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Rachel W. Sweeney
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NOAA Fisheries Southeast Regional Office
263 13th Avenue South
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RE: State of Alabama Coastal Consistency Concurrence
Deepwater Horizon (DWH) Open Ocean Trustee Implementation Group (TIG)
Open Ocean TIG Draft Restoration Plan 2 and Environmental Assessment: Fish, Sea Turtles, Marine
Mammals, and Mesophotic and Deep Benthic Communities (Draft RP2/EA)
Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM) Tracking Code: ACAMP-2019-212-FC-
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Dear Rachel:

On May 20, 2019 the ADEM received - by letter dated May 15, 2019 - the Open Ocean TIG's Consistency Determination (CD) that the proposed federal action, referenced above, is consistent with the Alabama Coastal Area Management Program. Public noticing requirements of Title 15 C.F.R. §930.42 have been completed. Pursuant to Title 15 C.F.R. §930.41, by this letter the ADEM hereby notifies the Open Ocean TIG of its concurrence with the Open Ocean TIG's CD.

Contact the Mobile-Coastal office anytime with questions. Always include the ADEM tracking code above when corresponding on this matter. J. Scott Brown is the Mobile-Coastal office contact for this project; he may be reached by phone at 251.304.1176 or by e-mail at jsb@adem.alabama.gov.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Anthony Scott Hughes".

Anthony Scott Hughes, Chief
Field Operations Division

cc: ADCNR | SLD, Will Underwood - (Via Email Only: will.underwood@adcnr.alabama.gov)
NOAA | Open Ocean TIG, Laurie Rounds - (Via Email Only: Laurie.Rounds@noaa.gov)

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