



United States Department of the Interior
Bureau of Land Management
Eastern States
7450 Boston Boulevard
Springfield, Virginia 22153
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NOTICE OF COMEPTITIVE LEASE SALE OIL AND GAS

In accordance with 43 CFR Part 3120, the Eastern States Office is offering for competitive oil and gas lease sale, certain Federal lands in Alabama (ES-001 thru ES-026), Arkansas (ES-027), Louisiana (ES-028), Michigan (ES-029 thru ES-044), Virginia (ES-045 thru ES-064) and West Virginia (ES-065 thru ES-066).

This notice provides:

- the time and place of the sale;
- how to register and participate in the bidding process,
- the sale process;
- the conditions of the sale,
- how to file a noncompetitive offer after the sale;
- how to file a presale noncompetitive offer; and
- how to file a protest to our offering the lands in this Notice.

When and where will the sale take place?

When: The competitive oral auction will begin at **10:00 a.m. on December 20, 2007**. The sale room will open at 9:00 a.m. to allow you to register and obtain your bid number.

Where: The sale will be held at the Bureau of Land Management, Eastern States Office, 7450 Boston Boulevard, Springfield, VA 22153. Parking is available.

Access: The sale room is accessible to persons with disabilities. If assistance is needed for the hearing or visually impaired, contact the Minerals Adjudication Team on (703) 440-1727, or at the mailing address on the letterhead of this notice by December 5, 2007.

How do I participate in the bidding process?

To participate in the bidding process, you must register to obtain a bid number. We will begin registering bidders at 9:00 a.m. on the day of the sale. Bidders must register in order to bid on a parcel.

What is the sale process?

Starting at 10:00 a.m. on the day of the sale:

- the auctioneer will offer the parcels in the order they are shown in the attached notice;
- all bids are on a per-acre basis, rounded up to whole acres, for the entire acreage in the parcel;
- the winning bid is the highest oral bid equal to or exceeding the minimum acceptable bid; and
- the decision of the auctioneer is final.

The minimum acceptable bid is \$2 per acre or fraction thereof. If a parcel contains fractional acreage, round it up to the next whole acre. For example, a parcel of 100.501 acres requires a minimum bid of \$202 (\$2 x 101 acres). After all parcels have been offered, you may ask the auctioneer to re-offer any unsold parcel.

What conditions apply to the lease sale?

- **Parcel withdrawal or sale cancellation:** We reserve the right to withdraw any or all parcels before the sale begins. If we withdraw a parcel, we will post a notice in Eastern States' Public Room. You may also get the number(s) of withdrawn parcels by contacting the Minerals Adjudication Team on (703) 440-1727. If we cancel the sale, we will try to notify all interested parties in advance.
- **Payment due:** You cannot withdraw a bid. Your bid is a legally binding commitment to sign the bid form; accept the lease; and pay all monies due. For each parcel you win, the **money due on the day of the sale** is the total of the bonus bid deposit (at least \$2 per acre), the first year's rent (\$1.50 per acre), and the administrative fee (\$140). **Any unpaid balance of the bonus bid must be submitted to the BLM-Eastern States Office by 4:30 p.m., January 7, 2008**, which is the tenth working day following the sale. If you do not pay the balance due by this date, you forfeit the right to the lease and all money paid on the day of the sale. If you forfeit a parcel, we may offer it at a later sale.
- **Form of payment:** You can pay by personal check, certified check, money order, or credit card (Visa, MasterCard, American Express, and Discover cards only). If you plan to make your payment using a credit card, you should contact your bank prior to the sale and let them know you will be making a substantial charge against your account. **Please note, we will not accept credit or debit card payments for an amount equal to or greater than \$100,000.** We also will not accept aggregated smaller amounts to bypass this requirement. If you pay by

What are the terms and conditions of a lease issued as a result of this sale?

- **Term of the lease:** A lease is issued for a primary term of 10 years. It continues beyond that if it has production in paying quantities. We charge a royalty of 12.5 percent of the value of oil or gas removed or sold from a lease. You will find other lease terms on our standard lease form (Form 3100-11, July 2006).
- **Stipulations:** Some parcels are subject to surface use stipulations. They are requirements or restrictions on how you conduct operations. These stipulations are included in the parcel descriptions on the attached list. They become part of the lease and supersede any inconsistent provisions in the lease form.

What are the terms of the sale?

- **Withdrawal:** We reserve the right to withdraw any or all parcels from the sale before the auction begins. If we withdraw any parcels, we will post a notice in the Public Room at the Eastern States Office. You may also get the numbers of withdrawn parcels by contacting the Minerals Adjudication Team on (703) 440-1727. If we cancel the sale, we will try to notify all interested parties in advance.
- **Payment:** You cannot withdraw your bid; it is a legally binding commitment to sign the lease bid form; accept the lease; and pay on the day of the auction the bonus bid, the first year's rent, and an administrative fee. The bonus bid is a deposit of at least \$2.00 per acre or fraction thereof. The first year's rent is \$1.50 per acre or fraction thereof. The administrative fee is \$140 per parcel. You must pay minimum bonus, first year's rental and administrative fee by 4:30 p.m., at the Eastern States' Accounting Office. You may pay the entire amount of your bid on the day of the auction, but if you do not, **you must pay the balance by**
- **January 7, 2008**, which is the 10th working day following the auction. If you do not pay in full by this date, you forfeit the right to the lease and all money you have paid us. If you forfeit a parcel, we may offer it for sale at a later auction.
- **Form of payment:** You can pay by personal check, certified check, money order, or credit card (VISA, MASTERCARD, AMERICAN EXPRESS, or DISCOVER). Make a check payable to: **Department of the Interior–BLM**. We don't accept cash. If a check you have sent us in the past has been returned for insufficient funds, we will require that you give us a guaranteed payment, such as a certified check. **Effective February 1, 2005, BLM will not accept credit card or debit card payments to the Bureau for any amount equal to or greater than \$100,000 for any purpose. We also will not accept aggregate smaller amounts to bypass this requirement. We encourage you to make any**

payments of \$100,000 or more by Automated Clearing House (ACH) or Fed Wire Transfer.

- **Bid form:** Successful bidders must submit a signed competitive lease bid form (Form 3000-2, January 2007) with their payment on the day of the auction. This form is a legally binding offer by a prospective lessee to accept a lease and all applicable terms and conditions. We recommend you get the form and complete part of it before the auction, leaving part to be filled out at the auction. Your completed bid form certifies that you are qualified to be a lessee under our regulations at 43 CFR Part 12 and Subpart 3102.5-2. It also certifies that you comply with 18 U.S.C. 1860, a law prohibiting unlawful combinations, intimidation of or collusion among bidders.
- **Issuance of a lease:** We (the BLM) will issue your lease within 60 days of the sale date by signing the lease form provided you have paid your fees and rent. The effective date of a lease is the first day of the month following the month in which we sign the lease. We can make it effective the first day of the month in which we sign it, if we receive your written request before we sign the lease.

How do I file a noncompetitive pre-sale offer?

Under our regulations at 43 CFR 3110.1(a), you can file a noncompetitive pre-sale offer for lands that –

- are available,
- have not been under lease during the previous one-year period; or
- have not been included in a competitive lease sale within the previous two-year period.

If no bid is received on them, your pre-sale offer gives you priority over any offer filed after the auction. In the list of parcels attached to this notice, we have used an asterisk to mark any parcel that has a pending pre-sale offer. By filing a pre-sale offer, you are consenting to all terms and conditions of the lease, including any stipulations for listed on the attachment to this notice.

To file a pre-sale offer, you must send us --:

- A standard lease form (Form 3100-11, July 2006), which is properly filled out, as required by the regulations under 43 CFR 3110. (**Note: You must copy both sides of the form on one page. If you copy the form on 2 pages, we will reject your offer;**
- the first year's advance rent in the amount of Rental \$1.50 per acre or fraction thereof; and
- a nonrefundable administrative fee in the amount of \$360.00.

NOTE: You cannot file a pre-sale offer for any lands included in the parcel list attached to this notice.

How do I file a noncompetitive offer after the auction?

You may be able to get a noncompetitive lease for a parcel we offered if –

- we did not withdraw it from the sale;
- it did not receive a bid; and
- it does not have a noncompetitive pre-sale offer pending.

Parcels that meet all these criteria are available on a first-come, first-served basis for two years from the date of the auction. If you want to file a noncompetitive offer for an unsold parcel immediately after the sale or on the next business day, give us the items listed above under pre-sale offers in a sealed envelope marked “Noncompetitive Offer.” We consider all noncompetitive offers that we receive on the day of the sale and the first business day after the sale as filed at the same time (simultaneously). Where an unsold parcel receives more than one simultaneous filing, we will hold a public drawing to determine who will get the lease.

