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Director of Nuclear Material Safety and Safeguards ATTN: Document Control Desk/GLTS Nuclear Regulatory Commission Washington, DC 20555-0001

## Gentlemen:

## SUBJECT: NOTICE OF TRANSFER OF A GENERAL LICENSE GAUGING DEVICE MULTIPHASE FLOW METER – STONES FPSO SHELL EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION COMPANY (SEPCo)

In accordance with 10 CFR 31.5(c)(9)(i), SEPCo is making notice of the transfer of a gauging device subject to the general license requirement of 10 CFR 31.5. The device was installed in federal waters at the Stones Floating Production Platform oil production facility in the Gulf of Mexico (lease block Walker Ridge 508). The gauging source is part of a subsea choke that is being recovered for refurbishment. The source is to be transferred for storage.

- A. The manufacturer's (or initial transferor's) name;
  - o One Subsea Schlumberger
- B. The model number and the serial number of the device transferred;
  - o Subsea Phase Watcher Vx (Serial #13246)
  - Subsea Phase Watcher General License Registration: TX1247D102G
  - 0 Source Certificate No. CO 148063 UA 765
  - o Source no. UG 765
  - 0 Nuclide: Barium-133
  - o Activity: 10 mCi (370 MBq)
- C. The transferee's name and location of use

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- o Block #: WR-508
- o Drill center #: DC01
- Well #: SN109
- BSEE #: WR508-7
- o Lease #: OCS-G-17001

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If you have any questions or comments on this notification, please contact me at (281) 630-2238.

Kind regards

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