

FEDERAL ENERGY REGULATORY COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, DC 20426

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN

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Mr. C. Michael Smith
Executive Director
Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission
P.O. Box 53127
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Dear Mr. Smith:

The ongoing relationship between the Federal Energy Regulatory Commission (FERC) and the Interstate Oil and Gas Compact Commission (IOGCC) under a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) has been useful and productive.

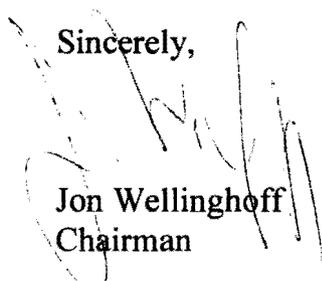
After reviewing our efforts over the past three years, it is now time to renew this agreement, provided it remains in the mutual best interests of the IOGCC and FERC.

I would propose to renew this agreement effective immediately to permit our continued collaboration on projects that address the energy needs of this country. I would further suggest that the term of the MOU be extended indefinitely, with the option for either party to cancel its participation with 30 days written notice.

If you have any questions, please direct them to Michael McGehee, FERC's official representative to the IOGCC, or Berne Mosley, MOU task force lead.

I look forward to hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Sincerely,



Jon Wellinohoff
Chairman

