

# RECEIVED ADJUDICATION SECTION JUN 17 2025

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# By email (boemadjudication@boem.gov)

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management Attention: Adjudication Section Gulf of Mexico OCS Region 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard Mail Stop 276A New Orleans, LA 70123

> Re: Adjudication filings — OCS-G 35724, Walker Ridge Block 107, OCS-G 35894, Walker Ridge Block 106, OCS-G 35895, Walker Ridge Block 150, OCS-G 36926, Walker Ridge Block 151

#### Ladies and Gentlemen:

Please find attached the following instrument for filing in your records:

Ratification and Amendment of Memorandum of Operating Agreement and Financing Statement effective June 11, 2025, executed by Talos Petroleum, LLC (GOM No. 1834) ("Operator"), and the following "Non-Operators": Shell Offshore Inc., (GOM No. 0689), Red Willow Offshore, LLC (GOM No. 2668), Talos Resources LLC (GOM No. 3065), CSL Exploration, LP (GOM No. 3194), Houston Energy, L.P. (GOM No. 1999), HE&D Offshore, L.P. (GOM No. 1699) and HEQ II Daenerys LLC (GOM No. 3757)

This document should be categorized under "No. 7, Contracts, Agreements and Conveyances".

Please file this letter, together with the attached instrument, in the non-required filings maintained for each of OCS-G 35724, OCS-G 35894, OCS-G 35895 and OCS-G 36926. Also submitted is a pay.gov receipt for \$152 ( $$38 \times 4$ ) to cover the fees for filing this instrument.

Should you have any questions or need any additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me at mbernard@gamb.com.

Sincerely,

Merry G. Bernard

Paralegal

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# RATIFICATION AND AMENDMENT OF MEMORANDUM OF OPERATING AGREEMENT AND FINANCING STATEMENT

#### OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF GULF OF MEXICO

THIS RATIFICATION AND AMENDMENT OF MEMORANDUM OF OPERATING AGREEMENT AND FINANCING STATEMENT (this "Ratification Agreement") is entered into effective June 11, 2025, by and among Shell Offshore Inc. ("SOI"), Red Willow Offshore, LLC ("Red Willow"), Talos Resources LLC ("Talos"), Talos Petroleum, LLC ("Talos Petroleum"), CSL Exploration, LP ("CSL"), Houston Energy, L.P. ("HE"), HE&D Offshore, L.P ("HE&D") and HEQ II Daenerys LLC ("HEQ"). SOI, Red Willow, Talos, Talos Petroleum, CSL, HE, HE&D and HEQ may herein be referred to individually as a "Party," or collectively as the "Parties."

WHEREAS, Talos, as Operator, and Red Willow and HE, as Non-Operators (also referred to therein as Non-Operating Parties) entered into that certain Offshore Operating Agreement, Daenerys Prospect, effective May 20, 2023 (the "Daenerys OA"), and CSL and HEQ executed a Ratification of Operation Agreement (Daenerys Prospect) pursuant to which HEQ and CSL each ratified and adopted the Daenerys OA as additional Non-Operators (also referred to in the Daenerys OA as Non-Operating Parties);

WHEREAS, Talos, as Operator, and Red Willow, HEQ and CSL executed that certain Memorandum of Operating Agreement and Financing Statement effective May 20, 2023 with respect to the Daenerys OA (the "MOA") and filed the MOA in Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana in Mortgage Book 3548, Page 686, File No. 1702032 and in Conveyance Book 2756, Page 386, File No. 1702032; and

WHEREAS, contemporaneously herewith, the Parties are executing and delivering that certain First Amendment, Ratification and Joinder of the Offshore Operating Agreement — Daenerys Prospect dated effective June 11, 2025 to, *inter alia*, recognize SOI, CSL, HEQ and HE&D as additional parties and Non-Operators to the Daenerys OA, designate Talos Petroleum LLC as Operator under the Daenerys OA, amend portions of Article 6.3 of Exhibit "F" to the Daenerys OA and update and replace Exhibit "A" to the Daenerys OA;

