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November 24, 2004

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
State of Louisiana
Post Office Box 94275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

WM. TIMOTHY ALLEN, III
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RE: HEARING APPLICATION
Alternate Unit Well at Exceptional Location
HOSS RA SUJ
West Simsboro Field
Lincoln Parish, Louisiana
Our File No. 450323.0017

Dear Sir:

On behalf of WILL-DRILL PRODUCTION COMPANY, INC., application is hereby made for a public hearing to receive evidence concerning the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the West Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana:

1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well, at the location shown on the plat attached hereto, in exception to the well spacing provisions of the Office of Conservation Order 327-B-6, effective March 4, 1986.
2. That Tensas Delta Exploration Company should remain designated as operator of their Tensas Delta Exploration Company, LLC - Reeves No. 1 and Butler No. 1-Alt. Well which shall be utilized as the substitute unit well and an alternate unit well, respectively, for HOSS RA SUJ, and should be permitted to separately report production from said wells to the Office of Conservation.
3. That upon successful completion of the proposed alternate unit well, Will-Drill Production Company, Inc. should be permitted to separately report production from said well to the Office of Conservation.
4. That a single unit allowable should be assigned to HOSS RA SUJ and should be recoverable from either the substitute unit well, the existing alternate unit wells, or the proposed additional alternate unit well, or any combination of such wells with the

allocation of such allowable between said wells to be arranged between the operators of the respective wells, at their discretion.

5. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the West Simsboro Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 327-B-6, effective March 4, 1986.

The Rules of Procedure of the Commissioner of Conservation pertaining to the Pre-Application Notice requirements, are not applicable to the hearing requested herein, which requires legal notice of only ten (10) days.

Pertinent data concerning the intended application will be made available for inspection at the offices of Blanchard, Walker, O'Quin & Roberts, 14th Floor, Bank One Tower, 400 Texas Street, Shreveport, Louisiana 71163-1126. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Wm. Timothy Allen III at (318) 221-6858 during normal business hours or write Mr. Allen at the above address, in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

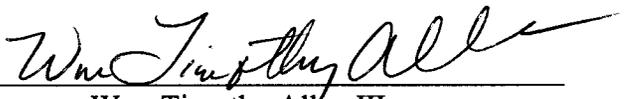
A list of the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (as defined in the Rules of Procedure) is attached hereto, and a copy of this notice, with the annexed plat, is being sent to each of such persons. A reasonable effort has been made to determine that the enclosed list includes all of the persons to whom this notice must be sent under the Rules of Procedure.

A check in the amount of \$755.00 made payable to the Commissioner of Conservation is enclosed herewith as the statutory fee for holding the requested hearing.

This application is being filed in duplicate, and a copy hereof is being sent to Mr. James C. Broussard, Shreveport District Manager of the Office of Conservation and to each Interested Owner, Represented Party and Interested Party whose name is shown on the attached list.

Very truly yours,

BLANCHARD, WALKER, O'QUIN & ROBERTS

By: 
Wm. Timothy Allen III

Attorneys for Will-Drill Production Company, Inc.

WTAMIII:bp
Enclosures

- cc: Mr. James C. Broussard, Shreveport
District Manager (w/enclosures)
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties (w/copy of plat only)

T 18 N - R 4 W

TRAHAN

HOSS RA SU H
 576 ± ACRES
 15
 NAT'L. G.&O. NAPPER 1 10,187'
 PROSP. I & T NAPPER 2 8350'
 TRAHAN NAPPER 1 10,638'
 TRAHAN NAPPER 1 8501'
 PROP. I & T (ENERGY DEV.) SUMLIN 1-ALT (8300') 8281'

KCS RESOURCES NAPPER ET AL 2-ALT. 9350'
 9920'

L'OIL OPER. (CYPRESS) LIVINGSTON 1 11,085'

13,380'
 1 (O.B. MOBLEY) MILES
 PROSP. I & T LUDLEY 1-ALT. 9465'
 TRAHAN YOUNGER EST. 1 7957'
 13

14
 TRAHAN GAFFORD 1 9789'
HOSS RA SU A
 672 ± ACRES

HOSS RA SU I
 640 ± ACRES

TXO COOK L-1 11,000'
 HUMBLE MATTHEWS 1 10,541'
 TRAHAN FIRKLE 1 8036'
 22
HOSS RA SU B
 672 ± ACRES
 KEY PROD. MAXWELL 1 8400'

TENSAS EXPL. S.L. 13582 3-ALT WHELESS 9500'
 S.L. 8378 WHELESS 1 10,800'
 S.L. 13582 2 6700'
 TRAHAN ST. LSE. FEE 6 8068'
 9850'

HOSS RA SU K
 640 ± ACRES
 WILL-DRILL FRANKLIN 1 9200'
 WILL-DRILL FRANKLIN 2-ALT 8500'

23
 PROP. ALT. UNIT WELL WILL-DRILL PROD. CO. S.L. 13582 NO. 23-1
 TENSAS EXPL. BUTLER 1-ALT. 8600'
 TENSAS EXPL. C.A. REEVES 1 8200'

24
 WHELESS SIMS EST. 1 10,250'

TMR CHOATE 1 10,875'
HOSS RA SU N
 640 ± ACRES
 ROBERTS LEDBETTER 27 1 8248'

ST. MARY BARTLETT 1 8140'
 1 WHELESS J. HYATT 8400'
 INEXCO HOWARD 1 9000'
 26

HILLIARD HARRIS 1 8303'
HOSS RA SU L
 640 ± ACRES
 BROYLES IGOE 25 1 8308'

HOSS RA SU M
 640 ± ACRES

EXHIBIT NO. 1

DOCKET NO. _____

WILL-DRILL PRODUCTION COMPANY, INC.
SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA

WEST SIMSBORO FIELD
LINCOLN PARISH, LOUISIANA

**PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL AT EXCEPTIONAL LOCATION FOR
HOSSTON RESERVOIR A SAND UNIT J**



:PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL



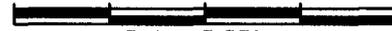
:EXISTING SUBSTITUTE AND UNIT WELLS

--- :EXISTING HOSS RA SAND UNITS



:EXISTING ALTERNATE UNIT WELLS

0' 1000' 2000' 3000' 4000'



GRAPHIC SCALE

ONLY WELLS PENETRATING THE HOSSSTON ARE SHOWN.