

OCS-G36408

Current Status RELINQ Central Gulf of Mexico Sale# 251 Sale Date AUG 15, 2018

Bonus Bid	Initial Acreage	Current Acreage	Per Acre Amt.	Royalty Rate	Rental
603014.000	5760.000000	5760.000000	104.69	18.75	16.00

Original Lessee(s):

BP Exploration & Production Inc. 100.00000 %

Description:

All of Block 979, Mississippi Canyon, OCS Official Protraction Diagram, NH16-10

- 01-DEC-2018 Date of lease: 12/01/2018. Expected expiration date: 11/30/2025.
- 01-DEC-2018 BP Exploration & Production Inc. designates BP Exploration & Production Inc. as operator. ALL OF BLOCK 979, Mississippi Canyon.
- 16-MAY-2022 Record title interest is now held as follows, effective 04/01/2022:
  - Shell Offshore Inc. 60.00000 %
  - BP Exploration & Production Inc. 40.00000 %
- 16-MAY-2022 BP Exploration & Production Inc. designates Shell Offshore Inc. as operator. ALL OF BLOCK 979, Mississippi Canyon.
- 16-MAY-2022 Shell Offshore Inc. designates Shell Offshore Inc. as operator. ALL OF BLOCK 979, Mississippi Canyon.
- 01-DEC-2023 Rental rate begins escalating per terms set forth in addendum of the lease. Rental rate increased from \$11.00 per acre to \$16.00 per acre.
- 27-NOV-2024 ✓ Relinquishment accepted. Lease relinquished effective 11/26/2024.



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VIA EMAIL DELIVERY

November 25, 2024

Bureau of Ocean Energy Management  
ATTN Adjudication Section  
Mail Stop GM 276A  
1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard  
New Orleans, LA, 70123-2349

**Re: OCS-G36408, All of Block 979, Mississippi Canyon  
Form BOEM-0152 – Relinquishment  
Shell Offshore Inc. (00689) and BP Exploration & Production Inc. (02481)**

**Shell Offshore Inc.**  
150 N. Dairy Ashford Rd  
Houston, TX 77079  
United States of America  
Tel +1 346 810 3441  
Email: [vicky.gao@shell.com](mailto:vicky.gao@shell.com)

To Whom It May Concern:

Enclosed are:

- Three (3) fully executed Relinquishment for OCS-G36408, All of Block 979, Mississippi Canyon, whereby both Shell Offshore Inc. (00689) and BP Exploration & Production Inc. (02481) fully relinquish OCS-G 36408:

Form BOEM-1022 (Covered Offshore Facility Changes), Shell Offshore Inc. (00689) has been submitted to [boemosfr@boem.gov](mailto:boemosfr@boem.gov), BOEM Form 1022 deleting the subject lease from its inventory.

Should you have any questions, please contact undersigned at +1.346 810 3441 or via the email stated above.

Kind regards,

Vicky G. Stanford  
Shell Offshore Inc. - Sr. Commercial Analyst / Scout

Enclosures

**U.S. Department of the Interior  
Bureau of Ocean Energy Management**

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**OMB Control No.: 1010-0006  
Expiration Date 3/31/2026**

**RELINQUISHMENT OF FEDERAL OCS OIL AND GAS LEASE**

**Legal description of the lease/officially designated subdivision being relinquished:**

All of Block 979, Mississippi Canyon

OCS-G 36408  
Lease Number

The owner(s) of one hundred percent (100%) of the record title interest does (do) hereby release, relinquish and forever quitclaim all of its (their) right, title and interest in and to the oil and gas lease, or subdivision thereof, described above.

This relinquishment is effective as of the date it is filed with the appropriate OCS office of the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, subject to the provisions of 30 CFR 556, Subpart K, Termination of Leases.

This instrument may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which must be deemed an original instrument, but all of which together must constitute but one and the same instrument provided. However, this instrument and any other counterpart hereof, will not be binding unless and until executed by all of the parties, and will not be accepted by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management unless all counterparts are filed simultaneously.

Title 18 U.S.C. Sec. 1001 makes it a crime for any person knowingly and willfully to make to any Department or agency of the United States any false, fictitious or fraudulent statements or representations as to any matter within its jurisdiction.

**Insert name and Company number of each Lessee**

**LESSEE: Shell Offshore Inc. (00689)**

**LESSEE: BP Exploration & Production Inc. (02481)**

By: 

Name: Christopher J. Gonsalves

Title: Attorney-in-Fact

11/20/2024  
Execution Date

By: 

Name: Matthew Dare

Title: Attorney-in-Fact

11/22/2024  
Execution Date

Attach Notary Acknowledgment (not mandatory)

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