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January 17, 2008

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

Re: Reynolds Coal Seam Zone
Units 6 and 7
RIVERTON FIELD
Caldwell Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, LLC** 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 create two (2) additional coal seam natural gas units for the exploration for and production of coal seam natural gas, pursuant to the provisions of La. R.S. 30:5.2, from the Reynolds Coal Seam Zone, in Riverton Field, Caldwell Parish, Louisiana, said units designated RVRTN CSNG UNIT 6 and RVRTN CSNG UNIT 7, 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 each of the proposed units, with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acre basis of participation.
3. To extend to the proposed additional units all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 1494, effective December 1, 2005, and applicable Statewide Orders.
4. To designate Samson Contour Energy E&P, LLC as operator of each of the proposed units.

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

The Reynolds Coal Seam Zone, in the Riverton Field, Caldwell Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1494, effective December 1, 2005.

Any pertinent data, including well logs, not available from the Office of Conservation, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from Joe B. Adams, 21010 Vermont St., Livingston, Louisiana 70754, Telephone Number (225) 686-2355.

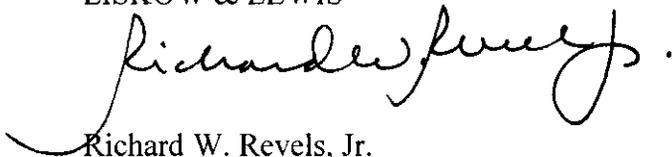
Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, a pre-application conference was held in Lafayette, Louisiana on January 9, 2008, at which the parties named on the attached list were in attendance. The conference was opened by representatives of the applicant who explained the bases for the additional units being requested. Several questions were asked and answered. At this same conference, two other units to the northwest were also discussed which Samson had proposed in a separate filing. Although one counterplan was presented with respect to the other filing, no counterplans were presented with respect to this filing. For that reason, it is quite possible that no opposition will be presented at the hearing for these two units.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the applicant's proposals, the conference attendance list and 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, the plat (being the same plat attached to the pre-application notice dated December 17, 2007) and list of parties are being furnished ONLY to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Monroe District of the Office of Conservation. 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,

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Attachments

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cc: Mr. Clarence L. Chandler, Monroe District Office of Conservation
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties, and Interested Parties

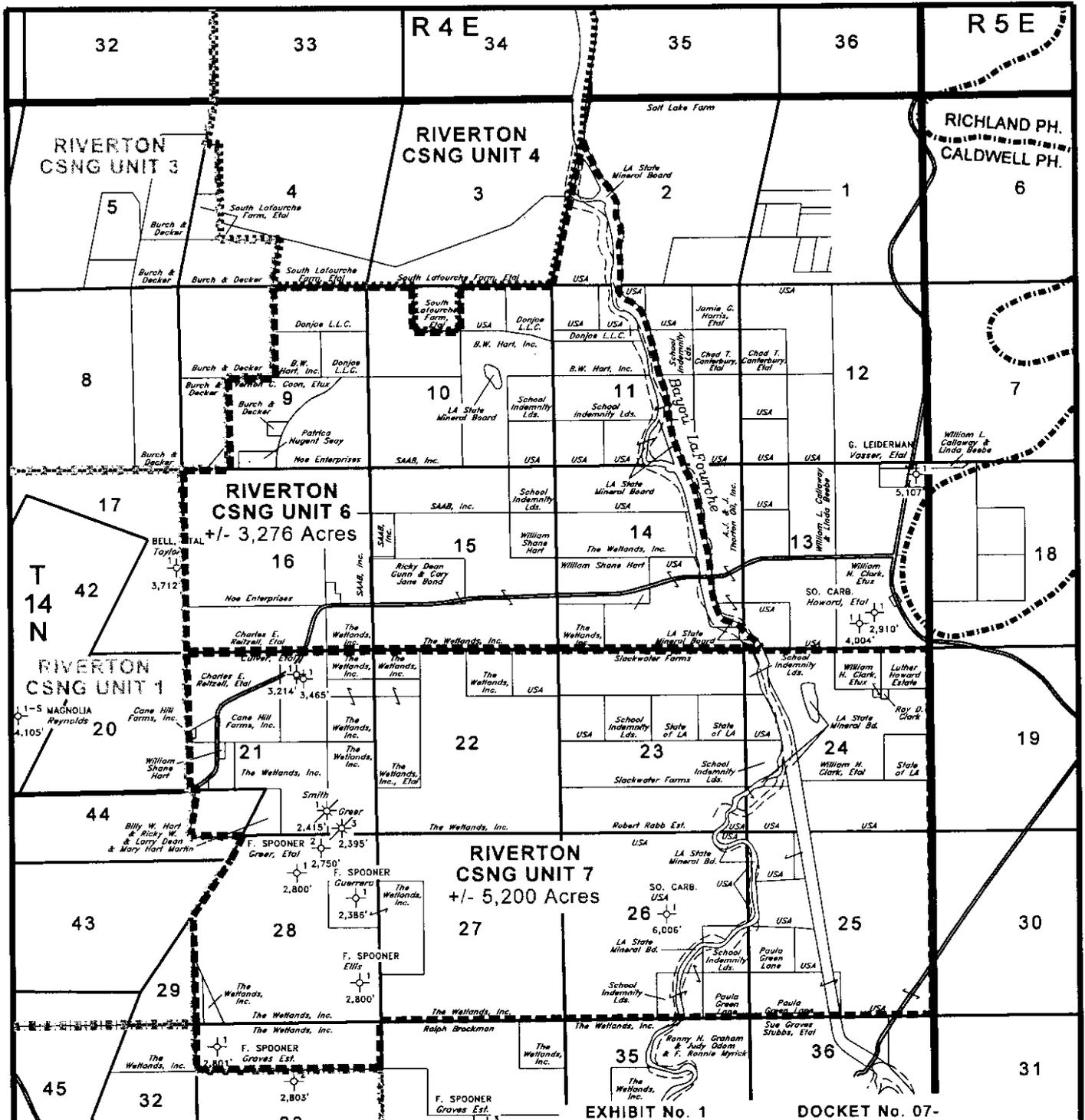


EXHIBIT No. 1 DOCKET No. 07-

SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, L.L.C.

**RIVERTON FIELD
CALDWELL PARISH, LOUISIANA**

**Proposed Units
Riverton Coal Seam Natural Gas
Unit 6 & Unit 7**

Date:



Geology: **JOE B. ADAMS**

- - PROPOSED CSNG UNITS
- - PENDING CSNG UNIT
- - EXISTING CSNG UNITS

NOTE: ALL UNIT BOUNDARIES ARE GEOGRAPHIC.

NOTE: ONLY WELLS BELOW 2,000' ARE SHOWN



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