

Reporting or recordkeeping requirement 30 CFR part 203	Application/Audit Fees		
	Average No. annual responses	Hour burden	Annual burden hours
	Processing Fees = \$59,000		
DWRAA Reporting			
Application—leases in designated areas of GOM deep water acquired in lease sale before 11/28/95 or after 11/28/00 and are producing (deep water expansion project).	1 Application	2,000	2,000
	Application 1 × \$39,000 = \$39,000 No Audit		
Application—leases in designated areas of deep water GOM, acquired in lease sale before 11/28/95 or after 11/28/00, that have not produced (pre-Act or post-2000 deep water leases).	1 Application	2,000	2,000
	Application 1 × \$49,000 = \$49,000 * Audit 1 × \$25,000 = \$25,000		
Application—short form to add or assign pre-Act lease	1 Application	40	40
	Application 1 × \$1,000 = \$1,000 No Audit		
Application—preview assessment (seldom if ever will be used as applicants generally opt for binding determination by MMS instead).	1 Application	900	900
	Application 1 × \$46,600 = \$46,600 No Audit		
Application—apart from formal programs for royalty relief for marginal expansion project or marginal non-producing lease (expect < 1 per year).	1 Application	1,000	1,000
	Application 1 × \$49,000 = \$49,000 Audit 1 × \$20,000 = \$20,000		
Redetermination	1 Redetermination	500	500
	Application 1 × \$32,000 = \$32,000 * Audit 1 × \$25,000 = \$25,000		
§ 203.70, 203.81, 203.90, 203.91 Submit fabricator's confirmation report	2 Reports	20	40
§ 203.70, 203.81, 203.90, 203.92 Submit post-production development report	2 Reports *	50	100
§ 203.77 Renounce relief arrangement (seldom, if ever will be used; minimal burden to prepare letter).	1 Letter	1	1
§ 203.79(a) Request reconsideration of MMS field designation	4 Requests	400	1,600
§ 203.79(c) Request extension of deadline to start construction	1 Request	2	2
§ 203.81, 203.83 through 203.89 Required reports	Burden included with applications		0
DWRRA Reporting Subtotal	16 Reponses	N/A	8,183
	Processing Fees = \$286,600		
Recordkeeping Burden			
§ 203.91 Retain cost records for post-production development/fabrication reports (records retained as usual/customary business practice; minimal burden to make available at MMS request).	2 Recordkeepers	8	16
Total Annual Burden	22 Responses	N/A	8,650

* CPA certification expense burden also imposed on applicant.

Estimated Reporting and Recordkeeping "Non-Hour Cost" Burden: There are two non-hour costs associated with this information collection. The currently approved non-hour cost burden is \$661,000. This estimate is based on:

(a) Application and audit fees. The total annual estimated cost burden for these fees is \$345,600 (refer to burden chart).

(b) Cost of reports prepared by independent certified public accountants. Under § 203.81, a report prepared by an independent certified

public accountant (CPA) must accompany the application and post-production report (expansion project, short form, and preview assessment applications are excluded). The OCS Lands Act applications will require this report only once; the DWRRA applications will require this report at