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January 30, 2006

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, LA 70804-4275

Re: 11,000' Sand, Reservoir A
SULLIVANS LAKE FIELD
Iberville Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **BROWNING OIL COMPANY, INC.** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the 11,000' Sand, Reservoir A, in the Sullivans Lake Field, Iberville Parish, Louisiana:

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the 11,000' Sand, Reservoir A, in Sullivans Lake Field, Iberville Parish, Louisiana, said proposed unit designated 11000 RA SUA, as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To designate Browning Oil Company, Inc. as operator of the proposed unit.
4. To designate its Schwing No. 1 Well as unit well for the proposed unit.
5. To provide that any future wells drilled to the 11,000' Sand, Reservoir A, should be located in accordance with the spacing provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
6. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the reservoir by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing if the

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producing characteristics of the reservoir changes and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.

7. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The 11,000' Sand, Reservoir A, in the Sullivans Lake Field, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 11,552 feet and 11,644 feet (electrical log measurements) (subsea depths of 10,918 and 10,994 feet) in the Browning Oil Company, Inc. – Schwing No. 1 Well, located in Section 73, Township 10 South, Range 11 East, Iberville Parish, Louisiana.

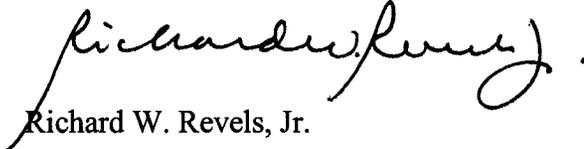
Pertinent data, including well logs, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from Mr. Bill Dale of W. H. Robbins & Associates, L.L.C., 302 LaRue France, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508, Telephone Number (337) 232-5004.

Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, pre-application notice was given; however, no request for the conference was received. Therefore, the conference tentatively scheduled for February 9, 2006, **WILL NOT BE HELD.**

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the applicant's proposal, along with a list of the names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties to whom a copy of this application is being mailed. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, the plat (being the same plat attached to the pre-application notice dated January 19, 2006) and the list of parties are being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation; however, the plat and/or list of parties will be furnished to any party requesting copies. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed is our check in the amount of \$755.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

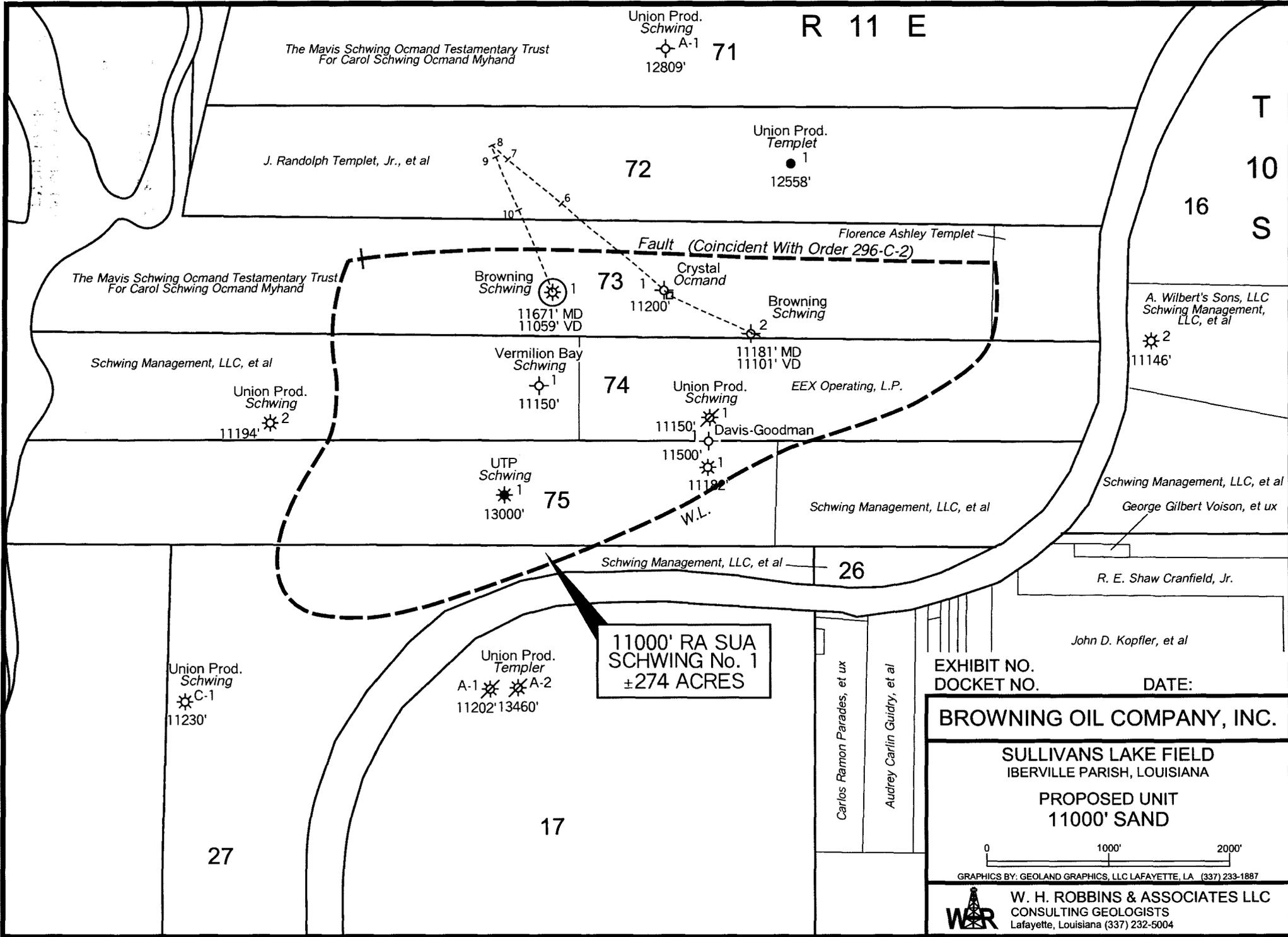
Very truly yours,


Richard W. Revels, Jr.

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Attachments

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cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, Lafayette District Office of Conservation
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties



11000' RA SUA
SCHWING No. 1
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EXHIBIT NO. _____ DATE: _____
DOCKET NO. _____

BROWNING OIL COMPANY, INC.

SULLIVANS LAKE FIELD
IBERVILLE PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT
11000' SAND

0 1000' 2000'

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