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In Reply Refer To: MS 5231

February 7, 2005

Mr. Richard J. Morris  
Total E&P USA, INC.  
800 Gessner  
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Houston, Texas 77024

Dear Mr. Morris:

Reference is made to the following plan:

Control No. R-04119  
Type Revised Development Operations Coordination Document  
Received January 28, 2005  
Lease(s) OCS-G 19931, Block 243, Mississippi Canyon Area

You are hereby notified that the approval of the subject plan has been granted as of January 28, 2005, in accordance with 30 CFR 250.204(1)(1).

This approval includes the activities proposed for Platform A.

Using an EPA-approved or equivalent method, you will perform emissions stack tests on the compressors (reciprocating engines) and generators (turbines). These tests will be performed at minimum, average, and highest operational loads to verify that the emission factors are not exceeding those used in calculating the proposed emissions in your plan. Contact Mr. Yeshavant Desai, Environmental Engineer, Office of Field Operations, at (504) 736-2623 or e-mail at yeshavant.desai@mms.gov 30 days prior to conducting the test to determine proper protocol for the stack test and also to have the Minerals Management Service representative witness the test. Prepare a report of the results of each stack test and submit it to this office within 45 days of the test. During engine operation, you will maintain the baseline parameters (such as air-fuel rations) established during the most recent successful stack tests.

If you have any questions or comments concerning this approval, please contact Karen Dunlap at (504) 736-2535.

Sincerely,

Donald C. Howard  
Regional Supervisor  
Field Operations

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