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BUREAU OF SAFETY AND ENVIRONMENTAL ENFORCEMENT
Alaska OCS Region
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August 27, 2024

Mr. Aaron O'Quinn, Land Manager
Hilcorp Alaska, LLC
3800 Centerpoint Dr. Ste 1400
Anchorage, AK 99503

Dear Mr. O'Quinn,

The BSEE Alaska OCS Region received your request for a Suspension of Production for the three OCS leases comprising the Liberty Unit on August 12, 2024. The three leases are OCS-Y-01585, OCS-Y-01650, OCS-Y-01886, all located in the Beaufort Sea OCS. BSEE's regulations at 30 CFR § 250.171 specify five elements required for a lessee's request for BSEE to grant a lease suspension. Following an initial review, BSEE has determined that your request does not sufficiently satisfy three of the required elements, as follows:

> § 250.171(c): A statement that a well has been drilled on the lease and determined to be producible according to § 250.1603 (SOP only), 30 CFR 550.115, or 30 CFR 550.116;
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> § 250.171(d): A commitment to production (SOP only); and
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> § 250.171(e): The service fee listed in § 250.125 of this subpart.

Absent a complete submission, BSEE cannot proceed with considering your request and is returning the submission without rendering a decision. You may resubmit a subsequent request including each of the five required elements at any time. BSEE encourages use of our TIMS Web system (timsweb.bsee.gov) for future submissions. Please contact my office at (907) 334-5300 or Justin.Miller@bsee.gov if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

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BSEE Alaska OCS Region