 CFR Part 1610. This Proposed Amendment is subject to protests by any party who has participated in the planning process. Protest must be specific and contain the following information:

—The name, mailing address, phone number, and interest of the person filing the protest.

—A statement of the part(s) of the proposed amendment being protested and citing pages, paragraphs, maps, etc., of the proposed Plan Amendment.

—A copy of all documents addressing the issue(s) submitted by the protestor during the planning process or a reference to the date when the protestor discussed the issue(s) for the record.

—A concise statement as to why the protestor believes the BLM State Director is incorrect.

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Associate State Director.

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Minerals Management Service

Outer Continental Shelf; Operations, Current List of Notice to Lessees and Operators (NTL) Issued by Each OCS Region and the National Office

AGENCY: Minerals Management Service (MMS), Interior.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The MMS issues NTL's to lessees and operators and guidelines for oil, gas, and sulphur operations in the OCS. This notice informs the public, industry, and other Government agencies of NTL's that are in effect as of April 3, 1996, in each OCS Region and the National Office. This notice is also on MMS's worldwide website at [HTTP://WWW.MMS.GOV](http://WWW.MMS.GOV).

ADDRESSES: To obtain copies of NTL's, write or telephone the OCS Region or

the National Office that issued the NTL at the following addresses:

Alaska OCS Region, Minerals Management Service, 949 East 36th Avenue, Room 110, Anchorage, AK 99508-4302, (907) 271-6065, Attention: Regional Supervisor, Field Operations

Gulf of Mexico OCS Region, Minerals Management Service, 1201 Elmwood Park Blvd., New Orleans, LA 70123-2394, (504) 736-2519

Pacific OCS Region, Minerals Management Service, 770 Paseo Camarillo, Camarillo, CA 93010-6064, (805) 389-7550, Attention: Ms. Freddie Mason

Engineering and Standards Branch, Minerals Management Service, 381 Elden Street, Herndon, VA 22070-4817, (703) 787-1600, Attention: Mr. Vincent Brown

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT:

Minerals Management Service, Vincent Brown, Engineering and Standards Branch, 381 Elden St., Herndon, VA 22070-4817 Telephone: (703) 787-1600.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: The MMS has responsibility for oil, gas, and sulphur operations in the OCS to ensure operational and environmental safety. NTL's give lessees and operators guidance concerning policies and procedures. If an NTL issued before April 3, 1996, is not listed, it is cancelled and no longer in effect. The current NTL's for each OCS Region and the National Office are as follows:

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***The Following Notices to Lessees and Operators Were Released
by the Regional Offices***

Alaska OCS Region

1980

80-2	June 13	Guidelines For Preparing Outer Continental Shelf Environmental Reports
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1984

84-04	August 1	Preliminary Activities Conducted on Leased Areas-Gulf of Alaska/Cook Inlet
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1985

85-02	August 9	Preliminary Activities Conducted on Leased Areas--Bering Sea
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1986

86-02	January 15	Preliminary and Other Activities Conducted on Leased Areas--Beaufort Sea
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1987

87-01	November 30	Preliminary and Other Activities Conducted on Leased Areas--Chukchi Sea
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1989

89-01	December 1	Minimizing Potential for Incidental Taking of Polar Bear and Walrus During Preliminary and Other Activities Conducted on Leased Areas in the Beaufort and Chukchi Seas
89-02	December 1	Shallow Hazards Geophysical Surveys and Geotechnical Evaluations

1990

90-01	April 2	Submission of Digitized Well Log Data on Magnetic Tape
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1991

91-01	October 25	Updated Form for Designation of Operator
91-03	November 21	Furnishing Food, Quarters, and Transportation to Minerals Management Service (MMS) Personnel
91-04	November 21	District Office Hours and Contact Procedures

Gulf of Mexico OCS Region

1972

72-9	September 22	OCS Operations Safety Alert Notice No. 1, Flash Fire from Liquid Phase Heat Transfer Unit
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1973

73-3	February 16	The Use of Polychlorinated Biphenyls (PCB's)
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1983

