



# United States Department of the Interior

## BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT

New Orleans Office  
1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard  
New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

In Reply Refer To: MS GM 266A  
OCS-G 29339

April 4, 2023

Talos Energy Ventures, LLC  
333 Clay Street, Suite 3300  
Houston, TX 77002  
Attn: Patricia Rodriguez

Dear Ms. Rodriguez:

Your letter dated March 20, 2023, submitting the Name Change Bond Rider, to be attached to and form a part of Multi-Obligee Performance Bond No. 106438735, in the amount of \$610,814.58, was received by our office on March 21, 2023. This bond, with EnVen Energy Ventures, LLC as principal and Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America as surety, conditioned to cover Right-of-Way OCS-G 29339, was executed on March 6, 2017. The Principal and Surety are held and firmly bound unto the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management and Shell Offshore, Inc. as Co-Obligees.

This Name Change Rider was executed on February 13, 2023, and changes the Principal name from EnVen Energy Ventures, LLC to Talos Energy Ventures, LLC. The rider is effective February 13, 2023, and has been attached to and now forms a part of the original bond.

Should you need further assistance, please contact Kathleen Lee at (504) 736-5774 or [boemgomrfinancialassurance@boem.gov](mailto:boemgomrfinancialassurance@boem.gov).

Sincerely,

**BRIDGETTE**  
**DUPLANTIS**

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Bridgette Duplantis, Section Chief  
Leasing and Financial Responsibility Section  
Leasing and Plans

cc: Patricia Rodriguez, Talos Energy Ventures, LLC: [patricia.rodriguez@talosenergy.com](mailto:patricia.rodriguez@talosenergy.com)  
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**March 21, 2023**

*Leasing & Financial  
Responsibility Section*

March 20, 2023

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management  
Gulf of Mexico OCS Office  
1201 Elmwood Park Blvd., New Orleans, LA 70123-2394  
Leasing & Financial Responsibility Section – Mail Stop GM266A

**Re: Bond Riders – Principal Name Changes**  
**Principal: Talos Energy Ventures, LLC fka Enven Energy Ventures, LLC**  
**Bond No. Listed below**  
**Bond Amount: Listed below**  
**Property Description/Type: Listed Below**

Dear Sir or Madam:

Attached please find Bond Riders to change Principal name for the bonds listed below in concurrence with the Name Change/Business Conversion submitted to the Adjudication Section.

We hereby request that the name changes riders be attached to and form a part of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond, to cover the leases referenced in each bond. There are no changes to the lease number, bond number, bond amount, effective date or surety. The only change is the Principal name from Enven Energy Ventures, LLC to Talos Energy Ventures, LLC for all 29 bonds included.

Surety Company	Bond No.	Original Effective Date	Bond Amount	Lease/ROW/RUE #	Type/Description
Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America	106438735	1/3/2017	\$610,814.58	OCS-G 29339	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond for Pipeline ROW Grant Lease No. OCS-G 29339, Segment Numbers 14368 & 14369 (PSN 14369)
Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America	106642037	1/3/2017	\$22,818,313.53	OCS-G 15565	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond For OCS Lease No. OCS-G 15565, All of Block 248, Green Canyon
United States Fire Insurance Company	612410357	10/11/2021	\$500,000.00	OCS-G 08036	Multi-Obligee Performance Bond Covering Supplemental Lease No. OCS-G 08036, All of Block 575, Atwater Valley
United States Fire Insurance Company	612410358	10/11/2021	\$1,500,000.00	OCS-G 08038	Multi-Obligee Performance Bond Covering Supplemental Lease No. OCS-G 08038, All of Block 618, Atwater Valley