Can I protest BLM’s decision to offer the lands in this Notice for lease?

Yes, under regulation 43 CFR 3120.1-3, you may protest the inclusion of a parcel listed in this sale notice. All protests must meet the following requirements:

- We must receive a protest no later than close of business on the 15th calendar day prior to the date of the sale. If our office is not open on the 15th day prior to the date of the sale, a protest received on the next day our office is open to the public will be considered timely filed. The protest must also include any statement of reasons to support the protest. We will dismiss a late-filed protest or a protest filed without a statement of reasons.
- A protest must state the interest of the protesting party in the matter.
- You may file a protest either by mail in hardcopy form or by fax. You may not file a protest by electronic mail. A protest filed by fax must be sent to (703) 440-1551. A protest sent to a fax number other than the fax number identified or a protest filed by electronic mail will be dismissed;
- If the party signing the protest is doing so on behalf of an association, partnership or corporation, the signing party must reveal the relationship between them. For example, unless an environmental group authorizes an individual member of its group to act for it, the individual cannot make a protest in the group’s name.

If BLM receives a timely protest of a parcel advertised on this Sale Notice, how does it affect bidding on the parcel?

We will announce receipt of any protests at the beginning of the sale. We will also announce a decision to either withdraw the parcel or proceed with offering it at the sale.

If I am the high bidder at the sale for a protested parcel, when will BLM issue my lease?

We will make every effort to decide the protest within 60 days after the sale. We will issue no lease for a protested parcel until the State Director makes a decision on the protest. If the State Director denies the protest, we will issue your lease concurrently with that decision.

If I am the successful bidder of a protested parcel, may I withdraw my bid and receive a refund of my first year's rental and bonus bid?

No. In accordance with BLM regulations (43 CFR 3120.5-3) you may not withdraw your bid.

If BLM upholds the protest, how does that affect my competitive bid?

If we uphold a protest and withdraw the parcel from leasing, we will refund your first year's rental, bonus bid and administrative fee. If the decision upholding the protest results in additional stipulations, we will offer you an opportunity to accept or reject the lease with the additional stipulations prior to lease issuance. If you do not accept the additional stipulations, we will reject your bid and we will refund your first year's rental, bonus bid and administrative fee.

If BLM's decision to uphold the protest results in additional stipulations, may I appeal that decision?

Yes, you may. Note, an appeal from the State Director's decision must meet the requirements of Title 43 CFR §4.411 and Part 1840.

Can I appeal BLM's decision to deny my protest?

Yes, you may. Note, an appeal from the State Director's decision must meet the requirements of Title 43 CFR §4.411 and Part 1840.

Can I withdraw my bid if the protestor files an appeal?

No. If the protestor appeals our decision to deny the protest, you may not withdraw your bid. We will issue your lease concurrently with the decision to deny the protest. If resolution of the appeal results in lease cancellation, we will authorize refund of the bonus bid, rentals and administrative fee if—

- there is no evidence that the lessee(s) derived any benefit from possession of the lease during the time they held it, and;
- There is no indication of bad faith or other reasons not to refund the rental, bonus bid and administrative fee.

Where can I get copies of BLM forms?

Form 3100-11, Offer to Lease and Lease for Oil and Gas and Form 3000-2 Competitive Oil and Gas or Geothermal Resources Lease Bid are included with this package. Electronic versions of these forms (PDF format) are available upon request. You may contact Ms. Cindy Kahn at (703) 440-1727 to request that they be e-mailed to you.

When is the next sale scheduled?

The next sale is tentatively scheduled for March 20, 2008.

Who should I contact if I have a question?

For more information, contact the Minerals Adjudication Team on (703) 440-1727.

Gina A. Goodwin
Lead Land Law Examiner
Division of Natural Resources

**PLEASE COMPLETE ONE FORM FOR EACH COMPANY AND/OR INDIVIDUAL
YOU ARE REPRESENTING AND BRING TO THE SALE LOCATION TO SPEED
PROCESSING OF REGISTRATION**

REGISTRATION FORM

BIDDER NO. _____
(Leave Blank)

NAME: _____

BUSINESS PHONE: _____

BUSINESS ADDRESS: _____

**THE LESSEE MUST BE QUALIFIED TO HOLD
A FEDERAL OIL AND GAS LEASE.**

SIGNATURE

DATE

A COPY OF THE LEASE AND ALL BILLING NOTICES WILL BE SENT TO THE
NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE LESSEE AS SHOWN ON FORM 3000-2 (BID
FORM).

HOTEL INFORMATION

Springfield Hilton
6550 Loisdale Court
Springfield, Virginia
(703) 971-8900

Holiday Inn
6401 Brandon Avenue
Springfield, Virginia
(703) 644-5555

Hampton Inn
6560 Loisdale Court
Springfield, Virginia
(703) 922-9000

Best Western
6721 Commerce Street
Springfield, Virginia
(703) 922-6100

Ramada Plaza Hotel
4641 Kenmore Avenue
Alexandria, Virginia
(703) 751-4510
Hotel shuttle to National Airport and Metro Subway

Directions to Bureau of Land Management – Eastern States:

From Washington, DC: take I-395 South through the Springfield Interchange to where I-395 becomes I-95. Continue on I-95 to Backlick/Fullerton Road Exit 167. At the light turn right onto Fullerton Road. At the third light, turn left onto Boston Boulevard (COSTCO to the left). Eastern States is approximately 0.3 miles on the right.

From Maryland: Take I-95/I-495, Capital Beltway's Inner Loop, across the Wilson Bridge to Alexandria, VA. Continue on I-95/I-495 to the I-395 Interchange; FOLLOW I-95, SOUTH, towards Richmond, VA. Take Exit 167, Backlick Road/Fullerton Road - the second exit south of the Beltway. At the FIRST Stoplight, Turn RIGHT onto Fullerton Road. At the THIRD Stoplight, Turn LEFT onto Boston Boulevard. Eastern States office (7450 Boston Boulevard) is about 0.3 miles on your right. Take either the sixth or seventh driveway to the right. Public parking is behind the building.

Traveling North I-95 in Virginia: Take I-95 NORTH, to Exit 166-B, Backlick Road/Fullerton Road, just past the fuel tank farm. Take Exit 167, to Fullerton Road - the second exit. At the FIRST Stoplight, Turn LEFT onto Fullerton Road. At the SECOND Stoplight, Turn LEFT onto Boston Boulevard. Eastern States office (7450 Boston Boulevard) is about 0.3 miles on your right. Take either the sixth or seventh driveway to the right. Public parking is behind the building.

ES-001-12/07 ALES 55113 PD

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T1N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 5, N2NW;

Sec. 6, SESW;

Sec. 8, NWSW.

161.55 Acres

\$243.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-002-12/07 ALES 55114 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T1N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 1, That part of Tract C-9 lying in the NENE containing 36.42 acres;
SENE, W2NW, S2;

Sec. 2, E2E2, SWNE, SENW, N2SW, SESW, SWSE;

Sec. 3, E2E2; that part of Tract C-22 lying in the S2SW and NWSW containing
112.15 acres; that part of Tract C-9 lying in the W2SWNW containing
9.3 acres.

Sec. 4, That part of Tract C-9 lying in NENE and SENE containing 47.55 acres;
NWNW, S2SW, NWSE;

Sec. 5, N2NE, SENE;

Sec. 6, SWNE, NESW, W2SE.

1,647.24 Acres

\$2,472.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1, No Surface Occupancy
Stipulation No. 2 and Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-003-12/07 ALES 55115 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T1N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 8, N2NE, that part of Tract C-22 lying in SENE and NESE
containing 67.81 acres;

Sec. 9, NW less a 1.21-ac. square in the SE corner, W2SW, that part
of Tract C-22 lying in W2E2SW containing 47.55 acres;

Sec. 10, NWNW, S2SE;

Sec. 11, E2E2, that part of Tract C-9 lying in NWSE containing 26.4 acres,
SWSE, N2SW, that part of Tract C-22 lying in the S2SW containing
71.19 acres, SWNW lying west of the creek containing 31.52 acres, more
particularly described as follows: Beginning at SW corner of SWNW; thence
East 20.93 chs. to creek; thence in northerly directions along centerline
of creek with the meanders thereof 24.00 chs. more or less. Thence along the
North line SWNW 9.00 chs. to NW corner; thence south 20.00 chs. to
point of beginning, containing 31.52 acres.

Sec. 12, NWNE, that part of Tract C-9 lying in SWNE containing 16.22 acres, W2NW,
NENW, that part of Tract C-9 lying in the SENW containing 37.20 acres, that
part of Tract C-9 lying in W2SW containing 78.36 acres.

