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## Latest Draft of BLM's E.O. 13783 Report -- Revised per Feedback from Exec Sec

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**Mali, Peter** <pmali@blm.gov>

Wed, Jul 19, 2017 at 5:48 PM

To: Michael Nedd <mnedd@blm.gov>, John Ruhs <jruhs@blm.gov>, Kathleen Benedetto <kathleen\_benedetto@ios.doi.gov>

Cc: Kelly Orr <korr@blm.gov>

Mike, John, and Kathy:

Attached is a new version of BLM's report pursuant to E.O. 13783, which reflects feedback from ASLM and Exec Sec (see email from Rich Cardinale below). It appears below both in Track Changes and as a "clean" version.

As you know, Exec Sec is anxious to receive this report, as it was due to the Department last week.

When you provide comments, please reply to all recipients of this message. On a related note, recall that I will be on annual leave tomorrow and Friday. Kelly Orr (cc:ed here) will serve as Acting CoS, and she will assign the task of compiling/consolidating your comments to staff as she sees fit (Briana Collier and Greg Fuhs (WO-610) are helping out tomorrow and Friday as "pinch-hitters").

Finally, there is an additional element of this assignment: a spreadsheet that needs to be filled out. This product is being worked on by staff for 200, 300, and 400.

If you have questions or need information, please call my cell (202-503-7460).

Peter

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From: **Cardinale, Richard** <richard\_cardinale@ios.doi.gov>

Date: Tue, Jul 18, 2017 at 1:02 PM

Subject: Re: Time Sensitive: BLM's EO 13783 report

To: "Moran, Jill" <jcmoran@blm.gov>

Cc: Peter Mali <pmali@blm.gov>, "Joseph (Gene) Seidlitz" <gseidlitz@blm.gov>

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Rich

On Tue, Jul 18, 2017 at 10:34 AM, Moran, Jill <jcmoran@blm.gov> wrote:

Peter,

As a follow-up to our conversation yesterday, I added some comments to the BLM's report on EO 13783 based on my understanding of what Exec Sec would like to see. My notes are not comprehensive but will hopefully give you an idea. In general, I think they are looking for more focus on what the BLM is doing to reduce the potential burden and how these actions support what the Secretary is trying to achieve.

Exec Sec is really anxious to get this back from BLM - they still have work to do with it prior to sending it to the White House. Can we get it by COB today?

Thanks,  
Jill

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**Jill Moran**

**Energy Program Analyst - BLM Liaison**

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**2 attachments**

 **BLM EO 13783 Energy Report\_REVISED per feedback from Exec Sec and ASLM\_DRAFT as of 5pm\_07.19.2017\_Track Changes.docx**  
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 **BLM EO 13783 Energy Report\_REVISED per feedback from Exec Sec and ASLM\_DRAFT as of 5pm\_07.19.2017\_CLEAN.docx**  
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**Orr, Kelly** <korr@blm.gov>  
To: Michael Nedd <mnedd@blm.gov>  
Cc: "Thurn, Linda" <lthurn@blm.gov>

Fri, Jul 21, 2017 at 11:32 AM

Mike - Here is the copy of our EO 13783 Report that went to ASLM (attached is a track changes version that reflects Rich and Jill's edits, and a clean copy).

Thanks,

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From: **Orr, Kelly** <korr@blm.gov>  
Date: Thu, Jul 20, 2017 at 6:56 PM  
Subject: Re: Latest Draft of BLM's E.O. 13783 Report -- Revised per Feedback from Exec Sec  
To: "Cardinale, Richard" <[richard\\_cardinale@ios.doi.gov](mailto:richard_cardinale@ios.doi.gov)>  
Cc: "Mali, Peter" <[pmali@blm.gov](mailto:pmali@blm.gov)>, Jill Moran <[jcmoran@blm.gov](mailto:jcmoran@blm.gov)>

Rich - I reviewed your version and the edits from you and Jill looked good.

I've attached two new versions here - track changes with yours and Jill's edits, and a clean version.

