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

ALASKA INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT  
AND EXPORT AUTHORITY, et al,

Plaintiffs,

and

STATE OF ALASKA,

Intervenor-Plaintiff,

v.

JOSEPH R. BIDEN, JR., in his official  
capacity as President of the United States, et al.,

Defendants,

and

NATIVE VILLAGE OF VENETIE  
TRIBAL GOVERNMENT, et al.

Intervenor-Defendants

Case No. 3:21-cv-00245-SLG

**AMENDED NOTICE OF FILING  
OF NEW LAWSUIT RELATING  
TO LEASE CANCELLATION**

Plaintiff Alaska Industrial Development & Export Authority (“AIDEA”) respectfully submits this notice in connection with the pending Civil Rule 60 Motion for Relief from Final Judgment, Dkt. 83, and pending Civil Rule 59 Motion to Alter or Amend Summary Judgment Order and Judgment, Dkt. 76, filed by AIDEA and Plaintiffs North Slope Borough, Arctic Slope Regional Corporation, and Kaktovik Inupiat Corp. and Intervenor-Plaintiff State of Alaska. Consistent with the intent expressed in both motions, AIDEA advises the Court that on October 18, 2023 AIDEA filed a lawsuit against Defendants Department of the Interior and Bureau of Land Management seeking judicial review of their September 6, 2023 decision, announced by the Washington, DC headquarters office of DOI and BLM, to cancel AIDEA’s oil and gas leases that are discussed in the pending motions in this case.

The new case is Case No. 23-cv-03126, filed in the U.S. District Court for the District of Columbia. A copy of the Complaint initiating that case is attached as Exhibit A to this Notice.

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Respectfully submitted this 24th day of October, 2023.

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