

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

HORNBECK OFFSHORE SERVICES, L.L.C.

Plaintiff

v.

KENNETH LEE "KEN" SALAZAR, in
his official capacity as Secretary, United
States Department of the Interior;
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF
THE INTERIOR; ROBERT "BOB"
ABBEY, in his official capacity as Acting
Director, Minerals Management Service;
and MINERALS MANAGEMENT
SERVICES

Defendants

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

SECTION F

JUDGE FELDMAN

MAGISTRATE 2
MAGISTRATE WILKINSON

MOTION FOR EXPEDITED HEARING ON DIAMOND OFFSHORE'S
EMERGENCY MOTION TO INTERVENE

NOW INTO COURT, through undersigned counsel, come Diamond Offshore Company and Diamond Offshore Management Company (collectively "Diamond Offshore"), who respectfully request that their Emergency Motion to Intervene be expedited and heard before the Honorable Magistrate Judge Joseph C. Wilkinson, Jr.

Accordingly, and for the reasons more fully set forth in the accompanying Memorandum, Diamond Offshore respectfully requests that their Emergency Motion to Intervene be heard on an expedited basis.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 24th day of June, 2010, I electronically filed the foregoing with the Clerk of Court by using the CM/ECF system. Notice of this filing will be sent to all counsel of record registered to receive electronic service by operation of the Court's electronic filing system and manual notice to the following counsel:

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