

## United States Department of the Interior

BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT Gulf of Mexico OCS Region 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

In Reply Refer To: MS GM 266A OCS-G 30269 SEP 1 3 2018

Mr. John H. Smith Fieldwood Energy LLC 2000 W. Sam Houston Pkwy. South, Suite 1200 Houston, TX 77042

Dear Mr. Smith:

Your letter dated August 20, 2018, requesting cancellation of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond No. B009147, in the amount of \$610,000 was received by our office on August 22, 2018. This bond, conditioned to cover Right-of-Use and Easement OCS-G 30269, was executed on December 9, 2014, with Fieldwood Energy LLC as principal and U.S. Specialty Insurance Company as surety.

The Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement has assessed the decommissioning liability for OCS-G 30269 to be \$0. Therefore, the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management has no objection to cancellation of Bond No. B009147, which is considered cancelled without residual liability effective September 12, 2018, the date of final concurrence with the cancellation.

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

Sincerely,

Bernadette Thomas Acting Regional Supervisor Leasing and Plans

cc: Ms. Michele K. Tyson
U. S. Specialty Insurance Company
13403 Northwest Freeway
Houston, TX 77040

Sent Via Email To: john.smith@fwellc.com , travis.hough@fwellc.com , mtyson@indemco.com



August 20, 2018

Kathleen S Lee Program Support, Financial Assurance Bureau of Ocean Energy Management 1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard, MS GM266A New Orleans, LA 70123



Fieldwood Energy LLC	RESPONSIBILITY SECTION
Bond No.:	B009147
Type of Bond:	Supplemental RUE
Execution Date:	December 9, 2014
Lease Covered:	Platform B and Caisson No. 1, West Cameron Area, Block 311, Protraction
	LA1A
Amount of Bond:	\$610,000.00
Surety:	U. S. Specialty Insurance Company
	Bond No.: Type of Bond: Execution Date: Lease Covered: Amount of Bond:

Dear Ms. Lee:

This letter is our written request for both termination and cancellation of the above referenced bond.

A copy of the bond is enclosed for your convenience. The surety for this bond may be contacted through its designated representative at the following address:

Michele Tyson IndemCo 777 Post Oak Blvd Ste. 330 Houston, TX 77056 mtyson@indemco.com

If anything further is needed, please contact Travis Hough at travis.hough@fwellc.com or John Smith at john.smith@fwellc.com.

Regards,

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John H. Smith Senior Vice President – Land & Business Development

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