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Chukchi Sea – lease sale cancellation;

Beaufort Sea – lease sale cancellation;

Beaufort Sea – Liberty Development & Production Plan; and

Indonesia – passengers transferred from stranded ferry.

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Chukchi Sea – lease sale cancellation



The Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) issued a notice stating that it is cancelling oil and gas lease sale 237 in the Chukchi Sea Planning Area on the outer continental shelf offshore Alaska due to lack of industry interest. [80 Fed. Reg. 74796](http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2015-11-30/pdf/2015-30299.pdf) [located at <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2015-11-30/pdf/2015-30299.pdf>] (11/30/15).

Beaufort Sea – lease sale cancellation



The Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) issued a notice stating that it is cancelling oil and gas lease sale 242 in the Beaufort Sea Planning Area on the outer continental shelf offshore Alaska due to current market conditions. [80 Fed. Reg. 74797](http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2015-11-30/pdf/2015-30300.pdf) [located at <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2015-11-30/pdf/2015-30300.pdf>] (11/30/15).

Beaufort Sea – Liberty Development & Production Plan



The Bureau of Ocean Energy Management (BOEM) has extended, through 26 January 2016, the period within which to submit comments on its Notice of Intent (NOI) to prepare an environmental impact statement (EIS) for the Liberty Development and Production Plan in the Beaufort Sea. [80 Fed. Reg. 74797](http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2015-11-30/pdf/2015-30301.pdf) [located at <http://www.gpo.gov/fdsys/pkg/FR-2015-11-30/pdf/2015-30301.pdf>] (11/30/15).

Indonesia – passengers transferred from stranded ferry



The Singapore Maritime and Port Authority (MPA) issued a [news release](http://www.mpa.gov.sg/sites/global_navigation/news_center/mpa_news/mpa_news_detail.page?filename=nr151129.xml) [located at http://www.mpa.gov.sg/sites/global_navigation/news_center/mpa_news/mpa_news_detail.page?filename=nr151129.xml] stating that all 97 passengers and seven crew have been transferred from an Indonesian ferry that hit a floating object and became stranded. (11/29/15).

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