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Mr. Jeffery Walker, Regional Supervisor, Field Operations Minerals Management Service 3801 Centerpoint Dr., Suite 500 Anchorage, AK 99503

Notification of Signed Conflict Avoidance Agreement 2009 Sealift Activities Liberty Development

Dear Mr. Walker:

During our meeting with Mr. Randy Howell on March 6, 2009, we discussed the 2009 sealift activities and Mr. Howell requested that BP Exploration (Alaska) Inc. (BPXA) notify your office when the Conflict Avoidance Agreement (CAA) was finalized. The purpose of this letter is to notify you that BPXA has entered into a CAA with the Alaska Eskimo Whaling Commission and the Barrow and Nuiqsut Whaling Captains' Associations. The agreement was signed by BPXA on July 16, 2009.

If you have any questions concerning this submittal or require additional information, please contact me at (907) 564-4325.

Sincerely,

Martin Johnson Liberty HSE Team Leader

Enclosure

cc: Randy Howell, MMS Daniel Hartung, MMS



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