83-3	September 7	OCS Shallow Hazards Requirements for the Gulf of Mexico OCS Region (Cancels NTL's Nos. 75-8 and 80-5)
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1985		
85-2	February 4	Effect of Drilling "Window" Approvals
85-8	November 26	Minimizing Oil and Gas Structures in the Gulf of Mexico
1986		
86-5	June 18	New Forms for Designation of Operator
86-9	October 13	Outer Continental Shelf Environmental Report/Information Guidelines for Plans Submitted in the Gulf of Mexico OCS Region (Supersedes NTL 80-6)
86-11	November 17	Guidelines for Reducing or Eliminating Trash and Debris in the Gulf of Mexico.
1988		
88-2	June 10	Submission of List of Safety and Pollution Prevention Equipment
88-3	June 29	Information to be Made Available on the Reports Required in Subpart of 30 CFR part 250
88-7	September 15	Reorganization of Office of Field Operations and Realignment of New District Boundaries
88-11	February 1	Implementation of Measures to Detect and Protect Deepwater Chemosynthetic Communities
1989		
89-1	August 1	Implementation of Consistent Biological Stipulation Measures in Central and Western Gulf of Mexico
89-2	March 30	Special Security Handling of Well Logs and Data Generated from Oil and Gas Leases
89-05	September 29	Timelapse in Exploratory Drilling Operations Not to Exceed 180 Days for Deepwater (400 meters of deeper) Leases
89-06	November 30	Requirements for Submittal of Documents Under 30 CFR part 250, subpart I, Platforms and Structures
89-07	December 15	Supplemental Bonds
	June 27	Memorandum on Removal of All Abandoned Casing Stubs
1990		
90-09	November 8	Temporary Abandonment of Wells and Maintenance, Protection and Removal of Underwater Casing Stubs
1991		
91-01	April 15	Submittal of Electric, Radioactive, and Other Well Bore Surveys
91-02	December 20	OCS Archaeological Resource Requirements for the Gulf of Mexico OCS Region
91-04	July 30	Rate Control Section Address, Office Hours, and Phone Call Procedures
91-06	September 11	Notice to Designated Operators of Liquid Royalty Measurement Facilities

1992		
92-02	May 28	Minimum Interim Requirements for Site Clearance (and Verification) of Abandoned Oil and Gas Structures in the Gulf of Mexico
92-04	July 1	Interim Requirements for Oil Spill Contingency Plans and Oil Spill Response Training Drills
1993		
93-04	September 30	Outer Continental Shelf Functional Responsibility of New Regulations
93-05	October 14	Procedures and Policies Concerning Transition Period for Use of the New Semiannual Well Test Report Form
1994		
94-02	February 2	Air Emissions Reporting Requirements
94-03	March 1	Interim Requirement for Design, Fabrication, Etc.
94-04	May 6	Best Available Control Technology
94-06	August 24	New Orleans District Office Hours and Phone Call Procedures
94-07	December 9	Lafayette District Office Hours and Phone Call Procedures
1995		
95-01	April 25	Interim Reporting Requirements for 30 CFR 250, Subpart K (PD)
95-02	June 12	Rate Control Section Address, Office Hours, and Phone Call Procedures
95-05	September 1	Pipeline Unit Office Hours and Notification Procedures
95-06	September 1	Lafayette District Address, Office Hours and Phone Call Procedures
95-07	November 27	New Orleans District Office Hours and Phone Call Procedures
1996		
96-01	January 1	Houma District Office Hours and Phone Call Procedures
96-02	February 1	Lake Jackson District Address, Office Hours and Phone Call Procedures
Pacific OCS Region		
1977		
77-03	March 1	Minimum Cultural Survey Requirements, OCS Exploratory Drilling
1978		
78-01	October 23	Minimum Requirements for Biological Surveys
1980		
80-02	March 20	Minimum Requirements for Environmental Reports
1988		
88-05	May 5	Requirements for Exploratory Operations
88-06	May 5	Guidelines for Shallow Hazards Survey for OCS Exploratory Operations

88-07	May 5	Guidelines for Shallow Hazards Survey for OCS Development Platforms
88-08	May 5	Guidelines for Shallow Hazards Survey for OCS Pipeline Routes
88-09	May 5	Submission of Digitized Well Log Data on Magnetic Tape
1991		
91-01	November 8	Notice to Designated Operators of Liquid Royalty Measurement Facilities
1992		
92-01	March 24	Warning Signs: Pipeline and Power Cables
1993		
93-01	September 30	Helideck Closures
1995		
95-01	June 8	Camarillo District Office Hours and Phone Call Procedures
95-02	June 8	Santa Maria District Office Hours and Phone Call Procedures
<i>The Following Notices to Lessees and Operators Were Released by the National Office</i>		
1992		
92-IN	September 11	Guidelines for an Application for Suspension of Production Due to Uneconomical Market Conditions
1993		
93-IN	April 16	Guidelines for an Application for Certificate of Oil Spill Financial Responsibility for Offshore Facilities
93-2N	October 6	Liability for Plugging Wells and Removal of Property
1994		
94-1N	December 1	Decentralization of the Lessee Training Program (Subpart O)
1995		
95-IN	August 1	Suspension of Requirements for Updating Safety and Pollution Prevention Equipment Inventory Lists
1996		
96-1N	January 1	Determination of Pollution Inspection Frequencies for Unmanned Facilities

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