

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
(LETTERHEAD - ADDRESS)

3104 (Office Code)

BLM Bond No

REGISTERED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

DECISION

Obligor:

Oil and Gas Bond

Financial Institution:

Replacement Bond Security Required

Effective (Date), this office accepted \$ Irrevocable Letter of Credit No. to secure a personal (lease, statewide, nationwide, etc.) oil and gas bond filed by the above obligor. The acceptance decision stated: "The letter of credit will continue indefinitely in the absence of notice from the financial institution of its determination not to renew the letter. Such a notice must be received by this office at least 90 days prior to the original expiration date of (Date)."

On (Date), we received timely notification from the financial institution named above that it will not renew Letter of Credit No. .

Therefore, you are hereby requested to provide a replacement security in the amount of \$ at least 30 days prior to the letter of credit's original expiration date of (Date), that is, no later than (Date).

In accordance with regulations at 43 CFR 3104.1(5)(ii), if a replacement security is not received in this office on or before (Date), this office will demand that the financial institution named above pay the full amount of Letter of Credit No. to insure continuing coverage of the obligor named above. Such funds will be retained in our suspense account, with no interest accruing to the obligor, until the bond coverage is no longer required or until the obligor furnishes another replacement security.

If there are any questions prior to providing this replacement security, please contact (Name of State Office contact person) at the address shown on the letterhead above, or call (Commercial telephone number).

Authorized Officer

Distribution:

Obligor
Financial Institution
Lease Case File (if individual bond)