NOW THEREFORE, in consideration of the premises and of the mutual covenants and agreements contained herein and therein, and for other good and valuable consideration, the receipt and adequacy of which is hereby acknowledged, and intending to be legally bound, the Parties agree as follows:

- 1. Attachment 1 to the MOA is hereby deleted in its entirety and replaced with Attachment 1 attached hereto.
- 2. The MOA is also amended to provide that the mortgage, lien, pledge and security interest granted by Talos Resources LLC under the MOA are to secure the following:

payment and performance by each of Talos Resources LLC and Talos Petroleum LLC of all its current and future obligations, and payment of all amounts due under

the Operating Agreement, including, but not limited to, payment by each such Party of its share of costs, plus attorney's fees, court costs, related collection costs and accrued interest on unpaid amounts due from time to time under the Operating Agreement, and the timely and proper payment by Operator to independent contractors and other persons entitled thereto performing work for the Joint Account of all sums advanced from time to time by the Non-Operators pursuant to the terms of the Operating Agreement.

Otherwise, the Parties acknowledge the reciprocal mortgages and security interests as set forth in the MOA.

- 3. Except as to the revisions expressly noted above, all other terms of the MOA shall remain unchanged and be valid and subsisting among the Parties, and the Parties do hereby ratify, confirm and adopt all of the same as amended herein as to the MOA.
- 4. This Ratification Agreement may be executed in multiple counterparts, each of which shall be considered to be an original instrument, but all of which together shall constitute one and the same Ratification Agreement.
- 5. This Ratification Agreement shall be construed and enforced in accordance with and governed by the laws of the State of Louisiana, excluding any conflict of law rule or principle of such laws that might refer such interpretation or enforcement to the laws of another jurisdiction.
- 6. Upon execution by all Parties, this Ratification Agreement shall be binding upon and inure to the benefit of the Parties and their respective approved successors and assigns.
- 7. The Parties hereby authorize the Operator (as identified on Attachment 1 hereto) to file this Ratification Agreement to provide record notice of this Ratification Agreement in the appropriate public records.

[Signature Page Follows]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, this Ratification Agreement is executed by the Parties hereto as of the dates set forth in the respective signature blocks below, but effective as of the date first written above.

WITNESSES:	OPERATOR:
Paril Be	Talos Petroleum, LLC
Printed Name: PATRICK BURCH	By: Hameforts
Lauron James	Name: Carl E. Comstock
Printed Name: Lawren Jones	Title: Director Land

#### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

## STATE OF TEXAS

#### **COUNTY OF HARRIS**

On this 10<sup>n</sup> day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025, before me appeared Carl E. Comstock, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is Director Land of Talos Petroleum LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, and that said instrument was executed on behalf of said company, and the said person that appeared acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said company.

Notary Public

Notary Name: Coriva Sindair Notary Identification No. 13 4 60 1000 My Commission Expires 10 -12-27

CORINA SINCLAIR
Notary ID #134601000
My Commission Expires
October 12, 2027

WITNESSES:

Printed Name: PATRICK BURCH

Printed Name: Carl E. Comstock

Title: Director Land

Printed Name: Lauren Jones

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

#### STATE OF TEXAS

#### **COUNTY OF HARRIS**

On this 10 day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2025, before me appeared Carl E. Comstock, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is Director Land of Talos Resources LLC, a Delaware limited liability company, and that said instrument was executed on behalf of said company, and the said person that appeared acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said company.

Notary Public

Notary Name: <u>Urina Sinclair</u>
Notary Identification No. <u>134601000</u>
My Commission Expires <u>10-12-27</u>



WITNESSES: Red Willow Offshore, LLC Printed Name: Name: William G. Bixler Vice President Exploration Title: **ACKNOWLEDGMENT** STATE OF TEXAS **COUNTY OF HARRIS** On this 12 day of 10, 2025, before me appeared William G. Bixler, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is Vice President Exploration for Red Willow Offshore, LLC, a Colorado limited liability company, and that said instrument was executed on behalf of said company, and the said person that appeared acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said company. Notary Name: HSMIEU Notary Identification No. ASHLEY MOSBY My Commission Expires My Notary ID # 124153530 Expires August 25, 2025

