NOTICE OF REVIEW
APDES Preliminary Draft General Permit

Alaska Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC)
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NOTICE OF REVIEW OF AN
ALASKA POLLUTANT DISCHARGE ELIMINATION SYSTEM (APDES)
PRELIMINARY DRAFT GENERAL PERMIT
TO DISCHARGE TO WATERS OF THE UNITED STATES

DEC has prepared an APDES Preliminary Draft Individual Permit, AKG315200 – Oil and Gas Exploration, Development, and Production in State Waters in Cook Inlet (Permit). The Preliminary Draft Permit, Fact Sheet, and associated documents are available to the applicant for a 10-day review. Following the close of the 10-day applicant review period, DEC will prepare a Draft Permit and Fact Sheet for a formal 90-day public review period with hearings to be scheduled in Anchorage and Homer, Alaska. Public comments will be accepted during the formal 90-day public review period. You can access the documents on the DEC Wastewater Discharge Authorization Program webpage at: http://dec.alaska.gov/water/wastewater/

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Preliminary Draft Permit Review:
Start Date: **November 20, 2018**
End Date: **December 7, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. Alaska Standard Time**

Permit No.: **AKG315200**
Permit Name: **Oil and Gas Exploration, Development, and Production in State Waters in Cook Inlet**

Proposed Permit Coverage:

The Permit proposes to authorize the discharge of pollutants from oil and gas facilities conducting exploration, development, or production activities in state waters of Cook Inlet consisting of coastal waters and the territorial sea. In addition, the Permit proposes to authorize

drilling fluids and drill cuttings associated with horizontal direction drilling or geotechnical investigations whether related to oil or gas or not. During effective period of the Permit, the following industrial discharges will be permitted to occur:

Discharge Number	Discharge Description
001	Drilling Fluids and Drill Cuttings
002	Deck Drainage
003	Domestic Wastewater
004	Graywater
005	Desalination Unit Wastes
006	Blowout Preventer Fluid
007	Boiler Blowdown
008	Fire Control System Test Water
009	Noncontact Cooling Water
010	Uncontaminated Ballast Water
011	Bilge Water
012	Excess Cement Slurry
013	Mud, Cuttings, and Cement at the Seafloor
014	Waterflooding (Filter Backwash)
015	Produced Water
016	Completion Fluids
017	Workover Fluids
018	Well Treatment Fluids
019	Test Fluids
020	Hydrostatic Test Water

Deadline for Written Applicant Review Comments:

The deadline for proposed final permit review comments by the applicant is **November 14, 2018 at 5:00 p.m. Alaska Standard Time.**

Administrative Record:

The APDES Preliminary Draft Permit, Fact Sheet, and associated documents are available for public review at the DEC offices located in Anchorage, Fairbanks, Juneau, Wasilla, and Soldotna. Please contact the office of your choice to arrange for hard copies of the documents to be available for your review.

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