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Mr. Prent H. Kallenberger
Byron Energy Inc.
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Dear Mr. Kallenberger:

By letter dated November 20, 2017, and e-mails dated November 20 to 28, 2017, Byron Energy Inc. (Byron) requests a Suspension of Production (SOP) for Lease OCS-G 34266, South Marsh Island (SM) Block 71. This lease was held by an SOP through November 30, 2017.

Byron drilled SM Block 71, Well F001 in May 2016. Byron purchased a tripod jacket in the fall of 2016, which needed to be fabricated for the purpose of processing production from Lease OCS-G 34266. Fabrication has been completed and the platform transported onto location. Weather delays prevented the timely installation of the platform. Byron will continue the development operations by drilling the SM Block 71, Well F002, followed by completion operations on Well F002 and Well F001. Following the completion operations and the pre-production walk-through, Byron will commence production from Lease OCS-G 34266.

An SOP for Lease OCS-G 34266 is hereby approved, pursuant to 30 CFR 250.174(a), from December 1 through December 31, 2017. Byron, or any subsequent operator, must notify this office in writing upon commencement of production. If you have any questions regarding this matter, contact Mr. Daniel Dauterive at (504) 736-2906 or Daniel.Dauterive@bsee.gov.

Sincerely,

(Org. Signed) **Richie D. Baud**

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✓bc: Lease OCS-G 34266 (GE 555A)