I checked the spreadsheet and everything is showing up fine for me - not sure what the lines are that you're seeing. Here's a print screen of how it looks when I open it:

Agency	Sub-Agency	Reference	Recommendation Number	Agency Action Title	Type of Agency Action	Preliminary Summary	Expected Start Date	Expected Completion	Energy Industry Affected	EOL/ET/ET/ET
BLM		Preservation Incentives (Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) 10/17/10 (Dec. 31, 2017) - The Central and Eastern Quality Database on Cumulative Impacts on the Baseline and the Effects of Climate Change on National Economic Policy Act Review			Policy	The Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) provides guidance on coordination of greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions and the effects of climate change in NEPA reviews. The Memorandum also provides general guidance for calculating reasonably foreseeable direct and indirect GHG emissions of proposed actions. As the CEQ guidance on software permits to Federal Land Executive Order 13833, the BLM Memorandum of Understanding would clarify that emissions or indirect effects may be difficult to quantify, especially when production or resource operations are not readily quantifiable with a rate or an operational unit. General guidance would require or estimate operations NEPA analysis in such situations. It would also require BLM efforts of attempting to quantify emissions emissions that are completely outside of the BLM's operational authority (e.g., wilderness hot process gas from a wide area of sources, including non-Federal sources).	07/2017	01/2020	Multiple Industries	Yes
BLM		Mitigation Manual Section (MS) 1701 and Handbook (H) 1701.1			Policy	The Mitigation Manual Section and Handbook provide direction on the use of mitigation, including compensatory mitigation, to support the BLM's multiple use and sustained yield missions. The 2016 Manual and Handbook replaced an old MS (MS) number 2015-001, 2016-001, and 2017-001 issued by BLM for the same purpose. The 2016 Manual and Handbook encourage identification of mitigation standards that seek to achieve "no net loss" or "net benefit." The iterative MS/HB has demonstrated an organized, consistent, and clear path to a project's final results. A "net benefit" standard may be the best approach to use if it is not possible to achieve "no net loss" or "net benefit." To appropriate with the best management practices, for example, there is a voluntary or self-imposed BLM standard measures, the nature, level, complexity, activity, and the project, individual. The proposed handbook would be added as an amended through revision of the Mitigation Manual and Handbook, specifically through identifying a mitigation standard that is possible, not more protective than, "no net loss." Other measures, such as identifying that measure requires compensatory mitigation, and how to calculate the appropriate level and amount of compensatory mitigation may further enhance the proposed handbook.	07/2017	01/2020	Multiple Industries	Yes
BLM		BLM Manual 523 - National Monuments, National Conservation Areas, and Similar Designations			Policy	Manual 523 provides guidance for managing BLM National Conservation Lands designated by Congress or the President or National Monuments, National Conservation Areas, and other designations (NCA's) in order to comply with the Designating Acts of Congress and Presidential Proclamations, Federal Land Policy and Management Act of 1976 (FLPMA), and the Omnibus Public Land Management Act of 2001 (OPLMA). Manual 523 requires that when processing a new ROW application, to the greatest extent possible, through the NEPA process, the BLM will determine the consistency of the ROW with the Management and/or CA's ability and...	07/2017	01/2020	Multiple Industries	Yes

Let me know if there's anything else I can do to help on this item.

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On Thu, Jul 20, 2017 at 5:48 PM, Cardinale, Richard <[richard\\_cardinale@ios.doi.gov](mailto:richard_cardinale@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Kelly,

When you open the spreadsheet, do you see a series of lines that stretch across the top portion (columns c through g)? When I open it, I see such lines.

Rich

On Thu, Jul 20, 2017 at 4:05 PM, Orr, Kelly <[korr@blm.gov](mailto:korr@blm.gov)> wrote:

Rich,

I've attached an updated version of the report, as well as BLM's spreadsheet. Kathy Benedetto is still reviewing and can touch base as needed with Kate on these materials.

If you have any questions for me please let me know.

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On Wed, Jul 19, 2017 at 6:26 PM, Cardinale, Richard <[richard\\_cardinale@ios.doi.gov](mailto:richard_cardinale@ios.doi.gov)> wrote:

Thanks, Peter.

Rich

On Wed, Jul 19, 2017 at 6:16 PM, Mali, Peter <[pmali@blm.gov](mailto:pmali@blm.gov)> wrote:

Rich:

As discussed, attached is a Track Changes and "clean" version of the latest iteration of BLM's report pursuant to E.O. 13783. The attached version incorporates changes intended to reframe our narrative per your and Exec Sec's comments.

Regarding the related spreadsheet, staff for WO-200, 300, and 400 are populating it. They are aware that Exec Sec wants to receive this spreadsheet just as urgently as the narrative.

If you need to reach me today or tomorrow, I can be reached by cell at 202-503-7460. Otherwise, I'll be back in the office on Monday.

Take care,

Peter

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