Sec. 13, That part of Tract C-9 in NWNW;
Sec. 14, N2NE, that part of Tract C-9 lying in S2NE containing 66.37 acres,
E2NW, SWNW, that part of C-9 lying in E2SW containing 27.79 acres,
W2SW, SESW.
1,611.56 Acres
\$2,418.00 Rental
Subject to F. S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1, No Surface Occupancy
Stipulation No. 2 and Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-004-12/07 ALES 55116 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.
T1N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 15, NE less 6 acres in a square in NW corner of NWNE, SENW, SW, N2SE, SESE;
Sec. 16, NWNE, E2NW, that part of Tract C-3 lying in NWNW containing 38.33 acres,
that part of Tract C-3 lying in SW containing 38.69 acres;
Sec. 18, NENE;
Sec. 21, E2W2, S2SE;
Sec. 22, NENE, that part of Tract C-3 lying in SENE containing 14.40 acres, that part
of Tract C-3 lying in S2NW containing 79.90 acres, that part of Tract C-3
lying in SW containing 147.65 acres, NWNW;
Sec. 23, N2NW.
1,470.17 Acres
\$2,206.50 Rental
Subject to F. S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1 and Notice to Lessee
No. 3 and 4

ES-005-12/07 ALES 55117 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.
T1N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 27, SENW, SW;
Sec. 28, E2NE;
Sec. 33, NENE;
Sec. 34, NW.
479.55 Acres
\$720.00 Rental
Subject to F. S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1 and Notice to Lessee
No. 3 and 4

ES-006-12/07 ALES 55118 ACQ

Alabama, Escambia County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R13E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 3, SENE, NW;

Sec. 8, N2NW, E2SE;

Sec. 9, SENE, S2;

Sec. 11, W2NE, SENE, N2NW, SWNW, NWSW, NWSE;

Sec. 13, S2NW, S2;

Sec. 14, S2S2;

Sec. 15, N2, SW, W2SE.

1,765.17 Acres

\$2,649.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-007-12/07 ALES 55119 ACQ

Alabama, Escambia County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R13E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 16, All;

Sec. 19, E2SW;

Sec. 20, W2NE, SENE, NW, SE;

Sec. 21, N2, SW, E2SE.

1,720.42 Acres

\$2,581.50 Rental

Subject to F.S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-008-12/07 ALES 55120 ACQ

Alabama, Escambia County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R13E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 22, NWNENE, S2NENE, W2NE, SENE, E2NW, S2;

Sec. 23, All;

Sec. 24, N2NE, SENE, W2, SE;

Sec. 25, All.

2,406.86 Acres

\$3,610.50 Rental

Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-009-12/07 ALES 55121 ACQ

Alabama, Escambia County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R13E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 26, All;

Sec. 27, All;

Sec. 28, All;

Sec. 29, SENW, SW.

2,120.33 Acres

\$3,181.50 Rental

Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-010-12/07 ALES 55122 ACQ

Alabama, Escambia County, Conecuh N.F.
T2N, R13E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 30, E2SE, E2E2W2SE;
Sec. 32, E2;
Sec. 33, All;
Sec. 34, N2NE, SWNE, NW, SW, NWSE, S2SE;
Sec. 35, N2NE, SWNE, E2NW, NWNW;
Sec. 36, N2, N2SW, SESW, SE.
2,456.62 Acres
\$2,458.50 Rental
Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-011-12/07 ALES 55123 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.
T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 2, SWNE, SWNW, S2;
Sec. 3, All;
Sec. 4, All;
Sec. 5, E2, NW, N2SW, E2SESW.
2,316.75 Acres
\$3,475.50 Rental
Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-012-12/07 ALES 55124 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.
T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 6, SE;
Sec. 7, SWNW, S2;
Sec. 8, NE, Pt. E2NW, SW, N2SE;
Sec. 9, All;
Sec. 10, N2N2, SENE, SWNW, W2SW, W2SESW.
1,948.96 Acres
\$2,923.50 Rental
Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-013-12/07 ALES 51125 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.
T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 11, All;
Sec. 12, NE, SWNW, W2SW, SESW, SWSE;
Sec. 13, All;
Sec. 14, E2NE, S2SW, SE.
1,968.96 Acres
\$2,953.50 Rental
Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-014-12/07 ALES 55126 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.
T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 15, NE, Pt. NW, S2;
Sec. 16, All;
Sec. 17, SENE, Pt. S2NW, S2;
Sec. 18, All.
2,201.11 Acres
\$3,303.00 Rental
Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-015-12/07 ALES 55127 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.
T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 19, All;
Sec. 20, All;
Sec. 21, All.
1,920.74 Acres
\$2,881.50 Rental
Subject to F. S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1 and Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-016-12/07 ALES 55128 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.
T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 22, NE, W2, W2SE less 4.03 acres lying in the NWSE;
Sec. 23, All;
Sec. 24, All;
Sec. 25, NENE, W2NE, W2, W2SE.
2,263.17 Acres
\$3,546.00 Rental
Subject to F. S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1 and Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-017-12/07 ALES 55129 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.
T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian
Sec. 26, All;
Sec. 27, E2, E2NW, E2W2NW, NWNWNW, E2NWSW, E2SW, SWSW;
Sec. 28, N2N2NE, N2NENW, W2NW, SWSE, SESE*,
All that part of the NE ¼ described as follows:
Beginning at the SW corner of the NE1/4, Sec. 28, thence
40 chains E to the quarter section corner common to sec 27 and 28,
thence 30 chains due N with section line to the NW
corner of SWSWNW, Sec 27 ; thence due W 9.81 chains
to a stake; thence S34 °W, 2.56 chains to a stake; on the NE
shore of the Blue Pond at water level; thence with the meanders

of the Blue Pond shore line as follows: N80 ° E, 1.89 chains;
S72 °E, 0.72 chains; S36 ° E, 0.76 chains; S19 °W, 1.24 chains;
S1 °E 2.00 chains; S5 °E, 2.00 chains; S3 °E, 1.18 chains; S12 °W,
2.00 chains; S5 ° W, 2.00 chains; S7 °E, 2.00 chains; S20 °W, 1.41
chains; S42 ° W, 1.79 chains; N89 °W, 2.00 chains; N86 ° W, 2.00
chains; N75 °W; 2.00 chains; N68 °W, 1.48 chains; S78 °W, 1.60
chains; S52 °W, 1.83 chains; S37 °W, 2.00 chains; S38 °W , 2.00;
S73 °W, 2.00 chains; N74 °W, 2.00 chains; N42 °W, 2.00 chains,
N40 °W, 2.00 chains; N42 °W, 2.00 chains
N38 °W, 2.00 chains; N46 °W, 1.77 chains;
N13 °W, 2.00 chains; N8 °W, 2.00 chains;
N14 ° W, 2.00 chains; N8 °W, 2.00 chains;
N10 °W, 0.89 chains; N32° 2.00 chains; N25 °W, 0.68 chains
To a stake on the W shore of Blue Pond at water level;
thence S65 °W, 2.06 chains to an 8 inch creosoted post
in the west line of the NE ¼ of Sec. 28; thence S with
the quarter section line 27.00 chains to the point of the
beginning, containing 76.97 acres, more or less.

*50% U. S. Minerals

1,510.78 Acres

\$2,266.50 Rental

Subject to F. S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1 and Notice to
Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-018-12/07 ALES 55130 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 29, N2, SW, NWSE;

Sec. 30, All;

Sec. 31, E2, N2NW.

1,563.25 Acres

\$2,346.00

Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-019-12/07 ALES 55131 PD

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 31, S2NW, N2SW;

Sec. 32, S2SW.

240.17 Acres

\$361.50 Rental

Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-020-12/07 ALES 55132 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 33, E2, NWNW, E2W2;

Sec. 34, All;

Sec. 35, All;

Sec. 36, W2NW, SENW, NESW less 4 acres in the SE1/4, E2SE.

2,038.41 Acres

\$3,058.50 Rental

Subject to F. S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1 and Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-021-12/07 ALES 55133 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R16E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 2, SWSW;

Sec. 3, N2NE, SENE, SESE;

Sec. 5, W2W2, SESW;

Sec. 6, E2, SW;

Sec. 7, N2NE, W2SE;

Sec. 8, NWSW, S2SW.

