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United States Department of the Interior
Bureau of Ocean Energy Management
1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard
New Orleans, LA 70123-2394
Attn: Adjudication Unit

Re: Non-Required Filings OCS-G15212

Dear Madam or Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find one (1) photocopy of the document indicated below:

1. Partial Release of Mortgage (Standby Loan Agreement), dated effective September 1, 2025, by and between Apache Corporation as Collateral Agent, and GOM Shelf LLC as Mortgagor (Please file under **Category #2 – Release of Mortgages and Liens**)

Please file the above-referenced document, in the non-required filing records maintained by your office for each of the federal offshore leases identified below:

OCS-G 15212, Vermilion Block 408

Also enclosed you will find proof of payment via pay.gov to cover the required filing fees. Should you have any questions regarding this transmittal please do not hesitate to contact the undersigned by cell: 713-560-5700 or email travis.hough@commodoreoffshore.com.

Sincerely,

Travis Hough

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Travis Hough".

Enclosures

PARTIAL RELEASE OF MORTGAGE
**(Partial Release of Multiple Indebtedness Mortgage, Deed of Trust,
Assignment of As-Extracted Collateral, Security Agreement, Fixture Filing and
Financing Statement
(Standby Loan Agreement))**

STATE OF LOUISIANA

PARISH OF VERMILION

BE IT KNOWN, that on the date set forth below, but effective as of 7:00 a.m. local time at the location of the Released Property (as hereinafter defined) on the 1th day of September 2025 (the “**Effective Time**”), before me, the undersigned Notary Public, duly commissioned and qualified in and for the State and County set forth above, and in the presence of the undersigned witnesses,

PERSONALLY CAME AND APPEARED:

APACHE CORPORATION, as Collateral Agent/Mortgagee, whose mailing address is 2000 Post Oak Boulevard, Suite 100, Houston, TX 77056, represented herein by its duly authorized agent (“**Collateral Agent**”) who declared that, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which is hereby acknowledged, it does agree and acknowledge as follows:

WHEREAS, GOM Shelf LLC (on behalf of itself and as successor by merger to Fieldwood Energy I LLC) (the “**Mortgagor**”) has requested the Collateral Agent to partially release and cancel that certain Multiple Indebtedness Mortgage, Deed of Trust, Assignment of As-Extracted Collateral, Security Agreement, Fixture Filing and Financing Statement dated effective as of August 27, 2021, recorded, *inter alia*, as set forth on Schedule I hereto (the “**Mortgage**”), which Mortgage is filed of record in each of the parishes in the State of Louisiana and in the offices of the United States Department of the Interior Bureau of Ocean Energy Management as set forth on Schedule I attached hereto and incorporated herein, INSO FAR and ONLY INSO FAR, as the Mortgage encumbers and pertains to the properties and interests more particularly described and conveyed in that certain Assignment of Record Title Interest effective as of the Effective Time, from Mortgagor to Renaissance Offshore, LLC a Delaware limited liability company (“**Renaissance**”), which such assignment is attached hereto as Exhibit A (the “**Assignment**”). More specifically, and pursuant to and as specified in the Assignment, Mortgagor shall assign, transfer, and convey to Renaissance all of its right, title, and interest with respect to the record title interest in the property identified in Exhibit A attached hereto, such assigned record title interest in the property being more specifically set forth and provided in, and subject to the terms of, the Assignments (collectively, the “**Released Property**”).

NOW THEREFORE, for good and valuable consideration, the receipt and sufficiency of which are hereby acknowledged, effective as of the Effective Time, Collateral Agent has RELEASED and DISCHARGED, and hereby RELEASES and DISCHARGES without recourse, representation or warranty of any kind, the Mortgage and all liens and security interests created thereby and any other liens and security interests it may have in and to the Released Property, INSO FAR and ONLY INSO FAR as the Mortgage covers and affects the Released Property and all products and proceeds thereof AND NO FURTHER.

IT IS EXPRESSLY UNDERSTOOD AND AGREED THAT THIS PARTIAL RELEASE OF MORTGAGE (“**PARTIAL RELEASE**”) RELATES SOLELY TO MORTGAGOR’S INTEREST IN THE RELEASED PROPERTY AND THAT THE SAME SHALL IN NO WAY RELEASE, AFFECT, OR IMPAIR THE UNDERSIGNED’S RIGHTS, TITLE, INTEREST, LIENS, AND SECURITY INTERESTS CREATED BY THE MORTGAGE AS TO ANY OTHER PROPERTIES OR INTERESTS DESCRIBED

THEREIN OR COVERED THEREBY, INCLUDING, WITHOUT LIMITATION, THE RESERVED ORRI.

