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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
State of Louisiana
Post Office Box 94275
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

Re: HEARING APPLICATION
Alternate Unit Wells
U HOSS SUS and HOSS RA SUA
West Arcadia Field
Bienville Parish, Louisiana
Our File No. 420409.0046

Dear Sir:

On behalf of TENSAS DELTA EXPLORATION COMPANY, LLC, application is hereby made for a public hearing to receive evidence concerning the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Upper Hosston Formation and the Hosston Formation, Reservoirs A, in the West Arcadia Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana:

1. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) alternate unit wells for U HOSS SUS, at the locations shown on the plat attached hereto, in exception to the well spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 692, effective April 1, 1965 and Order No. 692-E, effective March 28, 2006;
2. To permit the Applicant to drill, designate and utilize an alternate unit well for HOSS RA SUA, at the location shown on the plat attached hereto;
3. To explicitly find that the proposed alternate unit well is necessary to drain a portion of Upper Hosston Formation and the Hosston Formation, Reservoirs A, in the West Arcadia Field, underlying U HOSS SUS and HOSS RA SUA, respectively, which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well in such unit.
4. To provide that the unit allowables for U HOSS SUS and HOSS RA SUA, respectively, may be produced from the unit well, the alternate unit wells or any combination thereof, at the operator's discretion.

5. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing

The Upper Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the West Arcadia Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 692, effective April 1, 1965.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the West Arcadia Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 692-E, effective March 28, 2006.

The Rules of Procedure of the Commissioner of Conservation pertaining to the Pre-Application Notice requirements, are not applicable to the hearing requested herein, which requires legal notice of only ten (10) days.

Pertinent data concerning the intended application will be made available for inspection at the offices of the undersigned. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call the undersigned at (318) 221-6858 during normal business hours or write the undersigned at the above address in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data can be obtained at the expense of the requesting party.

A list of the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (as defined in the Rules of Procedure) is attached hereto, and a copy of this notice, with the annexed plat, is being sent to each of such persons. A reasonable effort has been made to determine that the enclosed list includes all of the persons to whom this notice must be sent under the Rules of Procedure.

A check in the amount of \$1,510.00 made payable to the Commissioner of Conservation is enclosed herewith as the statutory fee for holding the requested hearing.

This application is being filed in duplicate, and a copy hereof is being sent to Mr. James C. Broussard, Shreveport District Manager of the Office of Conservation, and to each Interested Owner, Represented Party and Interested Party whose name is shown on the attached list.

Very truly yours,

BLANCHARD, WALKER, O'QUIN & ROBERTS

By: 
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Enclosures

cc: Mr. James C. Broussard, Shreveport District Manager,
Office of Conservation (w/enclosures)
Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties (w/copy of plat only)

T 19 N R 6 W

HOSS RA SUB

33

34

35

Y=700,000

X=1,850,000

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2000' RADIUS

Sklar R Henley Tr
8500'

CLAIBORNE PH.
BIENVILLE PH.

HOSS RA SUA

4

Tensas Delta La Minerals LTD
8414'

2

U HOSS SUS

Tensas Delta V Upshaw
8400'

Santa Fe Burns
8372'

Tensas Delta (Cypress) Burns
8300'

Tensas Delta La Minerals

Tensas Delta Patterson
8200'

St. Mary Burns
7850'

Coquina Burns-Brownland
8500'

U HOSS SUB

9

U HOSS SUC

10

U HOSS SUT

11

Y=690,000

Crystal Felts
8500'

St. Mary Lakeway Dev. et al
8227'

7770'

St. Mary (Palmer) Collier
8500'

Palmer Collier
8520'

Ensignt Thompson
8797'

Ensignt Town of Arcadia
8800'

T 18 N R 6 W

TENSAS DELTA EXPLORATION COMPANY, L.L.C.
SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA

WEST ARCADIA FIELD
BIENVILLE PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL FOR HOSS RA SUA; PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELLS AT EXCEPTIONAL LOCATIONS FOR U HOSS SUS

UNIT WELLS SUBSTITUTE UNIT WELLS ALTERNATE UNIT WELLS PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELLS

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GRAPHIC SCALE