



# United States Department of the Interior

## BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT

New Orleans Office  
1201 Elmwood Park Boulevard  
New Orleans, LA 70123-2394

In Reply Refer To: Bond No. SPA150888\_001

February 27, 2026

Kosmos Energy Gulf of Mexico Operations, LLC  
15011 Katy Freeway, Suite 700  
Houston, TX 77094  
Attn: Casey Stewart

Dear Mr. Stewart:

Your letter dated December 23, 2025, submitting Decrease Bond Rider, Bond Rider No. 1, to be attached to and form a part of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond No. SPA150888\_001, in the amount of \$10,280,000, was received by our office on February 25, 2026. This bond, conditioned to cover Lease OCS-G 21176, all of Block 563, Mississippi Canyon, was executed on January 23, 2025, with Kosmos Energy Gulf of Mexico Operations, LLC as principal and SiriusPoint America Insurance Company as surety.

Bond Rider No. 1 was executed on December 23, 2025, and decreases Bond No. SPA150888\_001 by \$4,485,979, for a total penal sum of \$5,794,021. The rider is effective December 23, 2025, and has been attached to and now forms a part of the original bond.

Should you need further assistance, please contact Kathleen Lee at (504) 736-5774 or [boemgulffinancialassurance@boem.gov](mailto:boemgulffinancialassurance@boem.gov).

Sincerely,

**BERNADETTE THOMAS** Digitally signed by  
BERNADETTE THOMAS  
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Bernadette Thomas  
Regional Supervisor  
Leasing and Plans

cc: Debra Holt ([dholt@kosmosenergy.com](mailto:dholt@kosmosenergy.com))  
John Hohlt ([john.hohlt@cacgroup.com](mailto:john.hohlt@cacgroup.com))  
Pierce Pontikes ([nppontikes@appliedsurety.com](mailto:nppontikes@appliedsurety.com))



**Casey Stewart**  
Vice President and Assistant Secretary  
15011 Katy Freeway, Suite 700  
Houston, TX 77094  
(281) 921-3013

December 23, 2025

Bureau of Ocean and Energy Management  
Gulf of Mexico OCS Office  
1201 Elmwood Park Blvd.  
New Orleans, LA 70123-2394  
Leasing and Financial Responsibility – Mail Stop GM 266A

**RECEIVED**  
**February 25, 2026**  
*Leasing & Financial  
Responsibility Section*

**RE: Submission of decrease rider**

Included in this delivery you will find a decrease rider for SiriusPoint America Insurance Company Bond No. SPA150888\_001.

**Current bond details:**

**Bond Type:** Supplemental - Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond (BOEM-2028A form)

**Bond Number:** SPA150888\_001  
**Penalty Amount:** \$10,280,000.00  
**Principal:**  
Kosmos Energy Gulf of Mexico Operations, LLC  
15011 Katy Freeway, Suite 700  
Houston, TX 77094

**Area/property covered:** OCS-G 21176  
**Surety:**  
SiriusPoint America Insurance Company  
1 World Trade Ctr  
285 Fulton St., 47th Fl, Ste 47J  
New York, NY 10007

**Changes made:**

**Penalty Amount:** \$5,794,021.00

**Point of contact during review:** Debra Holt – dholt@kosmosenergy.com  
**Principal contact:** Debra Holt – dholt@kosmosenergy.com  
**Broker contact:** John Hohlt – john.hohlt@cacgroup.com  
**Surety contact:** Pierce Pontikes - npontikes@appliedsurety.com

Please feel free to contact us should any questions arise or if I can be of further assistance.

Sincerely,

**Casey Stewart**  
Vice President and Assistant Secretary

**Bond Rider No. 1**

Attaching to and forming part of Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Mineral Lessee's or Operator's Supplemental Bond No. SPA150888\_001, conditioned to cover OCS Lease/RUE/ROW No. OCS-G 21176, executed on January 23, 2025, on behalf of Kosmos Energy Gulf of Mexico Operations, LLC, as Principal, SiriusPoint America Insurance Company, as Surety, in favor of the United States Department of the Interior, acting through and by the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) as Obligee, in the amount of Ten Million Two Hundred Eighty Thousand and No/100 Dollars (\$10,280,000.00).

It is understood and agreed that effective December 23, 2025, the amount of this bond is decreased by Four Million Four Hundred Eighty-Five Thousand Nine Hundred Seventy-Nine and No/100 Dollars (\$4,485,979.00).

The total penalty value of the bond is amended to read Five Million Seven Hundred Ninety-Four Thousand Twenty-One and No/100 Dollars (\$5,794,021.00).

All other conditions and terms to remain as originally written.

Signed, sealed and dated this 23rd day of December, 2025.