Except as expressly set forth herein, nothing contained in this Partial Release is intended to limit, nor shall it be deemed to limit or in any way affect, any rights or remedies of the Collateral Agent, under that certain Standby Loan Agreement dated August 27, 2021 among Mortgagor, Collateral Agent, and the other parties thereto (as amended or restated, supplemented, or otherwise modified from time to time, the “**Loan Agreement**”), or any other secured party under the Loan Documents (as defined in the Loan Agreement) that any such party may have under the Loan Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents, and nothing in this Partial Release shall in any way modify, change, impair, affect, diminish, or release any liability of the Borrowers (as defined in the Loan Agreement) under or pursuant to the Loan Agreement or any of the other Loan Documents or entitle the Loan Parties to any other or further notice or demand whatsoever.

Collateral Agent hereby requests, authorizes and directs the Clerk of Court of each of Parishes to (a) record this Partial Release in the mortgage records for said Parish, (b) cancel in part from the mortgage records of said Parish the inscription of the Mortgage to the extent the Mortgage covers and affects the Released Property, and (c) notate the recordation of this Partial Release in the margin of the Mortgage as recorded in said Parish. Collateral Agent further consents to the filing by or on behalf of Mortgagor of UCC-3 amendments as may be necessary to delete the Released Property from the description of the Collateral in all financing statements filed in connection with the Mortgage, including, but not limited to those set forth on Schedule 1 hereto, in each case with a copy of this Partial Release attached thereto to describe that portion of the Collateral released therefrom.

[Signature page to follow.]

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, on this 25 day of September, 2025, in the presence of the undersigned witnesses who hereunto sign their names with Collateral Agent and me, Notary, after due reading of the whole.

WITNESSES:

[Signature]
Printed Name: Matthew Stewart

[Signature]
Printed Name: Christy Grace

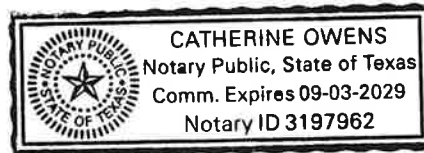
APACHE CORPORATION,
as Collateral Agent and Beneficiary

By: [Signature]
Name: Aneil Kochar
Title: Vice President and Treasurer

Catherine Owens

Notary Public in and for the
State of Texas

Name printed: CATHERINE OWENS
Notarial Identification Number 3197962
My commission expires 9-3-2029



SCHEDULE 1

Document Recorded: Multiple Indebtedness Mortgage, Deed of Trust, Assignment of As-Extracted Collateral, Security Agreement, Fixture Filing and Financing Statement dated effective as of August 27, 2021 executed by Fieldwood Energy I LLC and GOM Shelf LLC in favor of Peter J. Czerniakowski, as Trustee for the benefit of Apache Corporation, in its capacity as Collateral Agent:

<u>Recording Jurisdiction</u>	<u>Date Recorded</u>	<u>Recording Information</u>
Vermillion Parish, LA	September 2, 2021	MO-2021008219

EXHIBIT A

Assignment of Record Title

(See attached)

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

OMB Control No.: 1010-0006
Expiration Date: 07/31/2027

OCS-G 15212

Lease No.

July 1, 1995

Lease Effective Date

New Lease No. (BOEM Use Only)

**ASSIGNMENT OF RECORD TITLE INTEREST IN
FEDERAL OCS OIL AND GAS LEASE**

Part A: Assignment

Legal description of the OCS oil and gas lease or the officially designated subdivision of the lease being assigned:

All of Block 408, Vermilion Area, South Addition

Assignor(s) does (do) hereby sell, assign, transfer, and convey unto Assignee(s) the following undivided right, title and interest (insert name and qualification number of each Assignor and Assignee below):

Assignor(s):	Percentage Interest Conveyed
GOM Shelf LLC (02451)	12.5%

Assignee(s):	Percentage Interest Received
Renaissance Offshore, LLC (03209)	12.5%

The approval of this assignment is restricted to record title interest only.

Exhibit "A," which sets forth other provisions between Assignor(s) and Assignee(s), is attached to and made a part of this assignment.

For BOEM use only

This Assignment of Record Title Interest has been filed as of the date stamped on this document and is hereby approved by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management on the date shown below.

