

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: Bond No. SBP150500 003

March 28, 2025

Panther Operating Company, LLC 1501 McKinney St., Suite 800 Houston, TX 77010 Attn: Ryan K. Rupe

Dear Mr. Rupe:

Your letter dated March 25, 2025, requesting cancellation of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond No. SBP150500 003, in the amount of \$736,606, was received by our office on March 27, 2025. This bond, conditioned to cover Right-of-Way OCS-G 20541, was executed on February 27, 2024, with Panther Operating Company, LLC as principal and Pennsylvania Insurance Company as surety.

Bond No. SBP150500 018 in the amount of \$736,606 has been accepted for OCS-G 20541. Therefore, the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management has no objection to cancellation of Bond No. SBP150500 003, which is considered cancelled without residual liability effective March 27, 2025, the date of final concurrence with the cancellation.

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

Sincerely,



Digitally signed by BERNADETTE THOMAS

Bernadette Thomas **Regional Supervisor** Leasing and Plans

cc: Dylan Young (dylan.young@mcgriff.com) Natalie Karl (nkarl@third-coast.com) Ryan K. Rupe (rrupe@third-coast.com)



Panther Operating Company, LLC March 25, 2025

VIA EMAIL: boemgomrfinancialassurance@boem.gov

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management Leasing & Financial Responsibility Unit 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard New Orleans, Louisiana 70123-2394 Attention: Ms. Kathleen Lee

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March 27, 2025

Leasing & Financial Responsibility Section

Re: Termination/Cancellation Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Supplemental Bond Bond No. SBP150500_003 Amount: \$736,606.00 Dated Effective: February 27, 2024 Surety: Pennsylvania Insurance Company Principal: Panther Operating Company, LLC

Dear Ms. Lee:

Panther Operating Company, LLC (GOM No. 3198) ("Panther"), herein requests the termination/cancellation and release of the following Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Supplemental Bond affecting right of way OCS-G 20541:

Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond by Pennsylvania Insurance Company, as Surety and Panther Operating Company, LLC, as Principal, bearing Bond Number SBP150500_003, in the amount of \$736,606.00, effective February 27, 2024, ("Original Bond").

Panther makes this request because it has assigned all of its interest in right of way OCS-G 20541 to Main Pass Oil Gathering Company, LLC (GOM No. 3808) ("Main Pass") and Main Pass has submitted the following:

Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond by Pennsylvania Insurance Company, as Surety and Main Pass Oil Gathering Company, LLC, as Principal, bearing Bond No. SBP150500_018, in the amount of \$736,606.00 dated March 20, 2025, hereinafter referred to as the "Replacement Bond".

Once you have reviewed and approved the cancellation of this Areawide Bond, please mark cancelled on the original Areawide Bond and send a letter to me acknowledging the cancellation of same.

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Houston, TX 77010



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If you have any questions regarding the above, or need additional information, we have provided the following contact information for each of the parties:

For the Surety:

Name:McGriff, a Marsh & McLennan Agency LLC CompanyAttn:Dylan YoungAddress:10100 Katy Freeway, Ste. 400, Houston, TX 77043Email:dylan.young@mcgriff.comPhone Number:(713) 877-8975

For the Principal:

| Name: | Natalie Karl |
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| Address: | 1501 McKinney Street, Suite 800, Houston, TX 77010 |
| Email: | NKarl@third-coast.com |
| Phone Number | : (346) 241-3455 |

If you have any questions regarding the above, or need additional information, please contact Joan G. Seelman at (504)-299-6121 or by email at jseelman@liskow.com or the undersigned at (346) 241-3406 or by email at RRupe@third-coast.com.

Very truly yours, Panther Operating Company, LLC

Ryan Rupe

Ryan K. Rupe Senior Vice President & Chief Commercial Officer

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