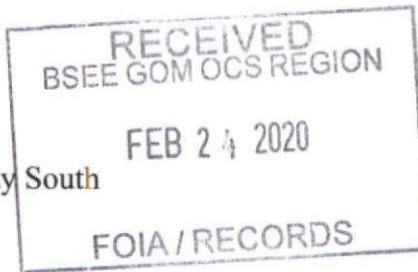


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Ms. Gaby Medrano
Fieldwood Energy LLC
2000 West Sam Houston Parkway South
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Houston, Texas 77042



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Dear Ms. Medrano:

By letter dated October 4, 2019, and additional information received between October 16, 2019, and February 12, 2020, Fieldwood Energy LLC (Fieldwood) requests a Suspension of Production (SOP) for Lease OCS-G 24956 (the Lease), South Timbalier Block 49. Prior production held the Lease, pursuant to 30 CFR 250.180, through October 19, 2019.

Production ceased from the Lease on October 19, 2018, due to a pig stuck in the oil sales pipeline. Fieldwood immediately began continuous, but unsuccessful, remediation operations to clean out the pipeline. Fieldwood evaluated multiple options to restore production to the Lease, and selected to lay a new pipeline that ties into Segment No. 20174. Following the installation of the new pipeline and completion of the subsea tie-in operations, production from the Lease is expected to resume by the end of August 2020.

An SOP for Lease OCS-G 24956 is hereby approved, pursuant to 30 CFR 250.174(b), from October 20, 2019, through August 31, 2020. Fieldwood, or any subsequent operator, is expected to follow the enclosed activity schedule and 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. Sgd.) Troy J. Guidry

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Deputy Regional Supervisor
Production and Development

Enclosure

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