

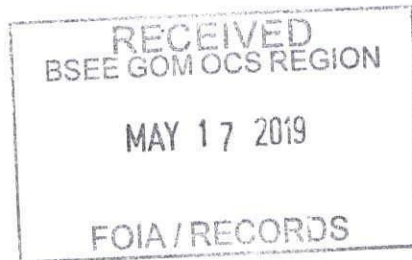
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Dear Ms. Sykes and Mr. Hunter:

This letter acknowledges receipt of your Notice of Appeal, dated May 8, 2019, appealing our decision dated April 30, 2019, issued by Mr. Richie D. Baud, Regional Supervisor, Production and Development, regarding the denial of BP Exploration & Production Inc.'s request for the Bureau of Safety and Environmental Enforcement to either direct a suspension of production, grant a suspension of operations, or grant extensions of time between lease-holding operations for both unit leases for the Keathley Canyon Block 10 Unit, Agreement No. 754317002. Your appeal was received by this office on May 9, 2019.

All questions concerning this appeal should be directed to Mr. Dennis Daugherty, Assistant Solicitor for Petroleum and Offshore Resources, Division of Mineral Resources, Office of the Solicitor, at (202) 208-5038.

Sincerely,

(Orig. Sgd.) Troy J. Guidry

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Regional Supervisor  
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