WITNESSES:	CSL Exploration, LP, a Texas limited partnership	
Printed Name: Dock Lb wod  Printed Name: Kris Wood	By:	
STATE OF JEXUS  COUNTY OF Dallas		
On this day of June 2025, before me appeared Steven J. Pully, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is the Independent Person of CSL Exploration, LP, a Texas limited partnership, and that said instrument was executed on behalf of said limited partnership by authority of its Independent Person, and the said appearer acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said limited partnership.		
Notary Name: Amoundo Tay Runuh Notary Identification No. 133 718 883 My Commission Expires 04.21.2026	AMANDA TAX TZUNUN 8  Notary Public, State Of Texas Comm. Exp. 04-21-2026 Notary ID# 133718583	

WITNESSES:	Houston Energy, L.P.  By: Sewanee Investments, LLC its General Partner	
Printed Name: Mar Ma Ann Moore  Mathema My	By:	- {}M
Printed Name: Mathum Muyers	Title: <u>Vice President</u>	•
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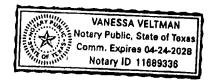
On this <u>lo</u> day of <u>June</u>, 2025, before me appeared Heath Suire, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is Vice President for Sewanee Investments, LLC, a Texas limited liability company and being the General Partner of **Houston Energy**, **L.P.**, a Texas limited partnership, and that said instrument was executed on behalf of said limited partnership, and the said person that appeared acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and

deed of said limited partnership.

**COUNTY OF HARRIS** 

Vausa V. Valla Notary Public

Notary Name: Vantssa V. Veltman
Notary Identification No. 11689336
My Commission Expires 4-24-2028



WITNESSES:	HEQ II Daenerys, LLC
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Printed Name: MaMa Ann Moore	By:
Λ .	Name: <u>Heath Suire</u>
Watter Mega	Title: Vice President
Printed Name: Mathhew Myss	
ACKNOWL STATE OF TEXAS	EDGMENT
COUNTY OF HARRIS	
On this loth day of June, 2025, be known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that a Delaware limited liability company, and that company, and the said person that appeared acknowledged of said company.	said instrument was executed on behalf of sai

Notary Name: Vancessa V. Ve Itman
Notary Identification No. 11689 336
My Commission Expires 4-24-2028

VANESSA VELTMAN

Notary Public, State of Texas

Comm. Expires 04-24-2028

Notary ID 11689336

WITNESSES:

HE&D Offshore, L.P.

By: MKD Investments, LLC,

its General Partner

Printed Name: Mathew Move

Name: Heath Suire

Printed Name: Mathew Mays

Title: Vice President

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENT

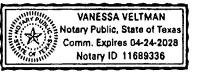
#### STATE OF TEXAS

#### **COUNTY OF HARRIS**

On this Low day of June, 2025, before me appeared Heath Suire, to me personally known who, being by me duly sworn, did say that he is Vice President for MKD Investments, LLC, a Texas limited liability company and being the General Partner of HE&D Offshore, L.P., a Texas limited partnership, and that said instrument was executed on behalf of said limited partnership, and the said person that appeared acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said limited partnership.

Vulla V. Vella Notary Public

Notary Name: Vantssa V.Vl Iman Notary Identification No. 11 689 3369 My Commission Expires 4-24,-2028



Printed Name: Mark Pochlman

Printed Name: Mulummed S Ahmed

Shell Offshore Inc.

Name: Christopher J. Gonsalves

Title: Attorney-in-Fact

## ACKNOWLEDGMENT

#### STATE OF TEXAS

## **COUNTY OF HARRIS**

On this 13 day of June, 2025, before me appeared Christopher J. Gonsalves, to me personally known who, being by me duly swom, did say that he is Attorney-in-Fact of Shell Offshore Inc., a Delaware corporation, and that said instrument was executed on behalf of said corporation, and the said person that appeared acknowledged said instrument to be the free act and deed of said corporation.

Notary Name: Jhn Notary Identification No.

