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Senator Bryant,

The Trump Administration just issued permits to five private companies that will enable seismic airgun blasting in the Atlantic Ocean and off South Carolina's coast.

Seismic airgun blasting is used to search for oil and gas deep below the seafloor, and the process is deafeningly loud and dangerous to marine life, including the endangered North Atlantic right whale. In addition, blasting is a step closer to offshore drilling, an activity that would threaten our fragile coast and economy and that the overwhelming majority of South Carolinians oppose.

The Coastal Conservation League is preparing to fight this action with you. Make sure we have the resources to defend South Carolina's coast. Give now at:

<https://secure.coastalconservationleague.org/page/content/defend-our-coast/>

We will be in touch with more soon and welcome you to **follow this developing story on our website.**

Stay tuned,

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