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National Marine Fisheries Service
1315 East-West Highway
Silver Springs, Maryland 20910

Attn: Benjamin Laws, Jenna Harlacher

REF: **Close-out of LOA for permit T25-002 (Laconia IV OBN)**

The LOA issued to Veridien for the project Laconia IV OBN was transferred to WesternGeco LLC on 3rd December 2025 and the project was renamed to OSV-1.
The project started production on 11th December 2025 with the deployment of Ocean Bottom Nodes on the seabed,
Node deployment continued until 1st January 2026 when the project was suspended.
The intention was to continue the project at a later date, i.e. complete node deployment and start source production.
Due to the lack of Client interest it was decided to abandon the project leaving the nodes on the seabed with the intention to collect them at a later date.
At no time was there any source activity on this project.

Please accept this letter in lieu of a close-out report and apologies for the late notification.

Sincerely

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