

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
 MINERALS MANAGEMENT SERVICE
 GULF OF MEXICO REGION

16-MAR-1999

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Miscellaneous Presale Statistics

Sale Number: 172
 Sale Identifier: CENTRAL GULF OF MEXICO
 Sale Date: 17-MAR-1999
 Region Name: Gulf of Mexico OCS Region

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|----|---|---------|----------------|----------|-------|-----------|
| 1. | a. Tracts/Blocks Offered: | 3,806 / | 3,806 | | | |
| | b. Tracts/Blocks Receiving Bids: | 207 / | 207 | | | |
| 2. | a. Acres/Hectares Offered: | | 20,368,384.947 | | | |
| | b. Acres/Hectares Receiving Bids: | | 1,062,860.900 | | | |
| 3. | a. Total Number of Bids: | 272 | | | | |
| | b. Average Number of Bids: | 1.31 | | | | |
| 4. | a. Greatest Number of Bids Per Tract: | 5 | | | | |
| | b. Map Area(s) and Block Number(s) with Greatest Number of Bids: | | | | | |
| | LA2A East Cameron Area, South Addition | | 377 | | | |
| | LA3 Vermilion Area | | 101 | | | |
| | NH16-07 Viosca Knoll | | 1003 | | | |
| 5. | Tracts (Acres/Hectares) Receiving Bids by Water Depth: | | | | | |
| | a. 0-200 meters (16 2/3% ROY) | 106 | (484,297.96) | | | |
| | b. 200-400 meters (16 2/3% RS) | 7 | (37,122.94) | | | |
| | (16 2/3% Total) | 113 | (521,420.90) | | | |
| | c. 400-800 meters (12 1/2% RS1) | 5 | (28,800.00) | | | |
| | d. 800+ meters (12 1/2% RS2) | 89 | (512,640.00) | | | |
| | (12 1/2% Total) | 94 | (541,440.00) | | | |
| 6. | Tracts (Acres/Hectares) Receiving Bids by Lease Term: | | | | | |
| | a. Initial lease term of 5 years. | 113 | (521,420.90) | | | |
| | b. Initial lease term of 8 years. | 5 | (28,800.00) | | | |
| | c. Initial lease term of 10 years | 89 | (512,640.00) | | | |
| 7. | Tracts Receiving Bids by Number of Bids Per Tract: | | | | | |
| | Total | 0-200m | 200-400m | 400-800m | 800+m | |
| | 1 Bid(s): | 166 | 85 | 5 | 5 | 71 |
| | 2 Bid(s): | 27 | 15 | 1 | 0 | 11 |
| | 3 Bid(s): | 7 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| | 4 Bid(s): | 4 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| | 5 Bid(s): | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| 8. | Tracts with 8G Acreage/Hectarage: | | | | | |
| | a. Number Receiving Bids: | | | | 12 | |
| | b. Number of Bids on 8G Tracts: | | | | 12 | |
| | c. Total Tract Acreage with 8G Acreage: | | | | | 39,237.61 |
| | d. Total 8G Acreage: | | | | | 29,334.51 |

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9. Total Number of Companies Submitting Bids: 58