1,145.32 Acres

\$1,719.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-022-12/07 ALES 55134 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R16E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 13, All of the NW North of the Yellow River (125.85 ac);

Sec. 14, SWNE, Pt. NESE and Pt. S2SE North of the Yellow River (130.51 ac);

Sec. 15, SWSE;

Sec. 17, W2NW;

Sec. 18, W2NE, NW, E2SW, SE;

Sec. 19, N2 less 1 ac. in the NWNE, N2SW, SWSW, NWSE;

Sec. 20, NW, W2NE less 8.10 ac. quitclaimed to J.J. Kelly Described as:

Begin at the northeast corner of the NWNE of Sec. 20, T2N, R16E, an existing concrete monument. Thence S89° 57'00" W along the section line between Sections 17 and 20, 1312.33 feet to the quarter corner between Sections 17 and 20 an existing 2" iron pipe with brass cap.

Thence S01°55'19" W along existing fence

80.71 feet. Thence; S40°08'43"E along fence

20.85 feet. Thence; S44°45'00"E along fence

153.03 feet. Thence; S51°57'35"E along fence

180.29 feet. Thence; S60°11'18"E along fence

144.15 feet. Thence; N73°14'34"E along fence

79.90 feet. Thence; N75°03'35"E along fence

273.10 feet. Thence; N77°30'09"E along fence

342.67 feet. Thence; N82°20'55"W along fence
187.40 feet to the Point of Beginning, containing
8.10 acres, more or less.

1,569.04 Acres

\$2,355.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-023-12/07 ALES 55135 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R16E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 22, E2, E2SW, SWSW;

Sec. 23, That part of Tract C-3 lying in the NWNE North of River
containing 19.23 acres; W2SW;

Sec. 26, NWNW except 3.20 acres in SE corner;

Sec. 27, NENE, E2SW, S2SE;

Sec. 28, W2NE, SENE, W2NW, SENW, SW, NWSE.

1,219.16 Acres

\$1,830.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-024-12/07 ALES 55136 ACQ

Alabama, Covington County, Conecuh N.F.

T2N, R16E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 30, NENE, NWNE, less 4.04 acres, NENW;

Sec. 31, NENE, S2NE, S2SW, SE;

Sec. 32, NWNW, Pt. SWSE North of Yellow River, Pt. S2SW North
of Yellow River;

Sec. 33, W2NE, SENE, Pt. of NESE;

Sec. 34, N2 North of Yellow River.

980.01 Acres

\$1,497.50 Rental

Subject to F. S. Notice to Lessee No. 3 and 4

ES-025-12/07 ALES 55137 ACQ

Alabama, Bibb County, Talladega N.F.

T22N, R10E, St. Stephens Meridian

Sec. 22, NWSW.

39.87 Acres

\$60.00 Rental

50% U. S. Mineral Interest

Subject to F. S. Controlled Notice to Lessee No. 3

CONTROLLED SURFACE USE STIPULATION No. 1
National Forests in Alabama

Surface Occupancy or use is subject to the following special operating constraints.

On the lands described below: T1N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian

Section 3: NE
Section 14: S2NE, SW
Section 22: S2NE, E2E2SW
Section 23: W2NW
Section 34: E2E2NW

For the purpose of (reasons):

Concentrated Recreation Area assigned a Scenic Integrity Objective (SIO) of high. The area is managed to provide the public with fishing and other recreation opportunities in a visually appealing and environmentally healthy setting.

Based on the Revised Land and Resource Management Plan for the National Forests in Alabama (Forest Plan).

Any changes to this stipulation will be made in accordance with the land use plan and/or the regulatory provisions for such changes. (For guidance on the use of this stipulation, see BLM Manual 1624 and 3101 or FS Manual 1950 and 2820.)

All matters related to the Stipulation are to be addresses to the authorized representative of the Secretary of Agriculture:

Forest Supervisor
National Forests in Alabama
2946 Chestnut Street
Montgomery, Alabama 36107-3010

NO SURFACE OCCUPANCY STIPULATION No. 1
National Forests in Alabama

No surface Occupancy or use is allowed on the lands described below:

T1N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian

Section 1: NESW, W2

Section 12: W2

The lessee is authorized to employ directional drilling to exploit the mineral resources within the aforementioned area providing such drilling will not disturb the surface.

For the purpose of (reasons):

Bog Site Management

No Surface Occupancy Stipulation on areas eligible for Wild River designation

Controlled Surface Use Stipulation on the potential scenic areas

Meeting the management guidelines of the Land and Resource Management Plan for the National Forests in Alabama.

Any changes to this stipulation will be made in accordance with the land use plan and/or the regulatory provisions for such changes. (For guidance on the use of this stipulation, see BLM Manual 1624 and 3101 or FS Manual 1950 and 2820.)

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CONTROLLED SURFACE USE STIPULATION No. 1
National Forests in Alabama

Surface Occupancy or use is subject to the following special operating constraints.

On the lands described below: T2N, R15E, St. Stephens Meridian

Section 21: S2SE, SESW
Section 28: N2NE, NENW
Section 33: SE
Section 34: SW, W2SE
Section 23: SESE
Section 24: S2, SESENE
Section 26: E2
Section 35: E2E2
Section 36: W2W2

For the purpose of (reasons):

Federal minerals issued within Administrative Sites are issued with Controlled Surface Use Stipulation.

Concentrated Recreation Area assigned a Scenic Integrity Objective (SIO) of high. The area is managed to provide the public with fishing and other recreation opportunities in a visually appealing and environmentally healthy setting.

Rivers eligible as wild and scenic rivers may be authorized under a Controlled Surface Use Stipulation.

Based on the Revised Land and Resource Management Plan for the National Forests in Alabama (Forest Plan).

Any changes to this stipulation will be made in accordance with the land use plan and/or the regulatory provisions for such changes. (For guidance on the use of this stipulation, see BLM Manual 1624 and 3101 or FS Manual 1950 and 2820.)

All matters related to the Stipulation are to be addresses to the authorized representative of the Secretary of Agriculture:

Forest Supervisor
National Forests in Alabama
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Montgomery, Alabama 36107-3010

National Forests in Alabama

NOTICE TO LESSEE NO. 3

All or part of the leased lands may contain animal or plant species classified under the Endangered Species Act of 1973, as amended. Other species may have been identified as sensitive in accordance with Forest Service Manual 2670 and be listed on the current Regional Forester's List of Sensitive Plant and Animal Species. Further information concerning the classification of these species may be obtained from the authorized Forest Officer.

Exploration and development proposals may be limited or modifications required if activity is planned within the boundaries of a threatened, endangered or sensitive plant or animal species location as it then exists. All activities within these areas must be conducted in accordance with existing laws, regulations and the Forest Land and Resource Management Plan guidelines.

NOTICE TO LESSEE NO. 4

All or part of the leased lands may be classified as wetlands in accordance with Executive Order 11990, "Protection of "Wetlands" or a floodplain in accordance with Executive Order No. 11988, "Floodplain Management." Additional management requirement for the protection of riparian areas are contained in 36 CFR 219.27 (e) and the National Forest Management Act of 1976.

All activities within these areas may require special measure to mitigate adverse impacts to the resource values. They must comply with the above referenced executive orders, regulations, laws and be in accordance with the Forest Land and Resource Management Plan guidelines.

Further information concerning the classification and management of these lands may be obtained from the authorized Forest Officer.

**STIPULATION FOR LANDS OF THE NATIONAL FOREST SYSTEM UNDER
THE JURISDICTION OF THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE**

The lessee/permittee/lessee must comply with all the rules and regulations of the Secretary of the Agriculture set forth at Title 36, Chapter II, of the Code of Federal Regulations governing the use and management of the National Forest System (NFS) when not inconsistent with the rights granted by the Secretary of the Interior in the license/prospecting permit/lease. The Secretary of Agriculture's rules and regulations must be compiled with for all use and occupancy of the NFS prior to approval of a permit/operation plan by the Secretary of the Interior, (2) uses of all existing improvements, such as Forest development roads, within and outside the area licensed, permitted or leased by the Secretary of the Interior, and (3) use and occupancy of the NFS not authorized by a permit/operating plan approved by the Secretary of the Interior.

All matters related to this stipulation are to be addressed to:

Forest Supervisor, National Forests in Alabama
2946 Chestnut Street
Montgomery, Alabama 36107-3010
Phone Number: 334-241-8111

BLM Field Office
Jackson Field Office
411 Briarwood Drive, Suite 404
Jackson, Mississippi 39206

Surface Management Agency
USDA, Forest Service (Region 8)
Room 792 South, Lands and Minerals
Atlanta, Georgia 30367

ES-026-12/07 ALES 55138 PD

Alabama, Shelby County, Talladega N.F.

T18S, R1E, Huntsville Meridian

Sec. 32, SE.

