

## **United States Department of the Interior**

## BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT

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In Reply Refer To: Bond No. 874813 April 23, 2025

Arena Offshore, LP 2103 Research Forest Drive, Suite 400 The Woodlands, TX 77380 Attn: Gail B. Maniscalco

Dear Ms. Maniscalco:

Your letter dated April 21, 2025, submitting replacement Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond No. 874813, in the amount of \$3,000,000, was received by our office on April 22, 2025. This bond, conditioned to cover the principal's pipeline operations in the Gulf of America, was executed on April 7, 2025, with Arena Offshore, LP as principal and Evergreen National Indemnity Company as surety.

This bond is meant to replace Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's and Operator's Bond No. RLB0008430, in the amount of \$3,000,000. This bond, conditioned to cover principal's pipeline operations in the Gulf of America, was executed on August 11, 2005, with Arena Offshore, LLC as principal, and RLI Insurance Company as surety.

Attached to and forming a part of Bond No. RLB0008430, is Bond Rider No. 2, executed on November 19, 2002, which changes the name of the principal from Arena Offshore, LLC to Arena Offshore, LP. The rider is effective December 3, 2009.

We are unable to accept your replacement Bond No. 874813 at this time. The bond being replaced, RLB0008430, is a Mineral Lessee's and Operator's Bond form MMS-2028. It must be replaced by a current Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Bond form BOEM-2028. Replacement Bond No. 874813 is a Pipeline Right-of-Way Grant Bond form BOEM-2030. When this has been corrected you may resubmit your new replacement bond.

Should you need further assistance, please contact me at (504) 736-5774 or boemgulffinancialassurance@boem.gov.

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