

**UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
MINERALS MANAGEMENT SERVICE
GULF OF MEXICO REGION
ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION REPORT**

1. OCCURRED

DATE: **13-SEP-2007** TIME: **1545** HOURS

2. OPERATOR: **BP Exploration & Production Inc.**

REPRESENTATIVE: **Winfree, Bekki**

TELEPHONE: **(281) 366-8372**

CONTRACTOR:

REPRESENTATIVE:

TELEPHONE:

- STRUCTURAL DAMAGE
- CRANE
- OTHER LIFTING DEVICE
- DAMAGED/DISABLED SAFETY SYS.
- INCIDENT >\$25K
- H2S/15MIN./20PPM
- REQUIRED MUSTER
- SHUTDOWN FROM GAS RELEASE
- OTHER

3. OPERATOR/CONTRACTOR REPRESENTATIVE/SUPERVISOR ON SITE AT TIME OF INCIDENT:

6. OPERATION:

4. LEASE: **G09868**

AREA: **MC** LATITUDE:
BLOCK: **778** LONGITUDE:

- PRODUCTION
- DRILLING
- WORKOVER
- COMPLETION
- HELICOPTER
- MOTOR VESSEL
- PIPELINE SEGMENT NO.
- OTHER

5. PLATFORM: **A(Thunder Horse)**
RIG NAME:

6. ACTIVITY: EXPLORATION (POE)
 DEVELOPMENT/PRODUCTION (DOC/POD)

8. CAUSE:

7. TYPE:

- HISTORIC INJURY
- REQUIRED EVACUATION **1**
- LTA (1-3 days)
- LTA (>3 days)
- RW/JT (1-3 days)
- RW/JT (>3 days) **1**
- Other Injury

- EQUIPMENT FAILURE
- HUMAN ERROR
- EXTERNAL DAMAGE
- SLIP/TRIP/FALL
- WEATHER RELATED
- LEAK
- UPSET H2O TREATING
- OVERBOARD DRILLING FLUID
- OTHER _____

- FATALITY
- POLLUTION
- FIRE
- EXPLOSION

9. WATER DEPTH: **6037** FT.

- LWC HISTORIC BLOWOUT
- UNDERGROUND
 - SURFACE
 - DEVERTER
 - SURFACE EQUIPMENT FAILURE OR PROCEDURES

10. DISTANCE FROM SHORE: _____ MI.

11. WIND DIRECTION:
SPEED: _____ M.P.H.

12. CURRENT DIRECTION:
SPEED: _____ M.P.H.

COLLISION HISTORIC >\$25K <=\$25K

13. SEA STATE: _____ FT.

17. DESCRIBE IN SEQUENCE HOW ACCIDENT HAPPENED:

On September 13, 2007, at approximately 15:15 hours on OCS-G 9868, Mississippi Canyon (MC) 778, A Platform, while sitting on the floor working on "drop in steamer" Injured Person (IP) leaned forward and to the right looking up to install screw when he felt pain in lower back. IP sat up straight trying to work out pain but pain got worse. IP was Medi-vac'd at 18:54 hours. Reported incident to MMS after hours phone at 17:45 hours. IP was released to light duty on Monday (9/17) and instructed to return to the doctor on Thursday (9/20).

18. LIST THE PROBABLE CAUSE(S) OF ACCIDENT:

19. LIST THE CONTRIBUTING CAUSE(S) OF ACCIDENT:

20. LIST THE ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:

21. PROPERTY DAMAGED:

None

NATURE OF DAMAGE:

None

ESTIMATED AMOUNT (TOTAL):

\$

22. RECOMMENDATIONS TO PREVENT RECURRENCE NARRATIVE:

The New Orleans District makes no recommendations to MMS

23. POSSIBLE OCS VIOLATIONS RELATED TO ACCIDENT: **NO**

24. SPECIFY VIOLATIONS DIRECTLY OR INDIRECTLY CONTRIBUTING. NARRATIVE:

25. DATE OF ONSITE INVESTIGATION:

26. ONSITE TEAM MEMBERS:

No Onsite Investigation /

29. ACCIDENT INVESTIGATION

PANEL FORMED: **NO**

OCS REPORT:

30. DISTRICT SUPERVISOR:

Troy Trosclair

APPROVED

DATE: **27-SEP-2007**