### INFORMATIONAL HEARING

# Comparative Advantages and Disadvantages of Developing Offshore Oil Resources from Offshore or Onshore Sites

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- Statutory Framework: Mark Meier, CSLC
- Technology of Extended Reach Drilling: Steve Curran, CSLC
- Operational Consideration-Limitations: *Pete Johnson, CSLC*
- Environmental Factors: Eric Gilles, CSLC
- Access Onshore Constraints: Doug Anthony, Santa Barbara County
- Environmental Advocate Perspectives:
  - Linda Krop, Environmental Defense Ctr.
  - Steve Uhring- Malibu Coastal Land Conservancy
  - Richard Charter- Defenders of Wildlife
- Industry Perspective: Bob Poole, Western States Petroleum Association
- Potential State Resource Areas: Jeff Planck, CSLC
- Staff Evaluation Methodology: *Greg Scott, CSLC*
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# Overview of Offshore California Oil Fields

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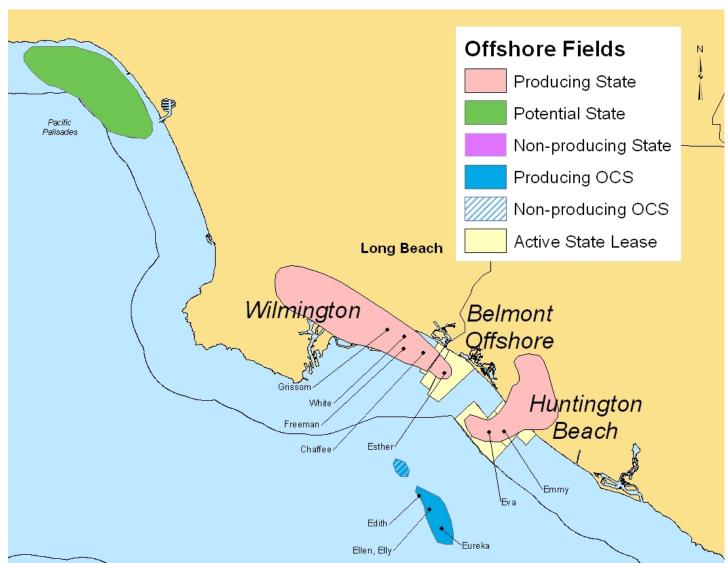
## Offshore California Oil & Gas Resources

(Santa Barbara & Ventura Counties)



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(Los Angeles & Orange Counties)



# California Offshore Platforms

#### **State Platforms**

Holly

Eva

Esther

**Emmy** 

5 Islands (4 in Long Beach Unit, 1 at Rincon)

#### **Federal Platforms**

23 Platforms Statewide

4 in southern California

4 in Santa Maria area (north county)

15 in Santa Barbara Channel