UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

SHANNON BREAUX ET AL.

VERSUS

HALLIBURTON ENERGY SERVICES, INC. ET AL.

CIVIL ACTION NO: 04-1636 SECTION: "S" (4)

<u>ORDER</u>

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Halliburton Energy Services' motion to alter or amend this court's Order and Reasons of December 2, 2009, pursuant to Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 59(e), is **DENIED**. (Document #578.)

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the "Motion to Alter or Amend Order and Reasons" of Era Aviation, Inc. and Rowan Companies, Inc. is **GRANTED**. (Document #580.) The excess policy procured by Halliburton pays for losses of Era and Rowan exceeding \$100,000,000. Because the losses are less than \$100,000,000, Halliburton has effectively failed to provide Era and Rowan with excess insurance coverage.

Accordingly, **IT IS HEREBY ORDERED** that the Order and Reasons of December 2, 2009, is **AMENDED** as follows:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Halliburton Energy Services, Inc.'s "Motion for

Summary Judgment" on the issue of coverage under the Excess Policy is **DENIED**. (Document #567.) Halliburton did not name Era and Rowan as additional insureds on an Excess Policy that provides coverage for losses over \$1,000,000 but less that \$100,000,000, as required by the Rowan/Halliburton Agreement.¹

New Orleans, Louisiana, this 26th day of February, 2010.

MARY ANN VIAL LEMMON UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

¹ Era and Rowan recognize that the issue whether Era and Rowan Halliburton breached its contractual obligation is not properly before this court. They state that they may file a motion for summary judgment addressing the issue.