

BEAUFORT SEA, LETTERS OF AUTHORIZATION FOR 2009

Company	Activity	Project	Date issued
BP Exploration Alaska, Inc	Development	Liberty Development	Jan 7, 2009.
Shell Offshore, Inc	Exploration	On-ice Buoy Deployment	Jan 8, 2009.
ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc	Exploration	Pioneer #1	Jan 15, 2009.
ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc	Exploration	Grandview 1 East	Jan 15, 2009.
ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc	Development	CD5 Satellite Develop	Jan 15, 2009.
Savant Alaska, LLC	Exploration	Badami Redevelopment	Jan 16, 2009.
BP Exploration Alaska, Inc	Development	Challenge Is. well removal	Jan 15, 2009.
BP Exploration Alaska, Inc	Exploration	Winter seismic	Jan 15, 2009.
Brooks Range Petroleum Corp	Exploration	East Shore	Jan 15, 2009.
Brooks Range Petroleum Corp	Exploration	West Shore	Jan 15, 2009.
Brooks Range Petroleum Corp	Exploration	UltraStar	Jan 15, 2009.
Anadarko Petroleum Co	Exploration	Gubik, Chandler, Wolf Cr	Feb 3, 2009.
Kupik-Veritas DGC Land Inc	Exploration	SOI 3D seismic	Feb 4, 2009.
Kupik-Veritas DGC Land Inc	Exploration	Point Thomson 3D seismic	Feb 4, 2009.
Eni U.S, Operating Co, Inc	Development	Nikaichuq	Feb 20, 2009.
ExxonMobil Production Co	Development	Point Thomson	Feb 4, 2009.
Marsh Creek, LLC	Development	Umiat Test Well 9 Remediation	Feb 24, 2009.
Marsh Creek, LLC	Development	Atigaru Point Test Well Remediation	Feb 24, 2009.
UltraStar Exploration, LLC	Exploration	Dewline Deep	Mar 26, 2009.
Alyeska Pipeline Service Co	Production	Trans-Alaska Pipeline	Mar 26, 2009.
Shell Offshore, Inc	Exploration	Scientific Data Device Deployment Program.	Sept 3, 2009.

On June 11, 2008, we published in the **Federal Register** (73 FR 33212) a final rule establishing regulations that allow us to authorize the nonlethal, incidental, unintentional take of small numbers of polar bears and Pacific

walrus during year-round oil and gas industry exploration activities in the Chukchi Sea and adjacent western coast of Alaska for 5 years from date of issuance of that rule. In accordance with that rule, section 101(a)(5)(A) of the

MMPA, and our regulations at 50 CFR part 18, subpart I, we issued a letter of authorization (LOA) to the following companies in the Chukchi Sea.

CHUKCHI SEA, LETTERS OF AUTHORIZATION FOR 2009

Company	Activity	Project	Date issued
Shell Exploration and Production Co	Exploration	Marine Survey Program	July 16, 2009.
ConocoPhillips Alaska, Inc	Exploration	Site Clearance and Environmental Studies Program.	Aug 6, 2009.

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Geoffrey L. Haskett,
Regional Director, Alaska Region.
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DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

Employment and Training Administration

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Tivoly, Inc., Derby Line, VT; Notice of Affirmative Determination Regarding Application for Reconsideration

By application dated November 4, 2009, the International Association of Machinists, Local Lodge 1829 requested administrative reconsideration of the negative determination regarding workers' eligibility to apply for Trade Adjustment Assistance (TAA) applicable to workers and former workers of the subject firm. The

determination was issued on October 2, 2009. The Notice of Determination will soon be published in the **Federal Register**.

The initial investigation resulted in a negative determination based on the finding that imports of cutting tools did not contribute importantly to worker separations at the subject firm and no shift of production to a foreign source occurred.

In the request for reconsideration, the petitioner provided additional information regarding customers of the subject firm.

The Department has carefully reviewed the request for reconsideration and the existing record and has determined that the Department will conduct further investigation to determine if the workers meet the eligibility requirements of the Trade Act of 1974.

Conclusion

After careful review of the application, I conclude that the claim is of sufficient weight to justify reconsideration of the U.S. Department of Labor's prior decision. The application is, therefore, granted.

Signed at Washington, DC, this 16th day of November 2009.

Elliott S. Kushner,

Certifying Officer, Division of Trade Adjustment Assistance.

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