154.30 Acres

\$232.50 Rental

Subject to BLM Controlled Surface Use Stipulations and Lease Notices

ES-027-12/07 ARES 55139 PD

Arkansas, White County, BLM
T9N, 7W, 5th Principal Meridian
Sec. 26, W2NW.

80.00 Acres

\$120.00 Rental

Subject to BLM Controlled Surface Use Stipulations (Nos. 1, 3 and 6) and Lease Notices

BLM CONTROLLED SURFACE USE STIPULATIONS

Description: T9N, R7W, 5th PM, White County, in the state of Arkansas

Lease Stipulation No. 1. This lease may be found to contain historic properties and/or resources protected under the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), American Indian Religious Freedom Act, Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, E.O. 13007, or other statutes and executive orders. The BLM will not approve any ground disturbing activities that may affect any such properties or resources until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the NHPA and other authorities. *These obligations may include a requirement that you provide a cultural resources survey conducted by a professional archaeologist.* The BLM may require modification to exploration or development proposals to protect such properties, or disapprove any activity that is likely to result in adverse effects that cannot be successfully avoided, minimized or mitigated.

Modification: None

Waiver: This stipulation may be waived by the Authorized Officer if it is documented that a cultural resources survey, which meets professional standards, has been conducted and significant sites, including sites of concern to Native Americans, will not be impacted by development of this lease, or if it is documented that a cultural resources survey is not otherwise required.

Exemptions: An exemption may be granted for a specific development proposal if it is documented that a cultural resources survey, which meets professional standards, has been conducted on the area of proposed development and significant sites, including sites of concern to Native Americans, will not be impacted by development of this lease, or if it is documented that a cultural resources survey is not otherwise required.

Lease Stipulation 3. To protect wildlife and watershed values, no construction activities will be permitted within 250' of a perennial or intermittent creek or stream.

Exception: An exception may be granted if the operator agrees to implement measures developed in consultation with USFWS and in coordination with state agencies.

Modification: In areas where the slope is less than 10% the buffer may be reduced to 100 feet if the adjacent waterway has been surveyed from 100 yards upstream to 300 yards downstream of the site, and results document the lack of suitable/occupied habitat for special status species within the mixing zone downstream of the project, as determined to by BLM and USFWS.

Modification: The buffer may be extended if the intervening slope exceeds 10%.

Waiver: None

Lease Stipulation 6. The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modifications to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposed or listed threatened or endangered species or result in the destruction or adverse modification of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect any such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act as amended, 16 U.S.C. 1531 *et seq.*, including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.

Modification: None

Exception: None

Waiver: None

BLM Lease Notices

1. Should the oil or gas be developed at this site, all open vent stack equipment, such as heater-treaters, separators, and dehydrator units, will be designed and constructed to prevent birds and bats from entering or nesting in or on such units, and to the extent practical, to discourage birds from perching on the stacks. Installing cone-shaped mesh covers on all open vents is one suggested method. Flat mesh covers are not expected to discourage perching and will not be acceptable.
2. To discourage the spread of invasive, non-native plants, the operator will be encouraged to use native and/or noninvasive cover plants in seeding mixtures to stabilize disturbed areas and during restoration activities. Final seed mixtures will be formulated in consultation with the private land owner.

ES-028-12/07 LAES 55140 PD

Louisiana, Vermillion Parish, BLM

T12S, R1E, Louisiana Meridian

Sec. 28, Lot 6.

135.80 Acres

\$204.00 Rental

Subject to BLM Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1, Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 2, Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 3, and BLM Lease Notices

Controlled Surface Use Stipulations

Description: T12S, R1E, Vermillion Parish, LA

1. This lease may be found to contain historic properties and/or resources protected under the National Historic Preservation Act (NHPA), American Indian Religious Freedom Act, Native American Graves Protection and Repatriation Act, E.O. 13007, or other statutes and executive orders. The BLM will not approve any ground disturbing activities that may affect any such properties or resources until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the NHPA and other authorities. *These obligations may include a requirement that you provide a cultural resources survey conducted by a professional archaeologist.* The BLM may require modification to exploration or development proposals to protect such properties, or disapprove any activity that is likely to result in adverse effects that cannot be successfully avoided, minimized or mitigated.

Modification: None

Waiver: This stipulation may be waived by the Authorized Officer if it is documented that a cultural resources survey, which meets professional standards, has been conducted and significant sites, including sites of concern to Native Americans, will not be impacted by development of this lease, or if it is documented that a cultural resources survey is not otherwise required.

Exemptions: An exemption may be granted for a specific development proposal if it is documented that a cultural resources survey, which meets professional standards, has been conducted on the area of proposed development and significant sites, including sites of concern to Native Americans, will not be impacted by development of this lease, or if it is documented that a cultural resources survey is not otherwise required.

2. The lease area may now or hereafter contain plants, animals, or their habitats determined to be threatened, endangered, or other special status species. BLM may recommend modifications to exploration and development proposals to further its conservation and management objective to avoid BLM-approved activity that will contribute to a need to list such a species or their habitat. BLM may require modifications to or disapprove proposed activity that is likely to result in jeopardy to the continued existence of a proposed or listed threatened or endangered species or

result in the destruction or adverse modification of a designated or proposed critical habitat. BLM will not approve any ground-disturbing activity that may affect any such species or critical habitat until it completes its obligations under applicable requirements of the Endangered Species Act as amended, 16 U.S.C. 1531 et seq., including completion of any required procedure for conference or consultation.

Modification: None

Exception: None

Waiver: None

3. **Lease Stipulation:** To protect wildlife and watershed values, no construction activities will be permitted within 250' of a perennial or intermittent creek or stream.

Exception: An exception may be granted if the operator agrees to implement measures developed in consultation with USFWS and in coordination with NRCS (for Wetlands Reserve Program lands), and state agencies, and COE approval for jurisdictional wetlands.

Modification: In areas where the slope is less than 10% the buffer may be reduced to 100 feet if the adjacent waterway has been surveyed from 100 yards upstream to 300 yards downstream of the site, and results document the lack of suitable/occupied habitat for special status species within the mixing zone downstream of the project, as determined to by BLM and USFWS.

Modification: The buffer may be extended if the intervening slope exceeds 10%.

Waiver: None

BLM Lease Notices

1. Should the oil or gas be developed at this site, all open vent stack equipment, such as heater-treaters, separators, and dehydrator units, will be designed and constructed to prevent birds and bats from entering or nesting in or on such units, and to the extent practical, to discourage birds from perching on the stacks. Installing cone-shaped mesh covers on all open vents is one suggested method. Flat mesh covers are not expected to discourage perching and will not be acceptable.
2. To reduce the potential to spread invasive, non-native plants, the operator will be encouraged to use native and/or noninvasive cover plants in seeding mixtures to stabilize disturbed areas and during restoration activities. Final seed mixtures will be formulated in consultation with the private land owner or surface managing agency.
3. To protect perch and roosting sites and terrestrial habitats for and to avoid potential impacts to migratory birds and federally listed wildlife:

Any reserve pit not closed within 10 days after a well is completed and which contains water must be netted, covered with floating balls, or use other methods to exclude migratory birds.

Maximum design speed on all operator-constructed and maintained (non-public) roads shall not exceed 25 miles per hour to minimize the chance of a collision with migratory birds or other listed wildlife species.

All power lines would be built to protect raptors and other migratory birds, including bald eagles, from accidental electrocution using methods detailed by the Avian Power Line Interaction Committee (1996).

ES-029-12/07 MIES 55141 ACQ

Michigan, Muskegon County, Manistee N.F.

T12N, R15W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 4, SENW, W2NW exc. NENWNW;

Sec. 5, W2NE, Pt. NW, SW, NWSE, SWSE;

Sec. 6, W2NE*, SENE, SENW, SE.

897.36 Acres

\$1,347.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1, 2, 3 and 6

Lease Stipulations 1 and 2

Lease Stipulation 1 applies to Sec. 4, W3/4SENW, NESENWNW, Sec. 5, NWNWNE,
Sec. 6, W2SWNE, E2E2E2SENE

*50% Federal mineral ownership in this tract

ES-030-12/07 MIES 55142 ACQ

Michigan, Muskegon County, Manistee N.F.

T12N, R15W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 7, NWNE, S2NE, NW, NESW, NWSW, SWSW, W4SESW, N2SE;

Sec. 8, E 60 ac. N2NW, S2NW, NESW, NWSW, E2SE, Pt. W2SE.

863.77 Acres

\$1,296.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1, 2, 3 and 6

ES-031-12/07 MIES 55143 ACQ

Michigan, Muskegon County, Manistee N.F.

