

AFFIDAVIT OF BRIAN J. BRUHMULLER, SR.

1. I, Brian J. Bruhmuller, Sr., am over 18 years of age and have personal knowledge of the following facts:

2. I reside at 206 Hidden Pines Drive, Panama City Beach, Florida, 32407.

3. Over the past 20 years I have run charter fishing trips in the Gulf of Mexico. As a result of the current BP Deepwater Horizon spill, I have already suffered \$65,000.00 in lost revenue between charter boat trips and boat rentals.

4. Panama City Beach's annual Billfish Tournament typically yields \$5,000.00 in rental revenue. However, that tournament was canceled this year because of the oil spill and that revenue has also been lost. Additionally, the potential percentage of average winnings, \$40,000.00, will never be realized.

5. I also own a restaurant in Panama City Beach which has suffered losses from decreased tourism and fear of contaminated seafood. We are currently losing \$1,000.00 per day.

6. I am aware that other charter boat captains and business owners are suffering similar, if not greater, losses.

7. Oil drilling is something that must be done with proper safety measures in place. Otherwise, business owners like myself will continue to suffer economic loss from our boats sitting in port instead of fishing clean Gulf waters.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NAUGHT.



BRIAN J. BRUHMULLER, SR.

**STATE OF FLORIDA
COUNTY OF BAY**

Sworn to and subscribed before me, the undersigned authority, this 15th day of June, 2010, by BRIAN J. BRUHMULLER, SR., who is personally known to me.



Notary Public

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