

Civil/Criminal Penalties Program

The goal of the BSEE Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) CS Civil/Criminal Penalties Program is to assure safe and clean operations on the OCS. Through the pursuit, assessment, and collection of civil penalties and referrals for the consideration of criminal penalties, the program is designed to encourage compliance with OCS statutes and regulations.

2012 Civil/Criminal Penalties Summary Penalties Paid through the 1st Quarter of 2012 (1/1/2012 - 3/31/2012)

Operator Name and Case No.	Violation and Date(s)	Penalty Paid and Date Paid	Regulation(s) Violated 30 CFR)
Ankor Energy LLC G-2011-021	During a BSEE inspection, the inspectors discovered that the Operator removed the Level Safety High (LSH) on the Booster Compressor No. 2 Suction Scrubber and capped off the sensing line from the vessel to the Compressor shut down panel. Feb. 16, 2011	\$15,000 3/26/12	 250.803
Apache Corporation G-2011-029	During the course of a BSEE inspection, the inspectors discovered two Open Hole/Fall Hazards posing a threat to the safety of personnel on the rig. July 7, 2011	\$50,000 1/4/12	 250.401
Total Penalties Paid: 1/1/12 - 3/31/12			
2 Cases: \$65,000			

The following acronyms are used in this table:

LSH	Level Safety High
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The purpose of publishing the penalties summary is to provide information to the public on violations of special concern in OCS operations and to provide an additional incentive for safe and environmentally sound operations.