T12N, R15W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 15, SWNW, NWSW;

Sec. 16, S2NW, SWNE, N2NWSE, E2SWSE, E2E2E2NENE, N2N2N2SENE,
N2N2S2SENE, W2W2NENE, E2E2E2NWNE, W2NWNENE*, W2SW, W. 10 ac
of E 25 ac. of NENE, E 10 ac. of W 20 ac. of SESE, S 5 ac. of NESE, NESW, S
5 ac. of N 15 ac. of NESE, E2W4SESE, W4SESW, E2W2SWSE;

Sec. 20, Govt. Lot 2, E2NE, SENW, NWSE;

Sec. 21, N2NE*, S2NW, NWSW.

863.77 Acres

\$1,296.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices, 1, 2, 3 and 6

Lease Stipulations 1 and 2

Lease Stipulation 1 applies to Sec. 20, NENENW, Sec. 21, SWSENW, E2SESWNW,
SENESENW, SWNWSENW

Lease Stipulation 2 applies to Sec. 15, E2NENWSW, Sec. 16, W2NWSWSW, Sec. 21,
NWNWSW, W2NESWNW, SENWSWNW

*50% Federal mineral ownership in these tracts

ES-032-12/07 MIES 55144 ACQ

Michigan, Muskegon County, Manistee N.F.

T12N, R15W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 29, Govt. Lot 3, S2S2NW;

Sec. 32, Pt. NESW, SWSE; that part of SESW, NWSE, W2NE lying S of Hwy M-20, SESE, NESE;

Sec. 33, E2SW, SWSW, NWSW, NWSE*;

Sec. 34, W3NW, W3N2SW, E3NW, E3N2SW, SESW, W2SE, S2SESE.

807.42 Acres

\$1,212.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Standard Lease Stipulation

Lease Notices 1, 2, 3 and 6

Lease Stipulations 1 and 2

Lease Stipulation 1 applies to Sec. 29 within 300 feet of Unger Lake, Sec. 32 within 300 feet of West Branch Cedar Creek

Lease Stipulation 2 applies to Sec. 32, N2NENESE, SENENESE, SWNWNENESE, NWSWNESE, E2E2SENESE

*50% Federal mineral ownership in this tract

ES-033-12/07 MIES 55145 ACQ

Michigan, Muskegon County, Manistee N.F.

T12N, R15W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 17, SWNW, North 30 ac. of NWSW;

Sec. 18, N2NE, S2NE, E2W2SE, N 30 ac. of NESE;

Sec. 19, NENE, S2NE, N2NW Frac. Quarter, S2NW, W2SE, SESE;

T12N, R16W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 13, NENE;

Sec. 24, Lot 3.

788.94 Acres

\$1,183.50 Rental

Subject to F. S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1, 2, 3 and 6

Lease Stipulations 1 and 2

Lease Stipulation 1 applies to T12N, R15W, Sec. 19, SWSENE, NESENE, S2NWSWNE, N2SWSWNE, S2NESENW, N2SESENW, W2W2SWNW

Lease Stipulation 2 applies to T12N, R15W, Sec. 19, E2E2SWNE, NWSENE, S2SWNENE, W2SENESE, W2NWNWSE, E2NWSWSE, W2NESWSE, N2N2SESE, SESESESE, NESWSESE

ES-034-12/07 MIES 55146 ACQ

Michigan, Muskegon County, Manistee N.F.

T12N, R15W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 30, NENE, NWNE, S2NE, NW;

T12N, R16W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 25, NENE, S2NE, NWSE, N32.71 ac. Govt. Lot 1, Pt. Govt. Lot 1;

Sec. 36, E2NENW, N2N2SWNW, S. 30 ac. of SWNW, SENW.

644.75 Acres

\$867.50 Rental

Subject to F. S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1, 2, 3 and 6

Lease Stipulations 1 and 2

Lease Stipulation 1 applies to T12N, R15W, Sec. 30, SWNE, SWNWNE, SWSENE, E2NESENE, SENENW, T12N, R16W, Sec. 25., S2NESESE, SWSESE, SENWSESE, Sec. 36, W2SENE

Lease Stipulation 2 applies to T12N, R15W, Sec. 30, SENENW, SWNESENE, NWSESENE, N2SWSENE, S2NENENE, T12N, R16W, Sec. 25, SWSWNWSE, Sec. 36, E2SENE, E2NESENE

ES-035-12/07 MIES 55147 ACQ

Michigan, Muskegon County, Manistee N.F.

T12N, R16W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 4, N3/4W2SESW, W2NESW, SWSW;

Sec. 5, Pt. S2SW, Pt. SE;

Sec. 7, SWNE, SWNE, SESW;

Sec. 8, N2N2, E3/4SENE.

545.93 Acres

\$819.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Stipulation 13 applies to all lands within this parcel.

ES-036-12/07 MIES 55148 ACQ

Michigan, Muskegon County, Manistee N.F.

T12N, R16W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 18, E2E2SWNE, W2SWNE, S2NW, E4NWSW, W5/8NWSW, SWSW, W2E2SWSE;

Sec. 19, NE, N2SW, N2SE, SESE;

Sec. 20, NWSW.

595.22 Acres

\$894.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1, 2, 3 and 6

Lease Stipulation 1

Lease Stipulation 1 applies to Sec. 18, E2SWSW and Sec. 19, SWSWNWSW.

ES-037-12/07 MIES 55149 ACQ

Michigan, Muskegon County, Manistee N.F.

T12N, R16W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 23, W2SW;

Sec. 26, N2, SW, SE;

Sec. 27, W2SWSW, E2SE;

Sec. 28, S2NE, N2SE;

Sec. 35, SENE, SWNESE, W2E2W2SESE, North Lake Resort exc. Lot 37
of block 15 and Lot 38 of block 14.

1,098.02 Acres

\$1,648.50 Rental

Subject to F. S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1, 2, 3 and 6

Lease Stipulations 1 and 2

Lease Stipulation 1 applies to Sec. 26, SESENW, NENESW, NWNWSE, SWSWNE,
W2NWNW, N2NWNE, NWSENE, W2SESENE, E2SWSENE, E2NESE; Sec. 28,
SWSWNE, N2NWNWSE

Lease Stipulation 2 applies to Sec. 26, S2SWSENE, E2SESE, S2SWNWNE,
N2NWSWNE

ES-038-12/07 MIES 55150 PD *MIES 51669

Michigan, Manistee County, Manistee N.F.

T22N, R13W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 28, Lot 8;

Sec. 29, SWSE.

107.62 Acres

\$162.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1, 2, 3 and 5 apply to all parcels.

Lease Stipulations 10 and 11

Lease Stipulation 11 applies to Sec. 29, N2NESWSE, NENWSWSE.

ES-039-12/07 MIES 55151 ACQ *MIES 51667

Michigan, Manistee County, Manistee N.F.

T22N, R13W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 3, N2NE, SENE;

Sec. 5, SENW, NESW, S2SW, SE;

Sec. 6, NENE, S2SW, S2SE;

Sec. 7, N2NE, SWNE, NW, E2SW;

Sec. 8, N2NE, NW, SW, W2SE, SESE;

Sec. 9, SWSE, SESE;

Sec. 10, S2SESW.

1,627.63 Acres

\$2,442.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1 thru 5

Lease Stipulations 5, 6, 7, 10 and 11

Lease Notice 4 applies to parcels in Sec. 5, Sec. 6, Sec. 7, E3/4; Sec. 8, W2.

Lease Notice 5 applies to parcels in Sec. 5, Sec. 6, Sec. 7, E3/4; Sec. 8, Sec. 9, SWSE.

Lease Stipulations 5, 6 and 7 apply to parcels in Sec. 3, Sec., 9, SESE; and Sec. 10.

Lease Stipulation 10 applies to parcels in Sec. 5, S2; Sec. 6, Sec. 7, Sec. 8, Sec. 9, and Sec. 10

Lease Stipulation 11 applies to Sec. 3, N2N2NE; and Sec. 10, SESESW.

Lease Stipulation 12 applies to parcels in Sec. 3.

ES-040-12/07 MIES 55152 ACQ *MIES 51668

Michigan, Manistee County, Manistee N.F.

T22N, R13W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 15, S2NWNW, NENW, SWSW;

Sec. 16, S2NENE, Pt. NENW, N2SW, SWSE;

Sec. 17, NENE;

Sec. 19, SWNW, NESW (Lot 3), NWSW, SESW, SWSE;

Sec. 20, SWSW (Lot 4);

Sec. 21, Lot 3, Lot 6 (S2SW), SWNE, N2SE;

Sec. 29, NENE, W2NE, N2NW, SENW;

Sec. 30, NWNE.

