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March 31, 2008

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

Re: **APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING**
Proposed Additional Unit
Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir B
Hico-Knowles Field
Lincoln Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **NADEL & GUSSMAN-JETTA OPERATING COMPANY**, (Applicant), to the Commissioner Conservation for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir B, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana:

1. To create one (1) additional 480 +/- acre drilling and production unit for the exploration of and the production of gas and condensate for the Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir B, in the Hico-Knowles Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, such unit being designated CV RB SUG, shown on the attached plat and being made a part hereof.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property within the proposed units in accordance with Section 10, Title 30, of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract to share in the unit production on a surface acreage bases of participation.
3. To designate a unit operator and unit well, if applicable.
4. That except to the extent herewith, to extend the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 137-X-14, effective May 24, 2005, and all applicable Statewide Orders be extended to the additional unit being proposed herein.
5. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem pertinent and appropriate.

Hon. James H. Welsh
Hico-Knowles Field
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The Cotton Valley Zone, Reservoir B, in the Hico-Knowles Field, Lincoln Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 137-X-14, effective May 24, 2005.

The pertinent data pertaining to this application is available for inspection at the Offices of Bob F. Anderson, PE, Inc., 400 Travis Street, Suite 209, Shreveport, Louisiana 71101. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Bob Anderson 318/425-4230 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such pertinent data that is otherwise not available from the Office of Conservation can be obtained **at the expense of the requesting party**.

A pre-application notice was sent to all parties stating a time and date for a conference to discuss the proposed application, however, no request for a conference was received, therefore no conference was held.

Due to topography, the location for the proposed Britt 23 No. 1 Well had to be moved 100 feet to the east from the location as shown on the plat attached to the Pre-Application Notice, dated March 18, 2008. The revised location of the Britt 23 No. 1 Well is shown on the attached plat.

Pursuant to the revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this notice of this application is being sent. A copy of this letter, plat and list of parties is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District Office of Conservation and the attached letter and plat is being sent to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and the Interested Parties as shown on the attached list.

Attached hereto is our check, made payable to the Office of Conservation, to cover the applicable hearing fee.

Yours truly,



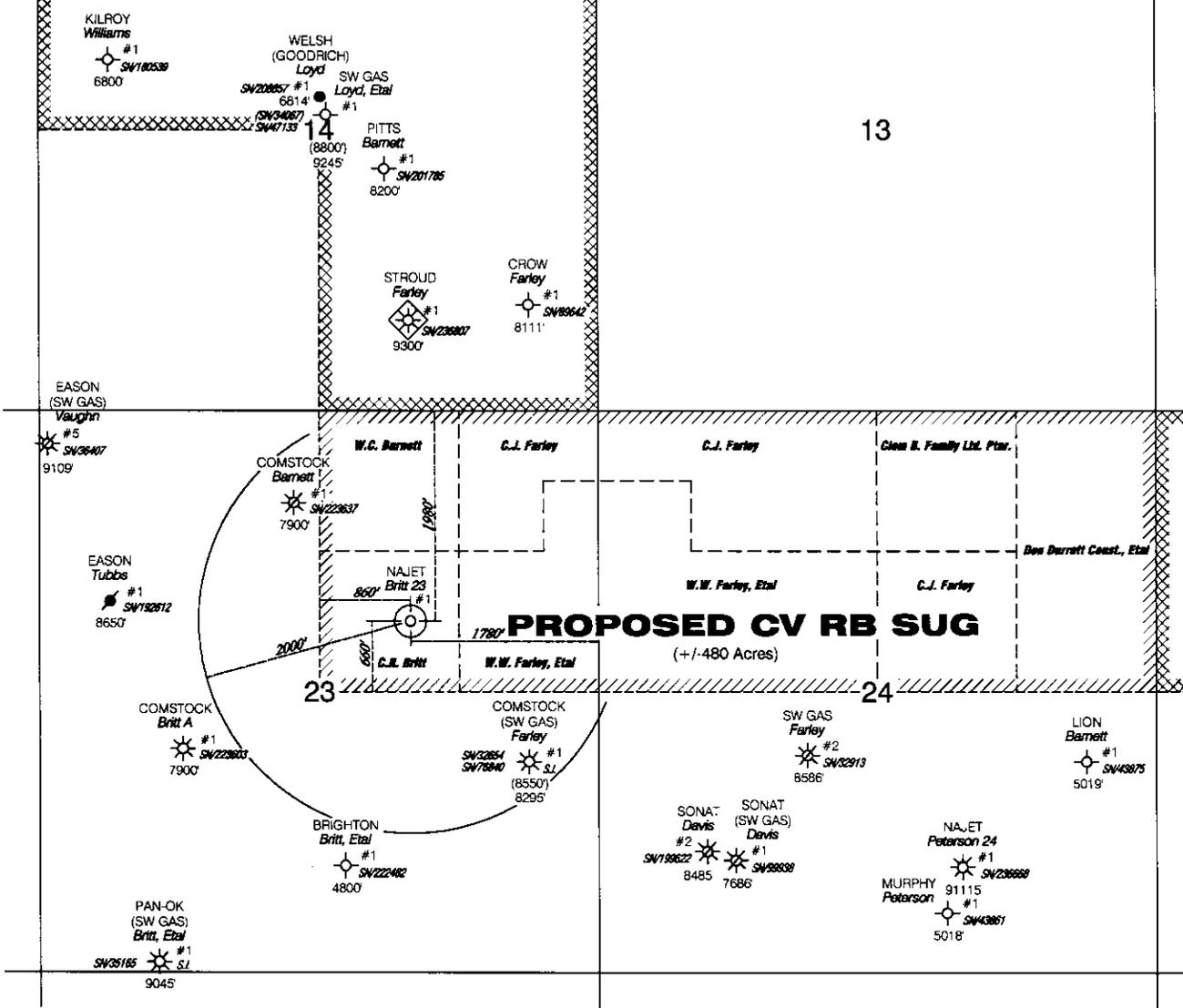
B. F. Anderson, PE, Consultant for
NADEL & GUSSMAN-JETTA OPERATING COMPANY

cc: Mr. James Broussard, District Manager Shreveport District Office of Conservation
Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties
Nadel & Gussman Operating Co., Ft. Worth, Texas and Ruston, Louisiana

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CV RB SUF
(+/-480 Acres)

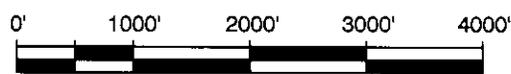
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PROPOSED CV RB SUG
(+/-480 Acres)

CV RB SUE
(+/-480 Acres)

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|  | APPROVED UNIT OUTLINE |
|  | PROPOSED UNIT OUTLINE |
|  | UNIT WELL FOR CV RB SUF |
|  | PROPOSED UNIT WELL FOR PROPOSED CV RB SUG |



NADEL & GUSSMAN - JETTA OPER. CO.

HICO KNOWLES FIELD
LINCOLN PARISH, LOUISIANA

PLAT SHOWING PROPOSED +/-480 AC. UNIT

CV RB SUG

DOCKET NO. 08- EXHIBIT NO. 1