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Hi Kit,

Just a couple of thoughts, to focus our short-term exercise.

Attached are: 1) the request from Assoc. Dep. Sec. Cason (KB shared this with you this morning), 2) the current draft of the GHG Emissions replacement IM, 3) the current draft of Deblyn's side-by-side on Mitigation manual and handbook, and 4) the current draft of the Mitigation replacement IM. I have touched base with Kristin on this, and also with Aaron and Laura B. in SOL. What I think we should be doing to comply with the June 28 Assoc Dep Sec memo is to describe our intent in the required format, but not provide the draft IMs themselves. I am providing them to you simply for background and general direction, but not to edit, as they are still going through their own editing/surnaming processes.

So given that the request from Mr. Cason is pretty straightforward (Description, Issues of Concern, Benefits, Success, Interim Methods) do you think we could get a working draft back to me, Kristin, Thomas, and Karen by c.o.b. tomorrow (Thursday)? That would give us tomorrow night and Friday morning to make any changes and share with COS and SOL, which have both requested a look before it goes to Mike c.o.b. Friday.

btw, we are thinking that Jeff Brune will be the person to marry up the 200 and 300 writeups into a single document. There may be some follow-up requests from either Mike or Jeff in the first part of next week, when you will be acting DAD.

Thank you!

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On Wed, Jul 5, 2017 at 2:13 PM, Bartholomew, Thomas <[tbarthol@blm.gov](mailto:tbarthol@blm.gov)> wrote:

Kit, I believe Jim Scrivner is preparing the report for WO300.

Best,

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Steve -- FYI. Karen -- the last item in their report discusses the O&G prioritization memo, May be worth a look. -K

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Thanks!  
Tim

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**A thought to consider "Do all the good you can, in all the ways you can, for all the people you can, while you can!"**

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**Subject:** Re: Draft Report under E.O. 13783

Hi Everyone-

The attachment to the memo is provided in MS Word here for your convenience.

Thank you!  
Liz

On Thu, Jun 29, 2017 at 11:22 AM, Howarth, Robert <[robert\\_howarth@ios.doi.gov](mailto:robert_howarth@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Good morning. Attached for review and action is a signed memorandum from James Cason regarding the Draft Report on Energy Independence under Executive Order 13783.

Regards, Rob

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## Template for Input into July Draft E.O. 13783 Energy Report

*Please use the format provided by this template for your input required under Executive Order 13783.*

### I. Executive Summary

*Please provide an executive summary highlighting key activities your bureau/office is doing to alleviate or eliminate actions that potentially burden development or use of domestically produced energy resources. Include:*

- *Estimated number of actions being addressed for burden reduction*
- *How many of those actions are related to:*
  - *Climate Change*
  - *Mitigation*
  - *Coal*
  - *Indian Energy*
  - *Energy-Related Information Collections*
  - *Grant Programs*
  - *Restrictions in Acquisition Policy or Regulation*
  - *Other*

### II. Recommendations for Alleviating or Eliminating Burdensome Actions

#### A. Climate Change Actions

*For **each** climate change action with the potential to burden development or use of domestically produced energy resources, provide:*

1. **Description.** *Describe the action, including whether the action is a policy, rule, or other document and how the action potentially burdens development or use of domestically produced energy resources*
2. **Opportunities to Address Burden or Other Issues of Concern.** *Describe how the action is being addressed to reduce burden on energy (rescission, revision, suspension, publication for public comment, or otherwise). Include an estimated timeline for addressing the action. Also describe plans for obtaining public input.*
3. **Anticipated Benefits.** *Describe benefits to be obtained by addressing the action and quantify benefits by filling in attached spreadsheet.*
4. **Measuring Success.** *Describe how the reduction in burden will be measured, including key timelines or benchmarks.*
5. **Interim Methods.** *Describe whether there are any interim compliance requirements, such as variances or waivers, that could be put into place pending longer-term revisions to regulations, and plans for instituting them.*

**B. Mitigation Actions**

For **each** Mitigation action with the potential to burden development or use of domestically produced energy resources, provide:

1. **Description.** Describe the action, including whether the action is a policy, rule, or other document and how the action potentially burdens development or use of domestically produced energy resources
2. **Opportunities to Address Burden or Other Issues of Concern.** Describe how the action is being addressed to reduce burden on energy (rescission, revision, suspension, publication for public comment, or otherwise). Include an estimated timeline for addressing the action. Also describe plans for obtaining public input.
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**C. Coal-Related**

