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Subject: *NOAA National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) Letter of Authorization (90 FR 13346 and 90 FR 14787) Issued to TGS for the Take of Marine Mammals Incidental to Geophysical Survey Activity in the Gulf of Mexico*

Dear Mr. Laws,

TGS has decided not to conduct geophysical survey activity of the Amendment West 2 program in the Keathley Canyon protraction under BOEM issued G&G permit Control Number L25-007. Considering TGS's decision and the fact that no take of marine mammals will occur under this BOEM permit, TGS respectfully requests that NMFS withdraw the previously issued MMPA Letter of Authorization related to this activity. See 90 Fed. Reg. 13346 (March 21, 2025).and modification 90 Fed. Reg. 14787 (April 4, 2025).

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me directly +1 713 204 0797 or john.cramer@tgs.com .

Best regards,

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