My Commission Expires \_ 10/17/

JOHN MUNROE Notary Public, State of Texas Comm. Expires 10-17-2028 Notary ID 135134441

# **Attachment 1 to Ratification Agreement**

## Attachment 1

to and made a part of that certain Memorandum of Operating Agreement and Financing State dated effective May 20, 2023 by and between Talos Petroleum LLC, as Operator, and Talos Resources LLC, Red Willow Offshore LLC, HEQ II Daenerys, LLC, CSL Exploration, LP, Shell Offshore Inc.,

HE&D Offshore, L.P. and Houston Energy, L.P.

# DESCRIPTION OF LEASES, WORKING INTERESTS OF THE PARTIES, OPERATOR AND REPRESENTATIVES

A. Operator:

Talos Petroleum LLC

B. Contract Area and Leases: OCS-G 35894, covering all of Walker Ridge Block 106

OCS-G 35724, covering all of Walker Ridge Block 107 OCS-G 35895, covering all of Walker Ridge Block 150 OCS-G 36926, covering all of Walker Ridge Block 151

# C. Working Interests of the Parties in the Contract Area are as follows:

The BCP\* Working Interest in the Leases are as follows:

Red Willow Offshore, LLC	25.0000%
Talos Resources, LLC	30.0000%
Shell Offshore Inc.	25.0000%
HEQ II Daenerys, LLC	10.0000%
CSL Exploration, LP	10.0000%
HE&D Offshore, L.P.	0.0000%
Houston Energy, L.P.	0.0000%
TOTAL	100.0000%

## The ACP\* Working Interest in the Leases are as follows:

Red Willow Offshore, LLC	22.5000%
Talos Resources, LLC	27.0000%
Shell Offshore Inc.	22.5000%
HEQ II Daenerys, LLC	9.0000%
CSL Exploration, LP	9.0000%
HE&D Offshore, L.P.	<u>10.0000%</u>
TOTAL	100 0000%

<sup>\*</sup>As it relates to BCP Working Interests and ACP Working Interests, costs incurred before the Carry Point are BCP costs and those incurred after Carry Point are ACP costs and the interests and cost sharing obligations of the Parties are as shown above as the case may be. "Carry Point" means

that point in time when the Initial Test Well has been drilled to its Objective Depth, including Deepening, and all logging, coring and testing has been completed pursuant to the AFE and such information has been provided to the Participating Parties and the Operator of the Initial Test Well has made a recommendation to the Participating Parties under and pursuant to the OOA, as to further activity on the well, and all Exploratory Operations as it relates to the ITW have been concluded, including the permanent plugging and abandonment of the well or the temporary abandonment of the well if it is deemed to be productive and thereafter through release of the rig, as the case may be.

# D. <u>Permitted Encumbrances</u>

- \*18.75% lease royalty
- \*3.00% (of 8/8ths) overriding royalty interest conveyed to HE&D Offshore, L.P. by the agreements listed as 1., 2., 3. and 4. in Section E. below (the "HE&D ORRI").
- \*1.00% (of 8/8ths) overriding royalty interest conveyed to WesternGeco L.L.C. or HEQ Royalties, LLC pursuant to the agreements listed as 5., 6., 7. and 8. in Section E. below (the "WesternGeco ORRI").
- \*Borne by all Parties proportionately to their Working Interests

