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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
State of Louisiana
Post Office Box 44275
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Re: APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING.

Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, and Cotton Valley
Formation, Reservoir A, BETHANY-LONGSTREET
FIELD, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

BEUSA ENERGY, INC. ("Applicant"), hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, and to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Bethany-Longstreet Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana:

1. To authorize Applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for HOSS RA SU18 and for CV RA SU79 at the location shown on attached plats.
2. To authorize Applicant to drill, designate and utilize an additional alternate unit well for HOSS RA SU19 and for CV RA SUJ at the locations shown on attached plats.
3. To approve an exception to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 289-A-g-3, effective October 7, 1977 (applicable to the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A), and Office of Conservation Order No. 289-J, effective March 1, 1974 (applicable to the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A), for each of the above described wells.
4. To find that each of the proposed alternate unit wells is necessary to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the hydrocarbons underlying the unit on which it is proposed to be drilled which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well on such unit.
5. To permit the operator of the units on which these alternate unit wells are proposed to be drilled to produce the allowables assigned to such units from either the unit or substitute unit well, any alternate unit well, or from any combination of such wells, at the option of the Operator.
6. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the Bethany-Longstreet Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 289, effective October 1, 1954, and was further defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 289-A-g-2, effective April 14, 1977.

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The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Bethany-Longstreet Field, DeSoto Parish, Louisiana, was initially defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 289-J, effective March 1, 1974, and was further defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 289-J-1, effective April 14, 1977.

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, Metairie, 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 pertinent data which is not otherwise available from the Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

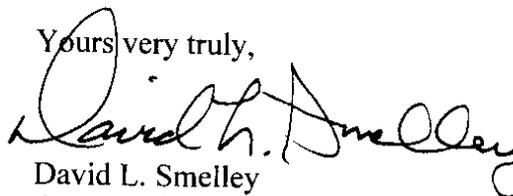
As provided by the Revised Rules of Procedure, the subject matter of this application does not require the issuance of a pre-application notice; therefore, no such notice has been issued.

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 each of the attached plats, is being sent to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation and to each of 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 of the enclosed plats, 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 Bethany-Longstreet 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.

Finally, enclosed herewith is our check payable to the Office of Conservation covering the application fee.

Yours very truly,



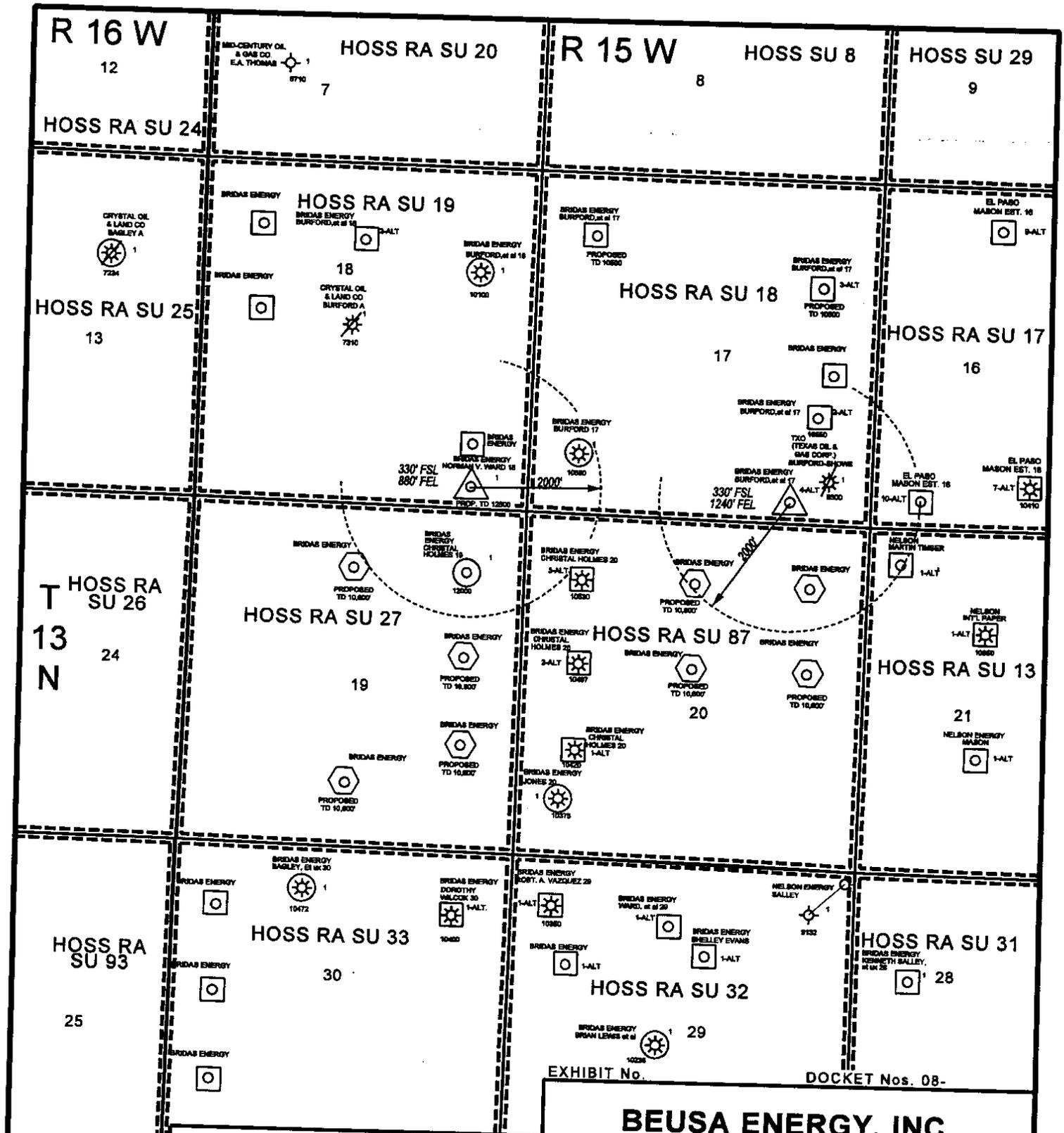
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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Jim Broussard (w/encls.)
Ms. Linda McGowen (w/encls.)
Mr. Louis Gilbert (w/encls.)
Interested Owners, Represented Parties
and Interested Parties (w/copy of plats only)