United States Fire Insurance Company	612410359	10/11/2021	\$1,000,000.00	OCS-G 36990	Multi-Obligee Performance Bond Covering Supplemental Lease No. OCS-G 36990, All of Block 613, Green Canyon, OCS Official al Protraction Diagram, NG 15- 03
United States Fire Insurance Company	612410360	10/11/2021	\$1,000,000.00	OCS-G 28365	Multi-Obligee Performance Bond Covering Supplemental ROW No. OCS-G 28365, PSN 15924, Atwater Valley Area
United States Fire Insurance Company	612410361	10/11/2021	\$82,982.75	OCS-G 08035	Multi-Obligee Performance Bond Covering Supplemental Lease No. OCS-G 8036, All of Block 575, Atwater Valley
U.S. Specialty Insurance Company	B005366	12/28/2009	\$3,335,000.00	OCS--0479	OCS Mineral Lessee's and Operator's Supplemental Plugging & Abandonment Bond Covering OCS Lease No. OCS-0479 / EI 53, All of Block 53, Eugene Island Area
RLI Insurance Company	CMS0344836	10/19/2022	\$9,548,550.00	OCS-G 7998	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond Covering Lease No. OCS-G 7998, All of Block 202, Green Canyon
Endurance Assurance Corporation	EACX4014395	6/21/2022	\$ 1,940,000.00	OCS-G 16515	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond Covering OCS Lease No. OCS-G16515, All of Block 280, Main Pass Area, South and East Addition
Westchester Fire Insurance Company	K09277158	4/5/2016	\$400,000.00	OCS-G 15026	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond Covering Lease No. OCS-G 15026
Markel Insurance Company	MIC0070220	8/25/2021	\$33,760,165.00	OCS-G 7995	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond for OCS Lease No. OCS-G 7995, All of Block 158, Green Canyon
Markel Insurance Company	MIC0070621	8/25/2021	\$1,896,384.00	OCS-G 21500	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond for Pipeline ROW Grant, ROW No. OCS-G 21500, Segment No. 12457, PSN 12457
Markel Insurance Company	MIC0070622	8/25/2021	\$1,896,384.00	OCS-G 21499	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond for Pipeline ROW Grant, ROW Lease No. OCS-G 21499, Segment No. 12456
Philadelphia Indemnity Insurance Company	PB00202100027	1/3/2017	\$21,514,409.90	OCS G 15565	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond for OCS Lease No. OCS-G 15565 Covering All of Block 248, Green Canyon
Philadelphia Indemnity Insurance Company	PB00202100028	1/3/2017	\$575,910.89	OCS-G 29339	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond For Pipeline ROW Grant Lease No. OCS-G 29339, Segment Numbers 14368 and 14369, PSN 14369
Pennsylvania Insurance Company	SBP150014028	2/6/2023	\$2,380,000.00	OCS-G 17921	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond Covering OCS Lease No. OCS-G 17921/VR 356 All of Block 356, Vermillion Are, South Addition.
Pennsylvania Insurance Company	SBP150014029	2/6/2023	\$300,000.00	GOM OCS Pipeline ROW	OCS Pipeline ROW Grant Bond Covering Gulf of Mexico Area.