1,073.17 Acres

\$1,611.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1, 2, 3 and 5

Least Stipulations 1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 10 and 11

Lease Stipulation 1 applies to parcels in Sec. 29, NWNENW.

Lease Stipulation 3 applies to Sec. 15, SWSW.

Lease Stipulations 5, 6 and 7 apply to Sec. 15, NENW, S2NWNW.

Lease Stipulation 10 applies to all parcels.

Lease Stipulation 11 applies to Sec. 15, E2E2SWSW, E2E2NENW, Sec. 21, SENENE, SENENENE, E2E2SWNENE; Sec. 29, S2SWSENW; Sec. 30, S2N2NWNE, N2S2NWNE.

ES-041-12/07 MIES 55153 ACQ *MIES 51672

Michigan, Manistee County, Manistee N.F.

T23N, R13W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 13, NW, SW, N2SE, SWSE;

Sec. 14, E2NE, SWNE;

Sec. 24, W2NE, NENW, NWSE;

Sec. 25, Pt. N2NWNW;

Sec. 26, NWNW, SWNW, NWSE;

Sec. 31, SESE;

Sec. 32, NE, N2SW, SWSE;

Sec. 33, NESE, W2NW;

Sec. 34, W2SE, NENE, NESE, SESW, SWSW;

Sec. 35, SWSW.
1,578.25 Acres
\$2,368.50 Rental
Subject to F.S. Standard Lease Stipulations
Lease Notices 1 thru 5
Lease Stipulations 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 11 and 12

Lease Notices 4 and 5 apply to parcels in Sections 31, 32, 33 and 34.
Lease Stipulation 1 applies to Sec. 26, NWNWNW, SENWNW, SWNENWNW,
NESWNWNW.
Lease Stipulation 3 applies to Sec. 25, Pt. N2NWNW; Sec. 35, Pt. SWSW, east of North
Country National Scenic Trail.
Lease Stipulation 5, 6 and 7 apply to parcels in Sec. 25, 26, and 35.
Lease Stipulation 11 applies to Sec. 13, E2NENW, E2NWNWSE, W2NENWSE,
W2SWSE, W3/4NWSE; Sec. 24, W2NWNWNE, E2NENW, SESWNENW; Sec. 26,
E2NWSE; Sec. 25, Pt. SWSW, west of North Country National Scenic Trail.
Lease Stipulation 12 applies to Sec. 34, NESE, SWSE, S2NWSE.

ES-042-12/07 MIES 55154 ACQ *MIES 51665

Michigan, Manistee County, Manistee N.F.
T22N, R14W, Michigan Meridian
Sec. 1, SWSW, S2NWSE;
Sec. 2, N2SESE;
Sec. 3, Pt. NWNE, SWNE, Pt. SENE, NENW, Pt. S2SW;
Sec. 10, E2NW;
Sec. 11, E2SW, W2SW;
Sec. 12, NENENW, NWSW, N2NESE;
Sec. 16, E2SWSE;
Sec. 20, SENE, SWSW, SWSE;
Sec. 21, W2NWNE, SWSE, Pt. SWNW;
Sec. 22, N2NWNW, NENW, S2NWNW, NWNE, N2SWNE, SENE,
S1/3SWNE, N1/3NWSE, S2/3NWSE, SWSW;
Sec. 24, N2NE, SENE, NENW, E2E2SWSE, SESW;
Sec. 27, N2NW;
Sec. 28, Pt. NWSE;
Sec. 29, W2NE, S2NW, NWNW;
Sec. 30, Pt. NWNE (exc N2NENWNE), E2NE, SESE.
1,813.97 Acres
\$2,721.00 Rental
Subject to F.S. Standard Lease Stipulations
Lease Notices 1 thru 5
Lease Stipulations 1, 2, 3, 10 and 11

Lease Notice 4 applies to parcels in Sections 20, 21, 28, 29, Sec. 30, E2NE, Pt. NWNE.
Lease Notice 5 applies to parcels in Sec. 24.
Lease Stipulation 1 applies to Sec. 10, W2SEENW, W2SESEENW; Sec. 11, S2N2SW,
N2N2SW, N2NWSESW.

Lease Stipulation 2 applies to Sec. 10, W2SENW, W2SESENW; Sec. 21, N2SWSE, W2SWSWSE, and SE corner of Pt. SWNW; Sec. 22, SENWNWNE, NESWNWNE; Sec. 30, N2SESE.

Lease Stipulation 3 applies to Sec. 28, N2NWSE, SENWSE.

Lease Stipulation 10 applies to parcels in Sec. 1, Sec. 2, Sec. 10, SENW; Sec. 11, Sec. 12, Sec. 16, Sec. 20, SENE, SWSE; Sec. 21, Sec. 22, Sec. 24, Sec. 27, Sec. 28 and Sec. 29.

Lease Stipulation 11 applies to Sec. 28, SWNWSE.

ES-043-12/07 MIES 55155 ACQ *MIES 51666

Michigan, Manistee County, Manistee N.F.

T22N, R14W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 1, *SWSE.

40.00 Acres

\$60.00 Rental

*25% U. S. Mineral Interest

Subject to F.S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Notices 1, 2 and 3

ES-044-12/07 MIES 55156 ACQ *MIES 51664

Michigan, Manistee County, Manistee N.F.

T22N, R15W, Michigan Meridian

Sec. 20, Lot 3 N of Indian Line;

Sec. 21, Pt. of Lot 4 lying Norht of Hwy and West of Chief Creek.

47.29 Acres

\$72.00 Rental

Subject to F. S. Standard Lease Stipulations

Lease Stipulation 8

Huron-Manistee National Forest
Standard Lease Stipulations

The lessee is notified and agrees:

All work and any operations authorized under this permit shall be done according to an approved operating plan on file with the Huron-Manistee National Forest at the appropriate District Ranger Office and/or Supervisor's Office at 1755 S. Mitchell St., Cadillac, MI 49601. Plans generally require a minimum of 45 days for Forest Service review (see Lease Notice No. 5). Bureau of Land Management must also review and also approve.

Operating plan will contain information the Forest Officer determines reasonable for assessment of (1) public safety, (2) environmental damage, and (3) protection for surface resources. Content of such plans will vary according to location and type of activity and may contain:

1. Steps taken to provide public safety.
2. Location and extent of areas to be occupied during operations.
3. Operation methods including size and type of equipment.
4. Capacity, character, standards of construction and size of all structures and facilities to be built.
5. Location and size of areas where vegetation will be destroyed or soil lay bare.
6. Steps taken to prevent and control soil erosion.
7. Steps taken to prevent water pollution.
8. Character, amount, and time of use of explosives or fire, including safety precautions during their use.
9. Program proposed for rehabilitation and revegetation of disturbed land.

Copies of all permits obtained from State or Federal agencies pertaining to work might be required. Archeological studies, if required, will accompany plan.

The Forest Supervisor or his/her designated agent has authority to temporarily suspend or modify operations in whole or in part due to emergency forest conditions such as high fire danger or other unsafe situations.

The lessee must keep the District Ranger informed about progress of operations to the extent reasonably necessary for assuring public safety. This is especially important with geophysical inventory and testing activities because of their mobile nature. The District Ranger will alert the lessee to circumstances, which may affect safe and efficient conduct of work activities.

Terms of this lease are considered violated if not done according to these stipulations.

See also Special Stipulations and Notifications

Huron - Manistee National Forests

Lease Notices

Lease Notice No. 1 - Operations under this lease will be consistent with the Standards and Guidelines found in the Huron-Manistee National Forests Land and Resource Management Plan and hereby incorporated into this lease in their entirety.

Lease Notice No. 2 - Surface disturbance will be limited to that necessary for reasonable, safe and prudent extraction of oil and gas. Measures will be implemented to minimize erosion and sedimentation. Road and stream crossings will be planned to eliminate stream crossings whenever practical.

Lease Notice No. 3 - Processing of proposed surface use plans of operation on National Forest System lands includes site-specific analysis to determine effects to threatened, endangered, or sensitive species. This analysis may require surveys for certain plants and/or animals. Depending upon the species of concern, it may be necessary to survey through spring, summer and fall. The extent of required surveys could delay permit issuance. Operators are encouraged to submit proposals as soon as possible to facilitate the scheduling of necessary survey work.

Lease Notice No. 4 - All or portions of this lease parcel is located in management Area 4.2, Roded Natural Sandy Plains and Hills (Huron-Manistee National Forests Land and Resource Management Plan). A reclamation plan for all wells, pipelines, production facilities and access routes must be submitted to the Forest Line Officer in charge for approval. Disturbed areas will be restored after completion of drilling and/or production operations. Permanent vegetative cover will consist of a mixture of native warm season grasses. These will be scheduled for establishment just prior to the next growing season, generally late April, May or early June.