For **each** coal-related action with the potential to burden development or use of domestically produced energy resources, provide:

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2. **Opportunities to Address Burden or Other Issues of Concern.** Describe how the action is being addressed to reduce burden on energy (rescission, revision, suspension, publication for public comment, or otherwise). Include an estimated timeline for addressing the action. Also describe plans for obtaining public input.
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#### **D. Indian Energy Actions**

For **each** Indian energy action with the potential to burden development or use of domestically produced energy resources (including but not limited to Tribal Energy Resource Agreement regulations, lack of capital and cost recovery for development of Tribal energy, and Indian trader regulations), provide:

- 1. Description.** Describe the action, including whether the action is a policy, rule, or other document and how the action potentially burdens development or use of domestically produced energy resources
- 2. Opportunities to Address Burden or Other Issues of Concern.** Describe how the action is being addressed to reduce burden on energy (rescission, revision, suspension, publication for public comment, or otherwise). Include an estimated timeline for addressing the action. Also describe plans for obtaining public input.
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#### **E. Energy-Related Information Collections under the Paperwork Reduction Act**

Identify whether there are any energy-related collections of information under the Paperwork Reduction Act (e.g., Approval of Operations, OMB Control No. 1004-0213; Application for Permit to Drill, OMB Control No. 1014-0025) that could reduce administrative burden on energy development and use through simplification of forms and associated instructions or guidance, or ceasing collections that are unnecessary or lack practical utility. For **each** such information collection, provide:

- 1. Description.** Describe the information collection and how it potentially burdens development or use of domestically produced energy resources
- 2. Opportunities to Address Burden or Other Issues of Concern.** Describe how the information collection is being addressed to reduce burden on energy (rescission, revision, suspension, publication for public comment, or otherwise). Include an estimated timeline for addressing the information collection. Also describe plans for obtaining public input.
- 3. Anticipated Benefits.** Describe benefits to be obtained by addressing the information collection and quantify benefits by filling in attached spreadsheet.
- 4. Measuring Success.** Describe how the reduction in burden will be measured, including key timelines or benchmarks.

5. **Interim Methods.** *Describe whether there are any interim compliance requirements, such as variances or waivers, that could be put into place pending longer-term revisions to the information collection, and plans for instituting them.*

#### F. Grant Programs

*Identify whether there are any grant programs (including applications and scoring processes) that potentially burden the development or use of domestically produced energy, particularly those that exclude the production or use of certain forms of energy. For **each** such grant program, provide:*

1. **Description.** *Describe the grant program and how it potentially burdens development or use of domestically produced energy resources*
2. **Opportunities to Address Burden or Other Issues of Concern.** *Describe how the grant program is being addressed to reduce burden on energy (rescission, revision, suspension, publication for public comment, or otherwise). Include an estimated timeline for addressing the grant program. Also describe plans for obtaining public input.*
3. **Anticipated Benefits.** *Describe benefits to be obtained by addressing the grant program and quantify benefits by filling in attached spreadsheet.*
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#### G. Restrictions in Acquisition Policy and Regulations

*Identify whether there are any restrictions in acquisition policy and regulations (including but not limited to the policy for energy management) that potentially burden the development or use of domestically produced energy. For **each** such restriction, provide:*

1. **Description.** *Describe the restriction and how it potentially burdens development or use of domestically produced energy resources*
2. **Opportunities to Address Burden or Other Issues of Concern.** *Describe how the restriction is being addressed to reduce burden on energy (rescission, revision, suspension, publication for public comment, or otherwise). Include an estimated timeline for addressing the restriction. Also describe plans for obtaining public input.*
3. **Anticipated Benefits.** *Describe benefits to be obtained by addressing the restriction and quantify benefits by filling in attached spreadsheet.*
4. **Measuring Success.** *Describe how the reduction in burden will be measured, including key timelines or benchmarks.*

5. **Interim Methods.** *Describe whether there are any interim compliance requirements, such as variances or waivers, that could be put into place pending longer-term revisions to the restriction, and plans for instituting them.*

**H. Other Actions that Potentially Burden Development or Use of Energy**

*Identify any other action identified that does not fit into one of the categories listed above, with the potential to burden development or use of domestically produced energy resources. For **each** such action, provide:*

1. **Description.** *Describe the action, including whether the action is a policy, rule, or other document and how the action potentially burdens development or use of domestically produced energy resources*
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