

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

**HORNBECK OFFSHORE SERVICES, LLC,
et al.**

Plaintiffs,

v.

**KENNETH LEE "KEN" SALAZAR, in his
official capacity as Secretary, United States
Department of the Interior; UNITED
STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE
INTERIOR; MICHAEL R. BROMWICH, in
his official capacity as Director, Bureau of
Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and
Enforcement; and BUREAU OF OCEAN
ENERGY MANAGEMENT, REGULATION,
AND ENFORCEMENT,**

Defendants.

CIVIL ACTION No. 10-1663(F)(2)

SECTION F

JUDGE FELDMAN

MAGISTRATE 2

MAGISTRATE WILKINSON

[PROPOSED] ORDER

Before the Court is Defendants' Motion to Dismiss or, in the Alternative, for a Stay of Proceedings Pending Circuit Court's Decision on Defendants' Motion to Vacate the Preliminary Injunction. The Court has considered the motion, the briefs in support and opposition thereto, and the Secretary of the Interior's July 12, 2010 Directive, which supersedes the May 28, 2010 Directive and rescinds the Notice to Lessees, both of which are the subjects of the present suit. Based upon the July 12, 2010 Directive, Plaintiffs' claims in the present suit are now moot and this Court therefore lacks jurisdiction. Defendants' Motion to Dismiss is therefore GRANTED.

SO ORDERED.

Dated: _____

MARTIN L.C. FELDMAN
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE