

**Alaska State Chamber of Commerce  
2008 Position**

**Support for Oil and Gas Exploration and Development  
In Alaska's Outer Continental Shelf (OCS) Waters**

The Alaska State Chamber of Commerce strongly supports offshore oil and gas exploration and production in Alaska's Beaufort Sea, Chukchi Sea, Cook Inlet and Bristol Bay. The Chamber asks the Alaska Congressional Delegation and Governor to support responsible development of these valuable resources and organize a concerted effort to encourage Congress and the Bush Administration to enact offshore revenue sharing for states and local communities.