



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 1906E

April 21, 2023

High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C.
1501 McKinney St., Suite 800
Houston, TX 77010
Attn: Nadine Moustafa

Dear Ms. Moustafa:

Your letter dated March 28, 2023, requesting cancellation of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond No. SUR0030319, in the amount of \$565,000, was received by our office on April 4, 2023. This bond, conditioned to cover Right-of-Way OCS-G 1906E, was executed on August 6, 2015, with High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C. as principal and Argonaut Insurance Company as surety.

We are unable to grant your request due to an objection from the Risk Management Operations Group. They state "This PSN is still in operation under ROW G29377, PSN 19784." For more information, please contact the Risk Management Operations Group at boemrmog@boem.gov.

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

Sincerely,

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Leasing and Financial Responsibility Section
Leasing and Plans

cc: Chris Caudle (ccaudle@third-coast.com)
Ryan Varela (RVarela@McGriff.com)
Todd Rivera (trivera@third-coast.com)

High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C.

March 28, 2023
Bureau of Ocean Energy Management
ATTN: Leasing & Financial Responsibility Section
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New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

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April 4, 2023

*Leasing & Financial
Responsibility Section*

Re: Cancellation Request
Principal: High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C.
Bond No: SUR0030319
Bond Amount: \$565,000.00
**Bond Type/Description: Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or
Operator's Bond**
Bond, to cover Lease No: OCS-G 01906E

Dear Sir or Madam:

We hereby request the release and return of the referenced bond as there is no decommissioning liability remaining. Please return the original bond and associated rider for bond SUR0030319 to us for return to the Surety.

If you do not normally return the original bond, please issue a letter address to the Surety on your letterhead referencing the subject bond and stating "The Surety is hereby fully and unconditionally released from any and all liability under this bond".

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

Chris Caudle, High Point Gas Gathering, L.L.C., ccaudle@third-coast.com
Ryan Varela, McGriff Insurance Services, Inc. RVarela@McGriff.com

Thank you for your consideration, and if you have any questions, please feel free to contact Todd Rivera by phone at (346) 241-3633 by email at trivera@third-coast.com.

Sincerely,



Nadine Moustafa
Senior Vice President, General Counsel & Corporate Secretary
Panther Operating Company, LLC

Submitted Via Email To: boemgomrfinancialassurance@boem.gov
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