

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, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, APRIL 22, 2008**, upon the application of **EL PASO E&P COMPANY, LP.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A and the Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A**, in the Bear Creek Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana.

HOSSTON C ZONE, RESERVOIR A

1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed additional unit with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To designate an operator of, and unit well for, the proposed additional unit as may be appropriate.
4. To approve the down hole combination of production from the Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A and the Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A, in the well bore of any well located on HOSS C RA SUW and HOSS B RA SUR in which the ownership interest in these units are identical.
5. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 78-Y, effective September 11, 1980, as supplemented and amended by the Order No. 78-Y Series of Orders to the proposed additional unit.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston C Zone, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 78-Y, effective September 11, 1980.

HOSSTON B ZONE, RESERVOIR A

1. To permit Applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for HOSS B RA SUR at the location shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To find that the proposed alternate unit well is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the Hosston B Zone, Reservoir A, underlying HOSS B RA SUR which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within this unit
3. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston B Zone, Reservoir B was initially defined in Order No. 78-Q, effective February 18, 1971 and was further defined in Order No. 78-Q-8, effective July 6, 1982.

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

Baton Rouge, LA

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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.