Kosmos Energy Gulf of Mexico Operations, LLC  
15011 Katy Freeway, Suite 700  
Houston, TX 77094

SiriusPoint America Insurance Company  
1 World Trade Ctr  
285 Fulton St., 47<sup>th</sup> Fl, Ste 47J  
New York, NY 10007

By:  \_\_\_\_\_

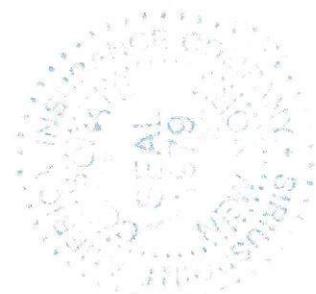
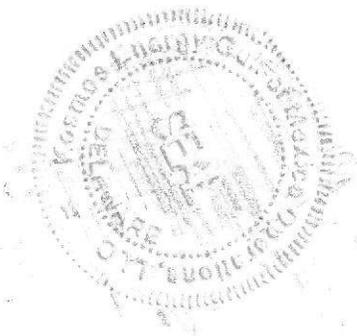
By:  \_\_\_\_\_

Name: Casey Stewart

Name: Senia Hernandez

Title: Vice President and Assistant Secretary

Title: Attorney-in-Fact



**POWER OF ATTORNEY  
SIRIUSPOINT AMERICA INSURANCE COMPANY  
NEW YORK**

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**KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS:** That SiriusPoint America Insurance Company (the "Company"), a New York corporation, having its principal office in the City of New York, pursuant to the following Resolution, which was adopted on August 27, 2024 by Unanimous Written Consent of the Board of the Directors of the Company, to wit:

**RESOLVED**, that the President, Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer, Secretary or the Assistant Secretary is hereby authorized to execute Powers of Attorney appointing as attorneys-in-fact selected employees of certain surety companies who shall have the power for and on behalf of the Company to execute and affix the seal of the Company to surety contracts as co-surety.

Does hereby nominate, constitute and appoint:

John Hohlt, Senia Hernandez, Candice Hild, Nadia Ortega, William Ison

Its true and lawful agent and attorney-in-fact, to make, execute, seal and deliver for and on its behalf, and its act and deed any and all bonds, contracts, agreements of indemnity and other undertakings in suretyship (NOT INCLUDING bonds without a fixed penalty or financial guarantee) and to bind the Company thereby as fully and to the same extent as of same were signed by the duly authorized officers of the Company, provided, however, that the penal sum of any one such instrument executed hereunder shall not exceed the sum of:

\$62,687,000 single bond limit

All acts of said attorneys-in-fact pursuant to the authorities herein given are hereby ratified and confirmed. The President, Senior Vice President, Chief Financial Officer, Secretary or Assistant Secretary may from time to time and at any time remove such appointee and remove the power given to him or her.

The execution of such bonds or undertakings in pursuance of these presents, within one year of the date of these present, shall be binding under said Company, as fully and amply, to all intents and purposes, as if they had been duly executed and acknowledged by the regularly elected officers of the Company at its office in New York, New York, in their own proper persons.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, SiriusPoint America Insurance Company has caused its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and these presents to be signed by its President this tenth day of October, 2024.

SiriusPoint America Insurance Company

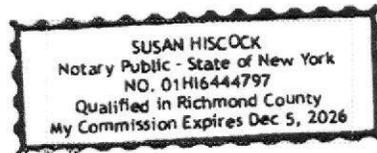


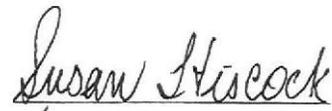
  
Paul Mihulka  
President

State of New York  
County of New York

On this tenth day of October 2024, before me a Notary Public of the State of New York, in and for the County of New York, duly commissioned and qualified, came Paul Mihulka, President, of SiriusPoint America Insurance Company, to me personally known to be the individual and officer described in, and who executed the preceding instrument, and acknowledged the execution of the same, and being by me duly sworn, deposed and said that he is the officer of the said Company aforesaid, and that the seal affixed to the preceding instrument is the Corporate Seal of said Company, and the said Corporate seal and his signature as officer were duly affixed and subscribed to the said instrument by the authority and direction of the said Company, referred to in the preceding instrument is now in force.

**IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal.



  
Notary Public  
My Commission expires Dec. 5, 2026

STATE OF New York  
COUNTY OF New York

I, Paul Mihulka, President of SiriusPoint America Insurance Company, a New York corporation, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full, true and correct copy of Power of Attorney, is still in full force and effect and has not been revoked.

**IN WITNESS WHEREOF**, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the Seal of said Company, on the 23rd day of December, 2025



  
Paul Mihulka  
President