LEGEND

- HOSSTON RA UNITS, AS PER 289-A-g SERIES OF ORDERS
 - UNIT WELL
 - ALTERNATE UNIT WELL
 - △ PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL
 - ⬡ PENDING ALTERNATE UNIT WELL
- ALL WELLS 6500' OR SHALLOWER REMOVED FROM BASE

EXHIBIT No. _____ DOCKET Nos. 08-

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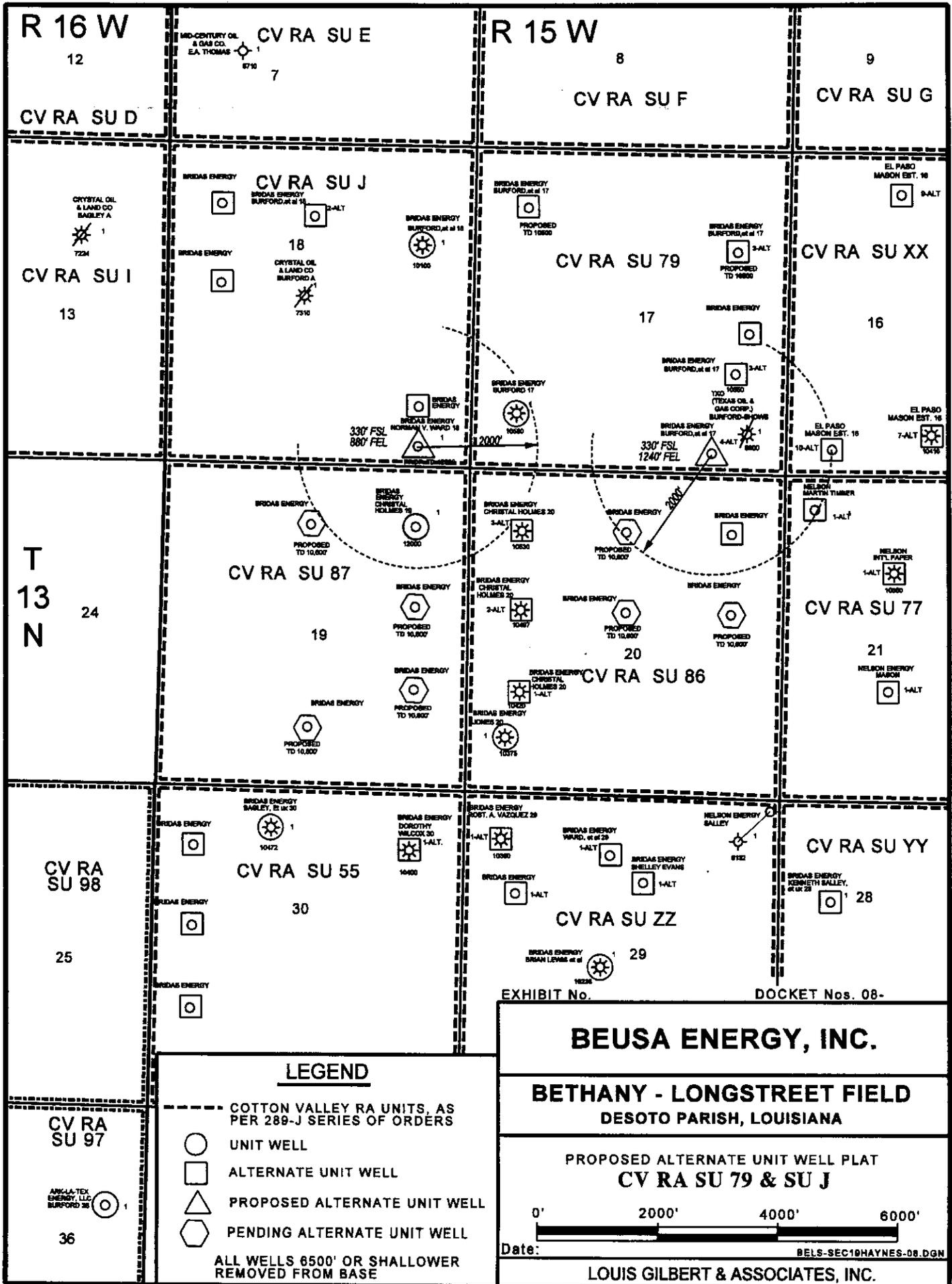
BETHANY - LONGSTREET FIELD
DESOTO PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL PLAT
HOSS RA SU 18 & SU 19