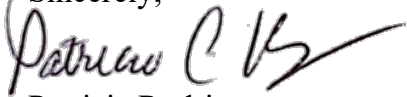
Pennsylvania Insurance Company	SBP150014030	2/6/2023	\$450,000.00	OCS-G 33088	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond Covering Lease No. OCS-G 33088 / SM 166 All of Block 166, South Marsh Island, South Addition.
Pennsylvania Insurance Company	SBP150014031	2/6/2023	\$3,000,000.00	Areawide GOM	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Areawide Bond Covering the Gulf of Mexico Region.
Pennsylvania Insurance Company	SBP150014032	2/6/2023	\$3,625,000.00	OCS-G 3061	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond Covering OCS Lease No. OCS-G 3061, All of Block 85, Mustang Island Area, East Addition.
Pennsylvania Insurance Company	SBP150014033	2/6/2023	\$1,010,000.00	OCS-G 27083	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond Covering OCS Lease No. OCS-G27083, All of Block 50, South Marsh Island Area.
Arch Insurance Company	SU 1128767	1/7/2016	\$610,000.00	OCS-G 12591	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond Covering Lease No. OCS-G12951, All of Block 227, Ship Shoal Area
Arch Insurance Company	SU 1173529	10/11/2021	\$917,017.25	OCS-G 08035	Multi-Obligee Performance Bond Covering Supplemental Lease No. OCS-G 08035, All of Block 574, Atwater Valley
Argonaut Insurance Company	SUR0025094	8/18/2014	\$2,649,900.00	OCS-G 6921	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond Covering OCS Lease No. OCS-G 6921/EW 958, All of Block 958, Ewing Bank
Argonaut Insurance Company	SUR0025095	8/18/2014	\$21,415,000.00	OCS-G 13091	OCS Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond Covering OCS Lease No. OCS-G 13091/EW 1003, All of Block 1003, Ewing Bank
Argonaut Insurance Company	SUR0038646	1/3/2017	\$50,000,000.00	OCS-G 15565	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond Covering Lease No. OCS-G 15565, All of Block 248, Green Canyon; Total Liability is: \$50,000,000.00. ~33% risk ceded to Aviva. Argo Liability is \$33,500,000.00
Argonaut Insurance Company	SUR0038647	1/3/2017	\$36,057,639.58	OCS-G 15565	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond Covering Lease No. OCS-G 15565, All of Block 248, Green Canyon
Argonaut Insurance Company	SUR0038648	1/3/2017	\$2,303,643.54	OCS-G 29339	Multi-Obligee Supplemental Performance Bond Covering OCS #OCS-G 29339, Pipeline ROW Grant, Segment #14368 & 14369 , Green Canyon Area

As this request is accepted and processed, please provide notification via email to the following parties:

Patricia Rodriguez, Talos Energy Ventures, LLC: [patricia.rodriguez@talosenergy.com](mailto:patricia.rodriguez@talosenergy.com)  
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Travelers Casualty & Surety Company of America: Virginia Caruso [vcaruso@travelers.com](mailto:vcaruso@travelers.com)

Thank you for your consideration, and if you have any questions, please feel free to contact Patricia Rodriguez at 713.380.4951 or by the above stated email address.

Sincerely,



Patricia Rodriguez  
Risk Manager

March 15, 2023

Leasing & Financial  
Responsibility Section

## RIDER

Attaching to and forming part of Multi-Obligee Performance Supplemental Bond No. **106438735**, executed **January 3, 2017**, on behalf of **EnVen Energy Ventures, LLC**, as Principal, and **Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America**, as Surety, in favor of the United States Department of Interior, acting through and by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM), and Shell Offshore, Inc., as Co-Obligees, in the amount of **Six Hundred Ten Thousand Eight Hundred Fourteen and 58/100 Dollars (\$610,814.58)**.

**ROW Lease No.: OCS-G 29339**

**Segment Numbers 14368 & 14369: A 200-foot wide and approximately 6.49 miles (34,227') long corridor associated with the 6 5/8-inch Pipeline Segment No. 14368 and a 5-inch umbilical (PSN 14369). The purpose of pipeline ROW OCS-G29339 is to maintain and operate PSN 14368 and to transport bulk oil from SLED S1 in Block 248, through Blocks 247, 203, 202 to Platform A in Block 158, all located in Green Canyon Area**

Date of Execution: **January 3, 2017**Effective Date of Change: **February 13, 2023**

In consideration of the mutual agreement contained herein, the Principal and the Surety hereby consent to the following changes:

The **Principal Name** has changed from:

**EnVen Energy Ventures, LLC**

To:

**Talos Energy Ventures, LLC**

All other conditions and terms to remain as originally written.

Signed, sealed and dated this **13th** day of **February, 2023**.

**Talos Energy Ventures, LLC***Principal***333 Clay Street, Suite 3300  
Houston, TX 77002**By: Name: Sergio L. Maiworm, Jr.Title: Vice President of Finance, Investor  
Relations and Treasurer**Travelers Casualty and Surety  
Company of America***Surety***One Tower Square  
Hartford, CT 06183**By: Name: Richard CovingtonTitle: Attorney-In-Fact





**Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America  
Travelers Casualty and Surety Company  
St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company**

