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October 29, 2007

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

Re: Marginulina Howei - Marginulina Texana Zone, Reservoir A
(Marg Howei-Marg Tex Zone)
West Manchester Field
Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **MAYNE & MERTZ, 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:

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create two (2) drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Marginulina Howei - Marginulina Texana Zone, Reservoir A, in West Manchester Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, said units to be designated MARG H-MT RA SUA and MARG H-MT RA SUB, all 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 units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To provide that any future wells drilled to the Marg Howei-Marg Tex Zone, Reservoir A, in the West Manchester Field, within or outside the proposed units, should be located in accordance with the provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).
4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify the Marg Howei-Marg Tex Zone, Reservoir A, by supplemental order without the necessity of a public

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

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

The Marginulina Howei-Marginulina Texana Zone, Reservoir A, in the West Manchester Field, is hereby defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 8,300 feet and 9,900 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Pan American Petroleum Corporation – East Lake Townsite “C” No. 2 Well, located in Section 14, Township 10 South, Range 8 West, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

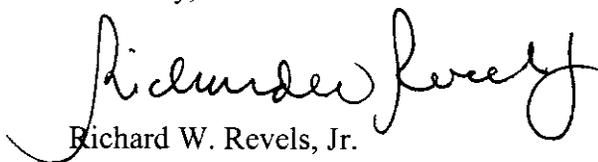
Any pertinent data, including well logs not available from the Office of Conservation, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from W. H. Robbins & Associates, LLC, 302 La Rue France, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508, Telephone No. 337/232-5004.

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 November 9, 2007, **WILL NOT BE HELD.**

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the applicant’s proposal along with the 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, such plat (being the same plat attached to the pre-application notice dated October 18, 2007) and 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.

Sincerely,



Richard W. Revels, Jr.

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

R 7 W

R 8 W

T 10 S

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Pan Am
Spears
12451'

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MARG H-MT RA SUA
(UNDRILLED)
±295 ACRES

MARG H-MT RA SUB
(UNDRILLED)
±295 ACRES

Subdivision

Greenwich Terrace
Subdivision No. 2

Greenwich Terrace
Subdivision No. 3

Amoco
Cal. Par Pol. Jury
12000'

Val Smallwood, et al

Mayo Realty, et al

John Crow
et al

Calcasieu
Police Jury

Pan Am
E. Lake Townsite

Pan Am
Sommer
12717'

Pan Am
E. Lake Townsite
13025'

Amoco
E-2
12752'

Martin
Gray
12500'

Martin
McNease-Gayle
12748'

Pan Am
L. C. Sugar
12409'

Amoco
L. C. Sugar
15865'

BP America
Amoco
L. C. Sugar
12434'

Lahay
Lahay

BP America

BP America
Amoco
L. C. Sugar
12924'

12328' 7
Pan Am
L. C. Sugar
12300' 2
12926' 5
12312'

3-C
12551'

4-C
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Pan Am
E. Lake Townsite
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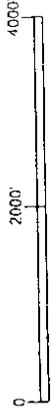
EXHIBIT NO.
DOCKET NO.

DATE:

MAYNE & MERTZ, INC.

WEST MANCHESTER FIELD
CALCASIEU PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNITS
Marginulina Howei-Marginulina Texana Zone



NOTE: ALL BOUNDARIES ARE GEOGRAPHIC

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