Lease Notice No. 5 - Lands included in this lease parcel are being managed as a wildlife emphasis area and occupancy is subject to more restrictive controls than routine areas.

Lease Notice No. 6 - Portions of this lease parcel have had occurrences of certain threatened, endangered, or sensitive species. At the time a drilling permit application or other request for surface use is filed, a site-specific review will be done to determine potential effects to these species. Depending upon the findings of the site-specific review, additional operating constraints, such as seasonal restrictions or re-location of the proposed wellsite, may be necessary to mitigate the effects to threatened, endangered, or sensitive species.

Huron-Manistee National Forests

Lease Stipulations

Lease Stipulation No. 1 - No surface occupancy is permitted on this parcel within 300 feet, measured at a perpendicular, from the normal high water mark of any river, stream, or lake. If site specific examination determines that rivers, streams or lakes do not exist on the lease parcel, this stipulation may be waived.

Lease Stipulation No. 2 - No surface occupancy is permitted on this parcel due to the presence of wetlands. If site-specific examination determines that wetlands do not exist on the lease parcel, this stipulation may be waived.

Lease Stipulation No. 3 - All or portions of this lease parcel are located in an area managed as Old Growth. In accordance with the Huron-Manistee National Forests' Forest Plan, no surface occupancy is permitted on this parcel due to the lack of existing reasonable access.

Lease Stipulation No. 4 - All or portions of this lease parcel are located in an area managed as Old Growth. Surface disturbing activities will take place outside of old growth where there are reasonable alternative locations. Due to the presence of existing reasonable access via roads/trails, surface occupancy is permitted, however, is limited to existing roads and trails.

Lease Stipulation No. 5 - All or portions of this lease parcel are located in an area managed as a semi-primitive nonmotorized area. Production facilities will be located outside the area when practical and needed pumps will be run by electric motors or equipped to minimize noise.

Lease Stipulation No. 6 - This parcel is located in an area managed as a semi-primitive nonmotorized area. The Huron-Manistee National Forests' Forest Plan limits surface location density in these areas. The maximum surface development density in this area is 1 surface location per 640 acres.

Lease Stipulation No. 7 - This parcel is located in an area managed as a semi-primitive nonmotorized area. Roads must use existing transportation corridors when compatible, feasible and practical.

Lease Stipulation No. 8 - This parcel is located within a Wild and Scenic River Corridor. No surface occupancy for oil and gas development will be permitted within this corridor.

Lease Stipulation No. 9 - All or portions of this lease parcel are located in potential Indiana bat habitat. Surface disturbing activities that involve tree removal will be prohibited between May 1 and August 31 if suitable Indiana bat habitat is found to be present. This stipulation may be waived if site-specific review of the proposal determines that suitable habitat is not present.

Lease Stipulation No. 10 - All or portions of this lease parcel are located within a 5-mile radius of Tippy Dam (Indiana bat hibernaculum). No surface occupancy will be permitted on all or portions of this lease for surface disturbing activities associated with site construction and/or oil and gas drilling between May 1, and October 20. This stipulation may be waived based on site-specific review of the proposal and identification of potential effects on the Indiana bat.

Lease Stipulation No. 11 - The North Country National Scenic Trail runs through all or portions of this lease parcel. No surface occupancy will be permitted for areas within 300 feet, measured at a perpendicular, from each side of the Trail. If site-specific examination determines that the North Country National Scenic Trail is not located on the lease parcel, this stipulation may be waived.

Lease Stipulation No. 12 - All or portions of this lease are located in an area of steep, fragile slopes. No surface occupancy is permitted on identified areas. This stipulation may be waived based on site-specific review of proposed location and soil types.

Lease Stipulation No. 13 - This parcel is located within the corridor of a Study Wild and Scenic River. No surface occupancy for oil and gas development will be permitted within this corridor.

ES-045-12/07 VAES 55157 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-84i-I
95.00 Acres
\$142.50 Rental

ES-046-12/07 VAES 55158 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-84i
532.00 Acres
\$798.00 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-047-12/07 VAES 55159 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-212c
455.00 Acres
682.50 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1, No Surface Occupancy
Stipulation No. 1

ES-048-12/07 VAES 55160 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-212m
260.00 Acres
\$390.00 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-049-12/07 VAES 55161 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-212L
348.00 Acres
\$522.00 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-050-12/07 VAES 55162 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-212k
415.00 Acres
\$622.50 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-051-12/07 VAES 55163 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-212i
Tract S-212h
248.00 Acres
\$372.00 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-052-12/07 VAES 55164 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-212d
661.00 Acres
\$991.50 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-053-12/07 VAES 55165 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-209
334.00 Acres
\$501.00 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1, No Surface Occupancy
Stipulation No. 1

ES-054-12/07 VAES 55166 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-1256
185.00 Acres
\$277.50 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-055-12/07 VAES 55167 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-1241
82.00 Acres
\$123.00 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-056-12/07 VAES 55168 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.
Tract S-1238
400.00 Acres
\$600.00 Rental
Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-057-12/07 VAES 55169 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.

Tract S-1228

578.00 Acres

\$867.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-058-12/07 VAES 55170 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.

Tract S-1224

79.00 Acres

\$1,185.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-059-12/07 VAES 55171 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.

Tract O-458

250.30 Acres

\$376.50 Rental

Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-060-12/07 VAES 55172 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.

Tract O-397a-I

2,439.50 Acres

\$3,660.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-061-12/07 VAES 55173 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.

Tract O-361-V

699.80 Acres

\$1,050.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-062-12/07 VAES 55174 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.

Tract O-361-III

1,412.20 Acres

\$2,119.50 Rental

Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-063-12/07 VAES 55175 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.

Tract G-1489

185.32 Acres

\$279.00 Rental

Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-064-12/07 VAES 55176 ACQ

Virginia, Highland County, George Washington N.F.

Tract G-1236

Tract G-1237

Tract G-1239

439.00 Acres

\$658.50 Rental

Subject to F.S. Controlled Surface Use Stipulation No. 1

ES-065-12/07 WVES 55177 ACQ

West Virginia, Pendleton County, George Washington N.F.

Tract S-212j

52.00 Acres

\$78.00 Rental

ES-066-12/07 WVES 55178 ACQ

West Virginia, Pendleton County, George Washington N.F.

Tract S-84i-III

93.00 Acres

\$139.50 Rental

George Washington National Forest (VA)

CONTROLLED SURFACE USE STIPULATION No. 1

Surface occupancy or use is subject to the following special operating constraints. The siting, design, and construction of access roads, well pads, pipelines and other facilities will be controlled and restricted by the Surface Management Agency, USDA-Forest Service. Siting of these facilities may not be permitted in portions of the lease area. Any such restricted areas would be identified based on environmental analysis and NEPA compliance and consistency with the Revised Forest Plan in response to a site-specific Application for Permit to Drill.

On the lands described below: All tracts in Highland County, Virginia.

TRACT_NO	Acres	MGMT_RX
O-361-III	1,412.20	14C
S-84i	12.00	15A
O-397a-l	2,439.50	14C
O-361-V	699.80	14C
S-212h	226.00	15A
S-212i	22.00	15A
S-1228	578.00	15A
S-212m	260.00	15A
S-212k	415.00	15A
G-1239	140.00	15A
S-212L	348.00	15A
S-212d	661.00	15A
S-1238	400.00	15A
G-1237	222.00	15A
G-1489	185.32	15A
G-1236	77.00	15A
S-1256	185.00	15A
S-1241	82.00	15A
O-458	250.30	14A,14C
S-1224	79.00	7C,15A
S-209	249.00	15A,7C
S-212c	444.00	15A

For the purpose of (reasons):

Compliance with Revised Forest Plan Management Prescription(s) (MGMT_RX) as listed in the chart above.

Based on the Revised Land and Resource Management Plan for the George Washington National Forest (Forest Plan). Any changes to this stipulation will be made in accordance with the land use plan and/or the regulatory provisions for such changes.

George Washington National Forest (VA)

NO SURFACE OCCUPANCY STIPULATION No. 1

No surface occupancy or use is allowed on the lands described below:

Tracts in Highland County, Virginia.

TRACT_NO	Acres with NSO	MGMT_RX
S-209	85.00	4A
S-212c	11.00	4A

For the purpose of:

Compliance with Revised Forest Plan management prescription(s) (MGMT_RX) as listed in the chart above.

Based on the Revised Land and Resource Management Plan for the George Washington National Forest (Forest Plan).

Any changes to this stipulation will be made in accordance with the land use plan and/or the regulatory provisions for such changes.