**POWER OF ATTORNEY**


**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:** That Travelers Casualty and Surety Company of America, Travelers Casualty and Surety Company, and St. Paul Fire and Marine Insurance Company are corporations duly organized under the laws of the State of Connecticut (herein collectively called the "Companies"), and that the Companies do hereby make, constitute and appoint **Marc W. Boots, Vickie Lacy, Susan Golla, Maria D. Zuniga, Richard Covington, Joseph R. Aubert, Ashley Koletar, Heather Noles, and Ryan J. Varela** of Houston, Texas, their true and lawful Attorney(s)-in-Fact to sign, execute, seal and acknowledge any and all bonds, recognizances, conditional undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof on, behalf of the Companies in their business of guaranteeing the fidelity of persons, guaranteeing the performance of contracts and executing or guaranteeing bonds and undertakings required or permitted in any actions or proceedings allowed by law.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** the Companies have caused this instrument to be signed, and their corporate seals to be hereto affixed, this **21st** day of **April**, 2021.



State of Connecticut

City of Hartford ss.

By:   
Robert L. Raney, Senior Vice President

On this the **21st** day of **April**, 2021, before me personally appeared **Robert L. Raney**, who acknowledged himself to be the Senior Vice President of each of the Companies, and that he, as such, being authorized so to do, executed the foregoing instrument for the purposes therein contained by signing on behalf of said Companies by himself as a duly authorized officer.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF,** I hereunto set my hand and official seal.

My Commission expires the **30th** day of **June**, 2026



  
Anna P. Nowik, Notary Public

This Power of Attorney is granted under and by the authority of the following resolutions adopted by the Boards of Directors of each of the Companies, which resolutions are now in full force and effect, reading as follows:

**RESOLVED**, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary may appoint Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents to act for and on behalf of the Company and may give such appointee such authority as his or her certificate of authority may prescribe to sign with the Company's name and seal with the Company's seal bonds, recognizances, contracts of indemnity, and other writings obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking, and any of said officers or the Board of Directors at any time may remove any such appointee and revoke the power given him or her; and it is

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the Chairman, the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President may delegate all or any part of the foregoing authority to one or more officers or employees of this Company, provided that each such delegation is in writing and a copy thereof is filed in the office of the Secretary; and it is

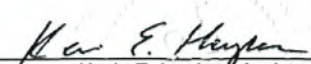
**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that any bond, recognizance, contract of indemnity, or writing obligatory in the nature of a bond, recognizance, or conditional undertaking shall be valid and binding upon the Company when (a) signed by the President, any Vice Chairman, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President or any Vice President, any Second Vice President, the Treasurer, any Assistant Treasurer, the Corporate Secretary or any Assistant Secretary and duly attested and sealed with the Company's seal by a Secretary or Assistant Secretary; or (b) duly executed (under seal, if required) by one or more Attorneys-in-Fact and Agents pursuant to the power prescribed in his or her certificate or their certificates of authority or by one or more Company officers pursuant to a written delegation of authority; and it is

**FURTHER RESOLVED**, that the signature of each of the following officers: President, any Executive Vice President, any Senior Vice President, any Vice President, any Assistant Vice President, any Secretary, any Assistant Secretary, and the seal of the Company may be affixed by facsimile to any Power of Attorney or to any certificate relating thereto appointing Resident Vice Presidents, Resident Assistant Secretaries or Attorneys-in-Fact for purposes only of executing and attesting bonds and undertakings and other writings obligatory in the nature thereof, and any such Power of Attorney or certificate bearing such facsimile signature or facsimile seal shall be valid and binding upon the Company and any such power so executed and certified by such facsimile signature and facsimile seal shall be valid and binding on the Company in the future with respect to any bond or understanding to which it is attached.

I, **Kevin E. Hughes**, the undersigned, Assistant Secretary of each of the Companies, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a true and correct copy of the Power of Attorney executed by said Companies, which remains in full force and effect.

Dated this **13th** day of **February**, 2023



  
Kevin E. Hughes, Assistant Secretary

**To verify the authenticity of this Power of Attorney, please call us at 1-800-421-3880.  
Please refer to the above-named Attorney(s)-in-Fact and the details of the bond to which this Power of Attorney is attached.**