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In Reply Refer To: GE 973E

August 22, 2024

Mr. Brandon Hebert Beacon Growthco Operating Company, LLC 333 Clay Street, Suite 4200 Houston, Texas 77002

Dear Mr. Hebert:

By letter dated May 28, 2024, with additional information submitted through June 18, 2024, Beacon Growthco Operating Company, L.L.C. (Beacon) requests a Suspension of Production (SOP) for Lease OCS-G 35325 (the Lease), Mississippi Canyon (MC) Block 257. The Lease was held by its primary term through June 30, 2024.

Production from the Lease ceased on September 22, 2019, due to asphaltene blockage in the flowline. Beacon installed a hot tap clamp and injected solvent in June 2022, successfully remediating one asphaltene blockage. Additional blockages have been identified, which Beacon plans to remediate by hot tapping and injecting solvent. Beacon requests an SOP to procure and install the hot tap clamp, remediate the flowline blockages, and restore production from the Lease.

An SOP for Lease OCS-G 35325 is hereby approved, pursuant to 30 CFR 250.174(a), from July 1, 2024, through May 31, 2025. Beacon, or any subsequent operator, is expected to follow the enclosed activity schedule and must notify this office in writing (progress report) by the end of each month that a deadline is scheduled. If you have any questions regarding this matter, contact Mr. Patrick Roberts at (504) 736-2476 or patrick.roberts@bsee.gov.

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Sincerely,

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