

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF LOUISIANA
LAKE CHARLES DIVISION**

STATE OF LOUISIANA ET AL

CASE NO. 2:21-CV-00778

VERSUS

JUDGE TERRY A. DOUGHTY

JOSEPH R BIDEN JR ET AL

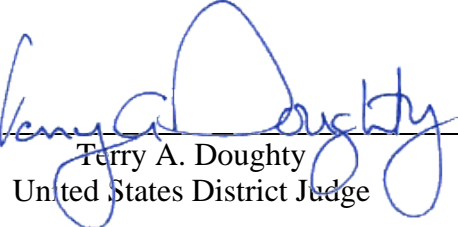
MAGISTRATE JUDGE KAY

ORDER

Considering the foregoing Motion for Leave to file *Amici Curiae* Brief in Support of Plaintiffs' Motion for Summary Judgment [Doc. No. 194] filed by the American Petroleum Institute; American Exploration & Production Council; Independent Petroleum Association of America; International Association of Drilling Contractors; EnerGeo Alliance; National Ocean Industries Association; Montana Petroleum Association; North Dakota Petroleum Council; Petroleum Alliance of Oklahoma; Southeast Oil and Gas Association; Utah Petroleum Association; Western States Petroleum Association; Aries Marine Corporation ("Aries"); and Valveworks USA, Inc. ("Valveworks") (collectively, "*amici*"),

IT IS ORDERED that the Motion is **GRANTED**. *Amici curiae* may file their brief within seven days of Plaintiffs' filing of their motion for summary judgment.

MONROE, LOUISIANA, this 29th day of March 2022.



Terry A. Doughty
United States District Judge