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May 23, 2006

Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
State of Louisiana
Post Office Box 44275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4275

Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING.

Hosston A Zone and Hosston B Zone, SIBLEY FIELD,
Webster Parish, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, L.L.C. ("Applicant"), hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hosston A Zone and to the Hosston B Zone in the Sibley Field, Webster Parish, Louisiana:

1. To create six (6) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston A Zone, and from the Hosston B Zone, such units being shown on attached plats and being designated HOSS A&B SUPP, HOSS A&B SUQQ, HOSS A&B SURR, HOSS A&B SUSS, HOSS A&B SUTT and HOSS A&B SUUU.
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 redefine the base of the Hosston B Zone, insofar and only insofar as to the six (6) additional units proposed herein for the Hosston B Zone, as occurring at the depth of 9,690 feet (electrical log measurement) in the Nelson Energy, Inc.--Worsham No. 1 Well, located in Section 23, Township 18 North, Range 9 West, Webster Parish, Louisiana.
5. To permit applicant to combine downhole production from the Hosston A Zone with production from the Hosston B Zone in any well drilled on the proposed identical units for these zones in which the interests in such units are identical.
6. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 148-J, effective February 1, 1972, as amended and supplemented by the Order No. 148-J series of Orders, to the proposed additional units.
7. To discuss such other matters as may be pertinent.

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The Hosston A and B Zones in the Sibley Field, Webster Parish, Louisiana, are defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 148-J, effective February 1, 1972.

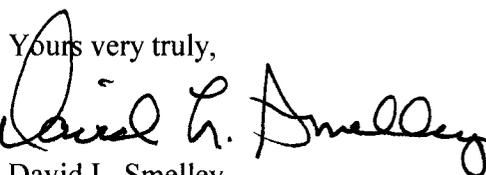
Any pertinent data concerning this application will be available for inspection at the offices of Mr. Joe B. Adams, 9141 Interline Avenue, Suite 3A, Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70809. Any person wishing to inspect any such data should call Mr. Adams at (225) 929-6097 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data which is not otherwise available from the records of the Louisiana Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

By letter dated May 8, 2006, Applicant gave notice, in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure, of its intention to apply for a public hearing concerning these proposals and set May 31, 2006, as the tentative date for the pre-application conference. No request for the pre-application conference was received; accordingly, no pre-application conference will be held.

Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom notice of this application is being sent and has attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of such parties. A copy of each of the unit plats (which are identical to the unit plats attached to the pre-application notice) is enclosed herewith, and a copy of this letter and of the attached plats is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation and to each of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties as shown on the attached list.

Applicant will provide for posting of a copy of the Legal Notice of this hearing, and of the enclosed plats, at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause publication of the Legal Notice in a newspaper published in the general area of Sibley Field, all in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Furthermore, Applicant will mail a copy of the Legal Notice to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties promptly upon receipt of the Legal Notice from the Commissioner.

Finally, enclosed herewith is our check payable to the Office of Conservation covering the application fee.

