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In Reply Refer To: MS 5231

October 22, 2010

Mr. C. Wiley Conn  
Conn Energy, Inc.  
5 Sanctuary Boulevard  
Suite 201  
Mandeville, Louisiana 70471

Dear Mr. Conn:

Reference is made to the following plan:

Control No. S-07397  
Type Supplemental Development Operations Coordination Document  
Received March 17, 2010, amended March 29, June 30, July 2, July 20, and  
August 16, 2010

Lease(s) OCS-G01997, Block 171, West Cameron Area

You are hereby notified that the approval of the subject plan has been granted as of October 22, 2010, in accordance with 30 CFR 250.270(b)(1).

This approval includes the activities proposed for Caisson and Well A-13.

In response to the request accompanying your plan for a hydrogen sulfide (H<sub>2</sub>S) classification, the area in which the proposed drilling operations are to be conducted is hereby classified, in accordance with 30 CFR 250.490(c), as "H<sub>2</sub>S absent."

Our review indicates that there are pipelines in the vicinity of Well A-13 that may pose a hazard to your proposed operations. Therefore, take precautions in accordance with Notice to Lessees and Operators No. 2008-G05, Section VI.B, prior to performing operations.

If you have any questions or comments concerning this approval, please contact Elmo Cooper at (504)731-7810.

Sincerely,

for Michael J. Saucier  
Regional Supervisor  
Field Operations