

**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, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, AUGUST 8, 2006**, upon the application of **STROUD PRODUCTION LLC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hackberry Sand, Reservoir B; Hackberry Zone, Reservoirs C and D; and the Nonion Struma Zone, Reservoirs E and F** in the Topsy Field, Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana.

1. To dissolve the existing drilling and production unit created as the HBY 4 RB SUA by Office of Conservation Order No. 957-B, effective January 19, 1999, and to simultaneously create two (2) single drilling and production units for the Hackberry Zone, Reservoirs C and D.
2. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from said units.
3. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Nonion Struma Zone, Reservoirs E and F.
4. To create two (2) single drilling and production units for the Nonion Struma Zone, Reservoirs E and F.
5. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the units so created on a surface acreage basis of participation.
6. To allow the Commissioner of Conservation to reclassify the Reservoir(s) by supplemental order, without the necessity of a public hearing, should the producing characteristics of the reservoir(s) change and evidence to justify reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hackberry Zone, Reservoirs C and D, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 7,290 feet and 7,799 feet (electric log measurements) in the Hunt Oil Company-Hayes Lumber Company, Inc. No. 1 Well, located in Section 28, Township 7 South, Range 7 West, Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana.

The Nonion Struma Zone, Reservoirs E and F, in the Topsy Field, is hereby defined as being that gas condensate bearing zone found between the depths of 7,799 feet and 8,000 feet (electric log measurements) in the Hunt Oil Company-Hayes Lumber Company, Inc. No. 1 Well, located in Section 28, Township 7 South, Range 7 West, Jefferson Davis Parish, Louisiana.

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

[www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm](http://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.**