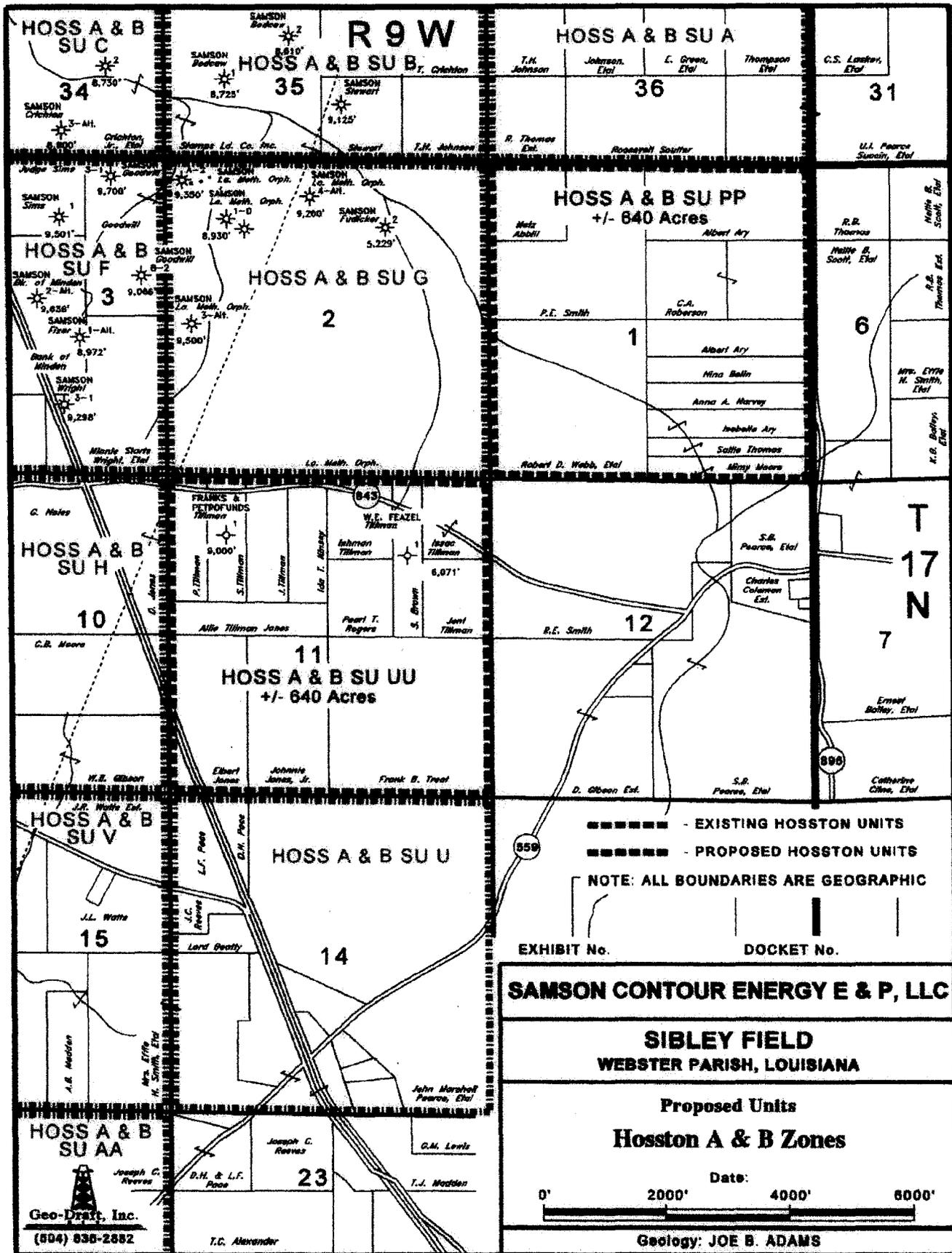
Yours very truly,


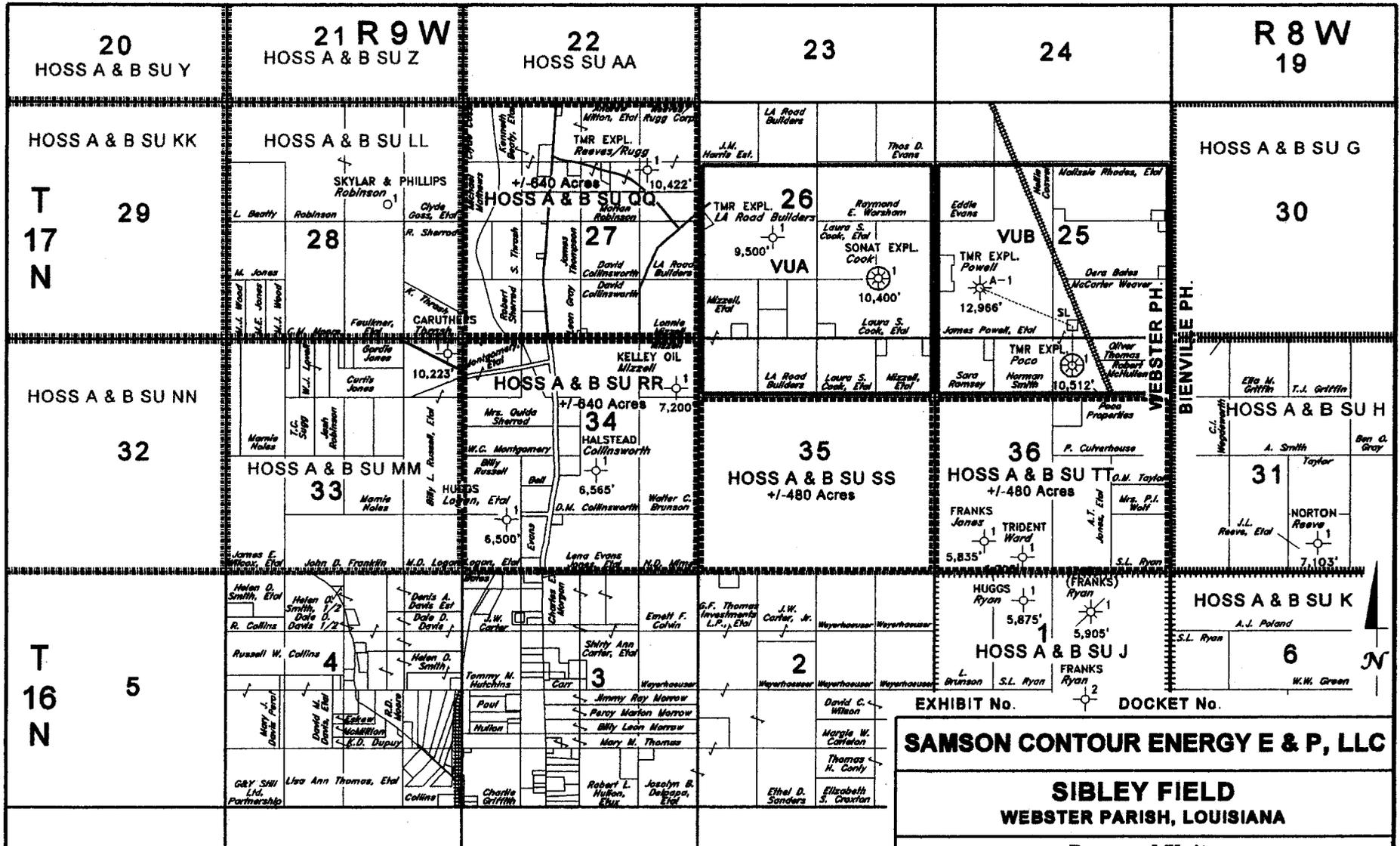
David L. Smelley
Attorney for Samson Contour Energy E&P, L.L.C.

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Jim Broussard (w/encls.)
Mr. Dennis Ritter (w/encls.)
Mr. Joe B. Adams (w/encls.)
Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties (w/plats only)





- - PROPOSED HOSSTON UNITS
- - EXISTING HOSSTON UNITS - SIBLEY FIELD
- - EXISTING HOSSTON UNITS - JAMESTOWN FIELD
- - PENDING HOSSTON UNITS - JAMESTOWN FIELD
- - VOLUNTARY UNITS - JAMESTOWN FIELD

NOTE: ALL BOUNDARIES ARE GEOGRAPHIC.

EXHIBIT No. _____ DOCKET No. _____

SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E & P, LLC

SIBLEY FIELD
WEBSTER PARISH, LOUISIANA

Proposed Units
Hosston A & B Zones
Reservoir A

Date: _____

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Geology: JOE B. ADAMS