0' 2000' 4000' 6000'

Date: _____ BELS-SEC19HAYNES-08.DGN

LOUIS GILBERT & ASSOCIATES, INC.



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MID-CENTURY OIL & GAS CO. EA. THOMAS 6710
CV RA SU E

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R 15 W

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CV RA SU F

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CV RA SU G

CV RA SU D

BRIDAS ENERGY
CV RA SU J

BRIDAS ENERGY SURFORD, et al 16 2-ALT

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BRIDAS ENERGY SURFORD, et al 16 10960

BRIDAS ENERGY SURFORD, et al 17 PROPOSED TO 10880

CV RA SU 79

BRIDAS ENERGY SURFORD, et al 17 2-ALT PROPOSED TO 10880

CV RA SU XX

EL PASO MASON EST. 16 9-ALT

CRYSTAL OIL & LAND CO SABLEY A 7224

CV RA SU I

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CRYSTAL OIL & LAND CO SURFORD A 7310

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BRIDAS ENERGY

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330' FSL 880' FEL

BRIDAS ENERGY NORMAN V. WARD 16 10680

BRIDAS ENERGY SURFORD, et al 17 10950

BRIDAS ENERGY SURFORD, et al 17 10950

330' FSL 1240' FEL

BRIDAS ENERGY SURFORD, et al 17 10880

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CV RA SU 87

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BRIDAS ENERGY CHRISTAL HOLMES 20 2-ALT 10630

BRIDAS ENERGY PROPOSED TO 10,807

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CV RA SU 77

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BRIDAS ENERGY CHRISTAL HOLMES 20 2-ALT 10487

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NELSON ENERGY MARION 1-ALT

CV RA SU 86

BRIDAS ENERGY CHRISTAL HOLMES 20 1-ALT 10520

BRIDAS ENERGY LICKES 20 10575

BRIDAS ENERGY SABLEY, Et ux 30 10472

CV RA SU 55

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BRIDAS ENERGY DOROTHY WILCOX 30 1-ALT 10400

BRIDAS ENERGY SCOTT A. VAZQUEZ 29 1-ALT 10580

BRIDAS ENERGY WARD, et al 29 1-ALT

BRIDAS ENERGY SHELLEY EVANS 1-ALT

CV RA SU YY

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NELSON ENERGY SALLEY 6732

BRIDAS ENERGY KENNETH SALLEY, et ux 28

CV RA SU 98

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CV RA SU ZZ

BRIDAS ENERGY BRIAN LEWIS et al 10228

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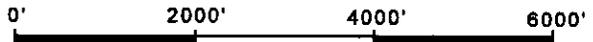
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**BETHANY - LONGSTREET FIELD
DESOTO PARISH, LOUISIANA**

**PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL PLAT
CV RA SU 79 & SU J**



Date: _____ BELS-SEC10HAYNES-08.DGN

LOUIS GILBERT & ASSOCIATES, INC.

CV RA SU 97

AM-LA-TEX ENERGY, LLC SURFORD 36

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