## UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA

IN RE: OIL SPILL by the OIL RIG

"DEEPWATER HORIZON" in the

GULF OF MEXICO, on

APRIL 20, 2010

**ALL ACTIONS** 

SECTION: J

MDL NO. 2179

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

· JUDGE BARBIER

MAG. JUDGE SHUSHAN

## **ORDER**

CONSIDERING THE FOREGOING Motion for Confirmation of Non-Applicability of Preservation of Evidence Obligations as to Certain Subpoenaed Items and Certain Non-Evidentiary Items ("BP's Confirmation Motion") filed by BP America Inc., BP America Production Company, and BP Exploration & Production Inc. (collectively, the "BP Defendants" or "BP");

IT IS ORDERED that the motion is GRANTED:

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that BP may convey each item described in Exhibit A to this Order to the Joint Investigation Team when and as it is recovered from the water column, the seabed, or topside on vessels without further notice to the Court or parties to this litigation;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that BP may recycle, reuse or otherwise dispose of each item described in Exhibit B to this Order when and as it is recovered from the water column, the seabed, or topside on vessels without further notice to the Court or the parties to this litigation;

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that BP may recycle, reuse or otherwise dispose of each item described in Exhibit C to this Order when and as it is recovered from the water column, the seabed, or topside on vessels, provided that (i) BP shall make all such items available for inspection by any party to this litigation at a secure location for a period of no fewer than five (5) business days following the recovery of such item; (ii) BP shall cause photographs of all such items to be taken and made available to all parties to this litigation; and (iii) in the event that a party to the litigation notifies BP in writing or by e-mail that the party objects to confirming the non-applicability of BP's preservation-of-evidence obligations as to a specific item, BP shall retain the item at a secure location pending resolution of the issue by the parties and/or this Court.

THUS DONE AND SIGNED, this 19th day of November, 2010, at New Orleans, Louisiana.

United States District Judge

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Number	Equipment List	Quantity	Categorization 1-Government Subpoenaed/Requested 2-Non-Evidence 3-Abandon in-Place
1	BOP (DWH Lower BOP)	1	1
3	Transition spool and DWH LMRP	1	1
5	9-7/8" hanger and seal assembly with 20' casing	1	1
8	Subpoenaed Portions	approx. 300'	1
10	Portions	approx. 300'	1
11	Miscellaneous fishing debris	1	1
12	Segments from Annular Rubbers (if loose)	1	1
13	Pressure transducer PT-301 (PT-B)	1	1
14		1	1
15	Pressure transducer PT-C	1	1
16	Pressure transducer PT-3K1	1	1
17	Pressure transducer PT-3K2	1	1
18	Pressure transducer PT-3C	1	1
19	Pressure Transducers & associated equipment	TBD	1
20	ODI Splitter Panel	1	1
21	Sonardyne acoustic Compatts	TBD	1
22	Flanged Cormon transmitter	1	1
23	Bulkhead mounted ODI connector	1	1
24		1	1
41	600' x 1" hard plastic Dispersant hoses	2	1
42	400' x 1" Dispersant Hoses	2	1
43	Dispersant Wands in Basket #10	6	1
44		1	1
46		1	1
47	Top Hat # 4 w/ Frame	1	1
53	RITT#1 (Riser Insertion Tube Tool)	1	1
55		1	1
56		3	1
25	17H hot stab in choke & kill in gooseneck jumpers	TBD	At Michoud
48	Top Hat # 5	1	At Michoud

Number	Description	Item	Quantity
		Tracking #	
1	3" ANSI 600 Rotron meters (2 phase liquids off HP	ENT-004	2
	separators)		
2	Differential pressure transducers	ENT-005	2
3	Static pressure transducers	ENT-006	2
4	Temperature transmitters	ENT-007	2
5	Vx Meter	Q4K-001	1
6	Flow Meter - Liquid	Q4K-002	1
7	Gas Metering Equipment	Q4K-003	1

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8	9-7/8" 62.8 ppf Q-125, Hydril 523 Casing Non- Subpoenaed Portions	approx. 3,800'	2A
10	16" 97 ppf P-110, Hydril 511 Casing Non-	approx.	2A
	Subpoenaed Portions	1,900'	
27	Stack Manifold	1	2A
2	LMRP Basket	1	2B
4	MUX Line to BOP SCM	1	2B
26	Helix Producer 1 Offloading Hose	1	2B
32		2	2B
33		1	2B
34		1	2B
37	Misc. Thermoplastic Hose / Whips	TBD	2B
39	Tooling / Work Baskets	~6	2B
40		TBD	2B
45	( 1 1 1 1 )	1	2B
	LDIS Parking Pile	1	2B
	H4 Yellow Debris Cap	1	2B
51	H4 Debris Cap	1	2B
52		Various	2B
65	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1	2B
66		1	2B
67	-	1	2B
68	,	1	2B 2B
	Outer Casing - FSR 1	1	
71	Inner Casing - FSR 1		2B 2B
73	PIP FSR Tension Monitoring - FSR 1	TBD TBD	2B 2B
	Positioning Beacon Clamp - FSR 1	1	2B
	LRA Pup Assembly - FSR 1 Hydraulic Umbilical - FSR 1	1	2B
80	·	1	2B
81		1	2B
82	SBM Aircan Assembly (Rental) - FSR 2 Upper Assembly - FSR 2	1	2B
83	• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	1	2B 2B
85		1	2B
86		1	2B
88	PIP FSR Tension Monitoring - FSR 2	TBD	2B
90	Positioning Beacon Clamp - FSR 2	TBD	2B
91	Lifting Aid Load Test Assembly - FSR 2	1	2B
92		TBD	2B
93		TBD	2B
94	URA Installation Platform - FSR 2	TBD	2B
95	Hydraulic Umbilical - FSR 2	1	2B
97	IWOCS Umbilical and Umbilical Distribution Box	1	2B
98	Hot Stab Patch Panel (HSPP)	1	2B
99	Flying Lead Deployment Frame (EMPTY)	1	2B
100	Flying Lead Deployment Frame (750 ft Flying Lead)	1	2B
104	250 ft x 1/2" 10K Flying Lead	3	2B

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29	Choke/Kill Manifold (aka Junk Shot Manifold)	1	2C
35	BOP HDS (Hydraulic Distribution Skid)	1	2C
36	HDS	1	2C
38	LBL Array (Compatts)	~45	2C
57	Buoyancy Modules	TBD	2C
59	Marker Buoys	TBD	2C
60	CDP Manifold	1	2C
61	Burst Disc Assembly	1	2C
62	Environmental Dispersant Connector	1	2C
63	1350ft x 6in flexible jumper	1	2C
64	1200ft x 6in flexible jumper	1	2C
69	Suction Pile Assembly - FSR 1	1	2C
72	Flexible Jumper Clamp - FSR 1	TBD	2C
74	Upper Flexible Jumper Pull-in Head Interface - FSR 1	TBD	2C
77	DTS buoy Clump Weight Assembly Helix Producer 1 - FSR 1	TBD	2C
79	1060ft x 6in flexible jumper - FSR 1	1	2C
84	Suction Pile Assembly - FSR 2	1	2C
87	Flexible Jumper Clamp - FSR 2	TBD	2C
89	Upper Flexible Jumper Pull-in Head Interface - FSR 2	TBD	2C
96	1060ft x 6in flexible jumper - FSR 2	1	2C