## New Permits to Drill - Overview

- 1. Complete applications consist of LT1, MD-10-R-1, AFLN-1, Plat
  - 1. Some applications have optional documents affidavits, etc.
- 2. Verify information is complete- signed by District; signed by BR engineer; receipt dates; location details on form match plat; invoice is appropriate amount and payment received
  - 1. Location description must reference section lines or monument
- 3. Assign serial number and API
  - 1. Serial number is next in sequence from blue book
  - API is assigned by surface location state, parish (or offshore area) sequence code. Maintained in spreadsheet- tab for each parish/offshore area F:\OoC\Eng\Engineering\RegulatorySection\PermitsSection\DrillingPermits "API – Well Permit Register – Form-DMH – [YEAR]"
- 4. Key in data; generate letter and permit
  - 1. See attached New Permits to Drill Data Entry
- 5. Create folder with label
- 6. Distribute generated permits and letter (print 3 letters)
  - 1. Operator permit, letter, guidance letter
  - 2. District permit, letter
  - 3. Well Files permit, letter, application, folder
  - 4. Book obsolete

## **Permit Fees**

Depth	6-month	1-year
≤ 3,000′	\$126	\$252
3,001 – 10,000′	\$631	\$1,262
≥ 10,001′	\$1,264	\$2,528