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November 14, 2007

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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 Formation, Reservoir A, and Cotton Valley  
Formation, Reservoir A, KINGSTON FIELD, DeSoto  
Parish, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

EL PASO E&P COMPANY, L.P. ("Applicant"), hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, and to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Kingston Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize the downhole combination of production from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, and from the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the wellbore of any well drilled on HOSS RA SUE and CV RA SUE, such units being shown on the attached plat, in which the ownership interests in such units are identical.
2. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in Kingston Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 376-B, effective May 2, 1978. The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in Kingston Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 376-C, effective May 2, 1978.

Any pertinent data concerning this application will be available for inspection at the offices of Louis Gilbert & Associates, Inc., 3636 North Causeway Boulevard, Suite 204, New Orleans, Louisiana 70002-7216. Any person wishing to inspect any such data should call Mr. Louis Gilbert at (504) 834-8112 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such data which is not otherwise available at the Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

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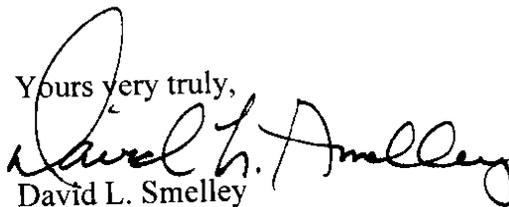
As provided by the Revised Rules of Procedure, the subject matter of this application does not require the issuance of a pre-application notice; therefore, no such notice has been issued.

Pursuant to the aforesaid 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 this letter and of the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation and to 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 the enclosed plat, 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 Kingston 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.

A check payable to the Office of Conservation and covering the application fee is enclosed.

Yours very truly,



David L. Smelley

-- Attorney for El Paso E&P Company, L.P.

DLS:dp  
Enclosures

cc: Mr. Jim Broussard (w/encls.)  
Ms. Nancy Fractor (w/encls.)  
Mr. Louis Gilbert (w/encls.)  
Interested Owners, Represented  
Parties and Interested Parties (w/plat only)

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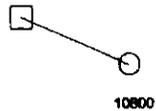
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HOSS RA SU E  
(APO 376-B, EFF. 5-2-78)  
CV RA SU E  
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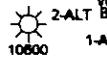
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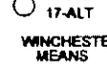
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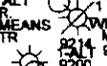
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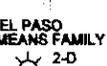
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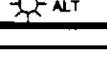
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LEGEND

HOSS RA SU E & CV RA SU E  
PROPOSED FOR DOWNHOLE COMBINATION

WELLS 6000' AND SHALLOWER  
REMOVED FROM BASE

el paso Exploration & Production

Onshore Development  
Houston, Texas

KINGSTON FIELD  
DESOTO PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED DOWNHOLE COMBINATION PLAT  
HOSS RA SU E & CV RA SU E



DATE:

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LOUIS GILBERT & ASSOCIATES, INC.