# E. Agreements/Contracts

- Assignment of Overriding Royalty and Carried Working Interest in Oil and Gas Lease by and between Houston Energy, L.P., et al., as Assignors, and HE&D Offshore, L.P., as Assignee, dated effective August 2, 2016, filed in the BOEM non-required files on December 1, 2016, and recorded in the Conveyance records of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana in Book 2486, beginning at Page 284, under Entry No. 1524249. (Walker Ridge 106)
- Assignment of Overriding Royalty and Carried Working Interest in Oil and Gas Lease by and between Houston Energy, L.P., et al., as Assignors, and HE&D Offshore, L.P., as Assignee, dated effective August 2, 2015, filed in the BOEM non-required files on December 21, 2015, and recorded in the Conveyance records of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana in Book 2447, beginning at Page 636, under Entry No. 1497160. (Walker Ridge 107)
- 3. Assignment of Overriding Royalty and Carried Working Interest in Oil and Gas Lease by and between Houston Energy, L.P., et al., as Assignors, and HE&D Offshore, L.P., as Assignee, dated effective August 2, 2016, filed in the BOEM non-required files on December 1, 2016, and recorded in the Conveyance records of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana in Book 2486, beginning at Page 289, under Entry No. 1524250. (Walker Ridge 150)
- 4. Assignment of Overriding Royalty and Carried Working Interest in Oil and Gas Lease by and between Houston Energy, L.P., et al., as Assignors, and HE&D Offshore, L.P., as Assignee, dated effective August 1, 2020, filed in the BOEM non-required files on

December 20, 2022, and recorded in the Conveyance records of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana in Book 2696, beginning at Page 787, under Entry No. 1665116. (Walker Ridge 151)

- 5. Assignment of Overriding Royalty Interest in Oil and Gas Lease by and between Houston Energy, L.P., et al., as Assignors, and WesternGeco L.L.C., as Assignee, dated effective August 2, 2016, filed in the BOEM non-required files on December 19, 2016, and recorded in the Conveyance records of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana in Book 2486, beginning at Page 294, under Entry No. 1524251. (Walker Ridge 106)
- 6. Assignment of Overriding Royalty Interest in Oil and Gas Lease by and between Houston Energy, L.P., et al., as Assignors, and WesternGeco L.L.C., as Assignee, dated effective August 2, 2015, filed in the BOEM non-required files on January 8, 2016, and recorded in the Conveyance records of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana in Book 2448, beginning at Page 816, under Entry No. 1498243. (Walker Ridge 107)
- 7. Assignment of Overriding Royalty Interest in Oil and Gas Lease by and between Houston Energy, L.P., et al., as Assignors, and WesternGeco L.L.C., as Assignee, dated effective August 2, 2016, filed in the BOEM non-required files on December 19, 2016, and recorded in the Conveyance records of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana in Book 2486, beginning at Page 299, under Entry No. 1524252. (Walker Ridge 150)
- 8. Assignment of Overriding Royalty Interest in Oil and Gas Lease by and between Houston Energy, L.P., et al., as Assignors, and HEQ Royalties, LLC, as Assignee, dated effective December 1, 2022, filed in the BOEM non-required files on May 2, 2023, and recorded in the Conveyance records of Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana in Book 2707, beginning at Page 549, under Entry No.1671786. (Walker Ridge 151)

## F. Notification Addresses and Company Representatives

# **Talos Resources LLC**

333 Clay St., Suite 3300 Houston, Texas 77002

Attention: Carl Comstock Telephone: (713) 380-4947

Email: Carl.Comstock@talosenergy.com

#### Red Willow Offshore, LLC

1415 Louisiana Street, Suite 4000

Houston, Texas 77002 Attention: Dan Greaser Telephone: (281) 822-7542 Email: dgreaser@rwpc.us

#### Talos Petroleum LLC

333 Clay St., Suite 3300 Houston, Texas 77002

Attention: Carl Comstock Telephone: (713) 380-4947

Email: Carl.Comstock@talosenergy.com

#### Houston Energy, L.P.

1200 Smith St., Suite 2400 Houston, Texas 77002 Attention: Heath Suire Telephone: 713-650-8008

Email: hsuire@houstonenergyinc.com

# **HEQ II Daenerys, LLC**

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# **CSL Exploration, LP**

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Houston, Texas 77002 Attention: Marshall White Telephone: 713-400-6670 Email: mwhite@cathexis.com

# Shell Offshore, Inc.

150 N. Dairy Ashford Houston, Texas 77079

Attention: Christopher Gonsalves Telephone: (832) 337-4748 Email: c.j.gonsalves@shell.com

## HE&D Offshore, L.P.

1200 Smith St., Suite 2400 Houston, Texas 77002 Attention: Heath Suire Telephone: 713-650-8008

Email: hsuire@houstonenergyinc.com

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