

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA**

**HORNBECK OFFSHORE SERVICES,
L.L.C.,**

Plaintiff

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

VERSUS

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SECTION F

**KENNETH LEE “KEN” SALAZAR, IN HIS
OFFICIAL CAPACITY AS SECRETARY,
UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE
INTERIOR; UNITED STATES**

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JUDGE FELDMAN

**DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR;
ROBERT “BOB” ABBEY, IN HIS OFFICIAL
CAPACITY AS ACTING DIRECTOR,
MINERALS MANAGEMENT SERVICE;
AND MINERALS MANAGEMENT SERVICE,**

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**MAGISTRATE 2
MAGISTRATE WILKINSON**

Defendants

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PLAINTIFFS’ EX PARTE CONSENT MOTION TO SUBSTITUTE PARTIES

NOW INTO COURT, through undersigned counsel, come Plaintiffs Hornbeck Offshore Services, L.L.C, the Bollinger Entities, and the Chouest Entities (collectively “Plaintiffs”), which respectfully move the Court for leave to substitute as defendants herein Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement, for current defendant, Minerals Management Service, and Michael Bromwich, in his official capacity as director, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement, for current defendant, Robert “Bob” Abbey, in his

official capacity as acting director, Minerals Management Service. Undersigned counsel has requested and obtained Defendants' consent to Plaintiffs' Ex Parte Consent Motion. For the reasons set forth in the memorandum in support filed herewith, Plaintiffs' Ex Parte Consent Motion should be granted.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiffs, hereby move the Court for an Order granting their Ex Parte Consent Motion and substituting as defendants herein Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement, for current defendant, Minerals Management Service, and Michael Bromwich, in his official capacity as director, Bureau of Ocean Energy Management, Regulation, and Enforcement, for current defendant, Robert "Bob" Abbey, in his official capacity as acting director, Minerals Management Service.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the above and foregoing pleading has been served upon all parties by email or by using the CM/ECF system which will send a Notice of Electronic filing to all counsel of record, this 28th day of June, 2010.

s/Carl Rosenblum