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Mr. Chang Lyeol Um ANKOR Energy LLC 1615 Poydras Street, Suite 1100 New Orleans, Louisiana 70112

Dear Mr. Um:

By letter dated December 27, 2018, and email dated January 3, 2019, ANKOR Energy LLC (ANKOR) requests a Suspension of Production (SOP) for Lease OCS-G 32207, Ship Shoal (SS) Block 290. This lease was held by a Suspension of Production (SOP) through December 31, 2018.

Production from Lease OCS-G 32207 ceased on August 31, 2017, when the host facility located on SS Block 277 ceased to accept production. Following the conclusion of repairs and successful testing of the host facility, ANKOR plans to restore production to Lease OCS-G 32207 by the end of February 2019.

An SOP for Lease OCS-G 32207 is hereby approved, pursuant to 30 CFR 250.174(a), from January 1 through February 28, 2019. ANKOR, or any subsequent operator must notify this office in writing upon commencement of production. If you have any questions regarding this matter, contact Mr. Wayne Everson at (504) 736-2606 or Wayne.Everson@bsee.gov.

Sincerely,

(Org. Signed) Richie D. Baud

Richie D. Baud Regional Supervisor Production and Development