

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA**

FRIENDS OF THE EARTH, et al.,
Plaintiffs,

v.

DEBRA A. HAALAND, et al.,
Defendants,

STATE OF LOUISIANA,
Intervenor-Defendant,

AMERICAN PETROLEUM INSTITUTE,
Intervenor-Defendant.

Case No. 1:21-cv-02317-RC

NOTICE OF APPEAL

Notice is hereby given that Intervenor-Defendant the State of Louisiana hereby appeals to the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia Circuit from this Court's Order of January 27, 2022, ECF No. 77, vacating and remanding the Record of Decision (ROD) for Lease Sale 257, and the actions taken based on that ROD including Lease Sale 257.

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I filed this motion and its attachments with the Court via ECF, which will notify Plaintiffs' and Defendants' counsel.

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