

DOGGR/SLC “JOINT REGULATIONS”

OFFSHORE OIL AND GAS DRILLING & PRODUCTION FACILITY REGULATIONS

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What They Are

- **Common Set of Regulations for Both Agencies**
- **Codify/Clarify Existing Relationships**

Purpose (Goals)

- **Fulfill Statutory Requirements (and State policies)**
- **Eliminate Duplication of Effort**
- **Eliminate Conflicts**
- **Update Current SLC and DOGGR Regulations**

Outline

- **Article 1** *General Provisions*
- **Article 2** *Drilling, Development, and P&A*
- **Article 3** *Approval of Underground Injection*
- **Article 4** *Production Facility Operations*
- **Article 5** *Offshore Pipelines*
- **Article 6** *Pollution Control*

Coordination of Agency Implementation

- **MOU**
 - **Article 1: *General Provisions***
 - **DOGGR Responsibilities (*Arts. 2 and 3 – Drilling and Underground Injection*)**
 - **SLC Responsibilities (*Arts. 4,5,and 6 – Production Facilities, Offshore Pipelines, Pollution control*)**
 - ***Disputes***



Why Bother?

- **1969 OCS Blowout**
- **1991 American Trader Spill**
- **BAT/BAP Standard**



Current Regulations

- **State Lands Commission**
 - CCR Title 2, Div. 3, Chap. 1, Arts. 3.2, 3.3, 3.4
- **Division of Oil, Gas & Geothermal Regulation**
 - CCR Title 14, Div. 2, Chap. 4, Subchapter 1.1, Arts. 1-3
- **API Standards and Recommended Practices**
- **MMS: 30 CFR Part 250**

Drilling Regulations

- **Blowout Prevention**
- **Casing Requirements**
- **H₂S Requirements**
- **Plugging & Abandonment**



Production Facility Regulations

- Testing
- H₂S Requirements
- System Safety Audits



The “Other” Articles

- **Offshore Pipelines**
- **Pollution Control**



The “Trouble” with Islands (and uplands)

- The “nature” of the beast
- Island alternatives
 - 2012.2 Threaded connections allowed on wellhead (*if 3000 psi or less*)
 - 2012.2 Wellhead valving alternatives for well bays
 - 2012.5 Subsurface safety valve alternatives
 - 2014.3 Vessel & tank safety devices (*shut in connected wells-not entire facility*)
 - 2014.5 Firefighting (*local fire jurisdiction*)
 - 2016.3 Hi-lo pressure sensors in oil and gas pipelines transporting production from islands shut down both facilities

Timing

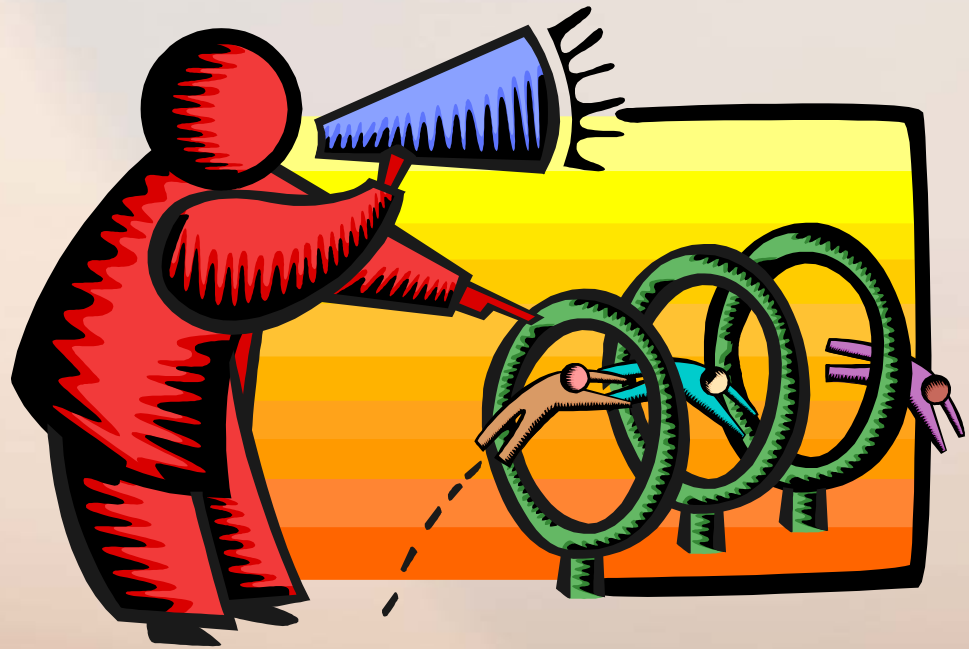
- Where we are/What's been done

- OAL Process

- **Timing**

“Latest Version”

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Final Comments



Questions???

