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

HORNBECK OFFSHORE SERVICES, LLC, et al.

Plaintiffs,

and

DIAMOND OFFSHORE COMPANY,

Plaintiff-Intervenors,

v.

THE CENTER FOR BIOLOGICAL DIVERSITY, et al.,

Defendant-Intervenors,

and

KENNETH LEE "KEN" SALAZAR, et al,

Defendants.

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

SECTION F

JUDGE FELDMAN

MAGISTRATE 2 MAGISTRATE WILKINSON

DEFENDANTS' CONSENT MOTION TO FILE MEMORANDUM AND EXHIBITS UNDER SEAL

Defendants, Kenneth Lee Salazar, the United States Department of the Interior, Robert Abbey, and the Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement ("Defendants") hereby file this motion to file under seal Defendants' Opposition to Plaintiffs' Motion to Set the Amount of Attorneys' Fees and Costs and Defendants' supporting exhibits. Defendants have conferred with Plaintiffs who do not object to the relief sought herein.

Plaintiffs filed the billings records of Jones Walker and Venable under seal as an appendix to their Motion to Set the Amount of Attorneys' Fees and Costs (Dkt. #233).

Defendants' Opposition to that Motion and supporting exhibits contain excerpts of those billing

records. Given that Plaintiffs filed the billings records of Jones Walker and Venable under seal,
Defendants respectfully request to file their Opposition brief and supporting exhibits containing
excerpts of those billings records under seal.

WHEREFORE, Defendants respectfully request that this Court grant their Consent Motion to File Memorandum and Exhibits Under Seal.

Respectfully submitted this 9th day of March, 2011.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on March 9, 2011, I caused a copy of the foregoing and its attachments to be served through the Court's CM/ECF System to all parties.

<u>s/ Marissa Piropato</u>Marissa Piropato