

LAKE BISTINEAU FIELD
05-1356

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, DECEMBER 20, 2005**, upon the application of **EMPRESA ENERGY, L.P.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A**, in the Lake Bistineau Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

1. To create three (3) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, such units being designated CV RA SUW through CV RA SUY.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed additional units in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To designate a unit operator of, and unit wells for, the proposed additional units as may be appropriate.
4. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 287-A-1, effective August 1, 1980, to the proposed additional units
5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1036, effective May 24, 1978, and was further defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 287-A-1, effective August 1, 1980.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.