By _____ Title _____ BOEM Approval Date _____
 Authorized Official for BOEM

Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995 (PRA) Statement: The PRA (44 U.S.C. 3501 *et seq.*) requires us to inform you that we collect this information to use in the adjudication process involved in leasing and lease operations. BOEM uses the information to track ownership of leases in the Federal OCS. Responses are required to obtain or retain a benefit. Proprietary data are covered under section 26 of the OCSLA, 30 CFR 556.10, and in accordance with regulations in 30 CFR parts 550, 551, and 552. An agency may not conduct or sponsor, and a person is not required to respond to, a collection of information unless it displays a currently valid OMB Control Number. Public reporting burden of this form is estimated to average 1 hour per response, including the time for reviewing instructions, gathering and maintaining data, and completing and reviewing the form. Comments on the burden estimate or any other aspect of this form should be directed to the Information Collection Clearance Office, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, 45600 Woodland Road, Sterling, VA 20166.

Part B: Certification and Acceptance

1. Each Assignor certifies it is the owner of the record title interest in the above-described lease that is hereby assigned to the Assignee(s) specified above.
2. **DEBARMENT COMPLIANCE:** Each Assignor and Assignee certifies its compliance with the Department of the Interior's non-procurement debarment and suspension regulations at 2 CFR Subtitle B, Part 1400, and agree to communicate the requirement to comply with these regulations to persons with whom it does business related to this record title interest assignment by including the terms of the regulations in its contracts and transactions.
3. **QUALIFICATIONS of ASSIGNOR(S) and ASSIGNEE(S):** Each Assignor and Assignee certifies that it: is established and officially recognized by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management as qualified and authorized to bid on, acquire interests in, and hold OCS oil and gas leases; is exercising and meeting due diligence requirements on any other OCS lease in accordance with section 8 of the OCSLA, as amended (43 U.S.C. 1337(d)); is in good standing with acceptable operating performance as required by 30 CFR §§ 550 and 556; is not disqualified by BOEM from acquiring any new OCS leases or assigned interest(s) in existing leases because of unacceptable operating performance on any other OCS lease; is not failing to meet or exercise due diligence (as determined by BOEM after notice and opportunity for a hearing under 30 CFR part 590, subpart A); and is not restricted from bidding or acquiring interests in the lease or officially designated subdivision, therein, or grouped with any other entities on the restricted joint bidders list.
4. Assignee's execution of this assignment constitutes acceptance of all applicable terms, conditions, stipulations and restrictions pertaining to the lease described herein. Applicable terms and conditions include, but are not limited to, an obligation to conduct all operations on the leasehold in accordance with the terms and conditions of the lease, to condition all wells for proper abandonment, to restore the leased lands upon completion of any operations as described in the lease, and to furnish and maintain bond(s) pursuant to regulations at 30 CFR §§ 550 and 556. This assignment is subject to the Outer Continental Shelf Lands Act of August 7, 1953, 67 Stat. 462; 43 U.S.C. 1331 et seq., as amended (the "Act"), and Assignee(s) is (are) subject to, and shall fully comply with, all applicable regulations now or to be issued under the Act. Notwithstanding any agreement between the Assignor(s) and Assignee(s), the parties' liability to the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management is governed by 30 CFR §§ 550 through 556.

This Assignment of Record Title Interest will be made effective between the parties hereto as of 09/11/2025, upon approval by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, United States Department of the Interior.

This instrument may be executed in any number of counterparts, each of which will be deemed an original instrument, but all of which together shall 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.

By signing this document, you certify that your statements made herein are true, complete and correct to the best of your knowledge and belief and are made in good faith.

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.

Assignor Name: GOM Shelf LLC

Assignor Name: _____

Assignor Qualification No. 02451

Assignor Qualification No. _____

By: _____

By: _____

Signatory Name: Byron McDonald

Signatory Name: _____

Signatory Title: Sole Manager

Signatory Title: _____

Execution Date: _____

Execution Date: _____

Assignee Name: Renaissance Offshore, LLC

Assignee Name: _____

Assignee Qualification No. 3209

Assignee Qualification No. _____

By: _____

By: _____

Signatory Name: _____

Signatory Name: _____

Signatory Title: _____

Signatory Title: _____

Execution Date: _____

Execution Date: _____

Exhibit "A"

This Assignment is subject to the terms and conditions of that certain Settlement and Payment Agreement by and between Assignor and Assignee dated September 11, 2025. This Assignment is being made without warranty of title, except for the warranty of title by, through and under Assignor but not otherwise; provided, however, Assignor shall obtain a release of the existing liens granted unto Apache Corporation.