

**CLARIFICATION TO INVITATION FOR BID FOR ROYALTY GAS
GULF OF MEXICO ROYALTY IN KIND PROJECTS
MINERALS MANAGEMENT SERVICE**

By this notice, the Minerals Management Service (MMS) is clarifying its Invitation for Bid (IFB) for Royalty Gas that was originally issued via an MMS Home Page posting on October 8, 1999, and subsequently amended on two occasions. This clarification addresses approved delivery points for Delivery Gas as defined in the IFB.

Each of the four delivery points identified in the original IFB is still approved. Bids will be accepted relative to gas deliveries at these points. With respect to Delivery Gas to be provided to MMS on ANR or NGPL Pipelines, the following two pools are also acceptable for provision of Delivery Gas:

1. ANR Louisiana Pool (ANR SE Headstation)
2. NGPL LA Pool