

STATUS OF SALES IN THE 5-YEAR
OUTER CONTINENTAL SHELF PROGRAM FOR 1992-1997
(as of July 19, 1995)

MAJOR STEPS IN THE OCS OIL AND GAS LEASING PROCESS

GULF OF MEXICO REGION

Western GOM

Sale 155: I, CALL, AREA ID, DEIS/PNS, HEARINGS, & FEIS/CD - Completed; NOS - Mid 95; SALE - 09/13/95.

Central GOM

Sale 157: I, CALL, AREA ID, DEIS/PNS - Completed. HEARINGS - Mid 95. FEIS/CD - Late 95. NOS and SALE - Early 96.

Western GOM

Sale 161: I, CALL, AREA ID, DEIS/PNS - Completed. HEARINGS - Mid 95. FEIS/CD - Early 96; NOS - Mid 96; SALE - Mid 96.

Central GOM

Sale 166: I, CALL - Complete; AREA ID - Mid 95; DEIS/PNS - Early 96; HEARINGS - Mid 96; FEIS/CD - Late 96; NOS - Early 97; SALE - Early 97.

ALASKA REGION

Cook Inlet

Sale 149: I, CALL, AREA ID, DEIS/PNS, HEARINGS - Complete; FEIS/CD - Early 96; NOS - Mid 96; SALE - Mid 96.

Gulf of Alaska/Yakutat

Sale 158: ID, CALL, AREA ID - Complete; DEIS/PNS - Late 95; HEARINGS - Early 96; FEIS/CD - Late 96; NOS - 97; SALE - Mid 97.

Beaufort Sea

Sale 144: I, CALL, AREA ID - Complete; DEIS/PNS - Mid 95; HEARINGS - Early 96; FEIS/CD - Mid 96; NOS - Mid 96; SALE - Late 96.

Key to the Major Steps in the Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Oil
and Gas Leasing Process:

I: Information Base Review

PNS: Proposed Notice of Sale (90-day comment period)

CALL: Call for Information and Nominations (45-day comment period)

FEIS: Final Environmental Impact Statement (30-day comment period)

AREA ID: Area Identification

CD: Consistency Determination (90-days before decision on NOS)

DEIS: Draft Environmental Impact Statement

NOS: Notice of Sale

The following sales already have been held: Western GOM Sale 141 was held on 8/19/92; Central GOM Sale 142 on 3/24/93; Western GOM Sale 143 on 9/15/93; Central GOM Sale 147 on 3/30/94; Western GOM Sale 150 on 8/17/94; and Central GOM Sale 152 on 5/10/95.

The following sales have been deferred from the program: Chukchi Sea Sale 148 and Hope Basin Sale 159 were deferred on 2/9/95; and Eastern Gulf of Mexico Sale 151, St. George Basin Sale 153, and Mid- and South Atlantic Sale 164 on 6/22/95.

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