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Mr. David Monico
TOPCO OFFSHORE, LLC
9950 Westpark Drive, Suite 602
Houston, Texas 77063

Dear Mr. Monico:

By letter dated October 23, 2019, TOPCO OFFSHORE, LLC (TOPCO) requests a Suspension of Production (SOP) for Lease OCS-G 34802 (the Lease), Vermilion (VR) Block 153. This lease is held by a Directed SOP through October 28, 2019.

TOPCO plans to drill Well A002 on the Lease from a surface location on VR Block 170 A platform. TOPCO has executed a contract with a drilling contractor, but the rig is currently performing work at a different location. Following current operations, the rig will mobilize to VR Block 170 and commence drilling operations before the end of November 2019.

An SOP for the Lease is hereby approved, pursuant to 30 CFR 250.174(a), from October 29 through November 30, 2019. TOPCO, or any subsequent operator, must notify this office in writing (progress report) by the end of each month that a deadline is scheduled. If you have any questions regarding this matter, contact Mr. Daniel Dauterive at (504) 736-2906 or Daniel.Dauterive@bsee.gov.

Sincerely,

(Orig. Signed) Richie D. Baud

Richie D. Baud
Regional Supervisor
Production and Development

Enclosure

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✓ Lease OCS-G 34802 - Public, (GE 555A)

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