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refer to file No. 1649.

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

Re: Lower Cotton Valley Formation,  
Reservoir A  
Elm Grove Field  
Bossier Parish, Louisiana

**APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING**

Dear Sir:

KCS Resources, Inc. hereby makes application pursuant to the revised rules of procedure for a public hearing to consider evidence relating to the following matters pertaining to the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Bossier Parish, Louisiana:

1. To redefine the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, INsofar AND ONLY INsofar AS the unit designated LCV RA SUF is concerned, as that gas and condensate bearing zone was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E-70, effective August 13, 2002, and to be further defined herein as between the depths of 9,070 feet and 11,426 feet (electric log measurements) in the KCS Resources, Inc. - Elm Grove Plantation No. 15 Well located in Section 9, Township 16 North, Range 11 West, Bossier Parish, Louisiana, which unit is shown outlined on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof;
2. To confirm that except as to be hereby amended the unit designated LCV RA SUF and the orders by which it was established are in full force and effect; and
3. To consider and cover such other matters as the Commissioner of Conservation may deem appropriate and necessary under the circumstances.

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The Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Elm Grove Field, Bossier Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 371-E, effective July 16, 1996, and was redefined as to certain units by subsequent orders of the Office of Conservation Order No. 361-E Series of Orders.

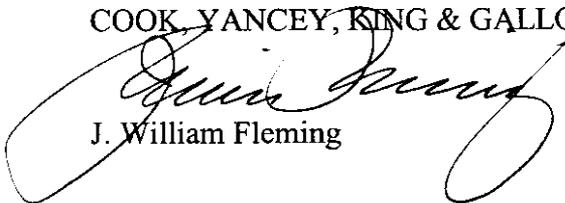
In response to the pre-application notice an inquiry was received with respect to this proposal which was addressed informally. Otherwise there was no request for a pre-application conference and accordingly none was held. The date which was suggested for a pre-application conference, if one were requested, was incorrect as written in the pre-application notice which is of no consequence inasmuch as no conference was requested. Also, it is noted that the top of the redefined Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, as to LCV RA SUF, as seen in the KCS Resources, Inc. - Elm Grove Plantation No. 15 Well has been corrected from that which was stated in the pre-application notice.

Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained at the cost of the requesting party, from Mr. Craig Barclay, 522 Dumbarton Drive, Shreveport, Louisiana 71106, at telephone number (318) 869-2223.

The list of parties attached to the copy of this notice being sent to the Office of Conservation includes the names of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties known to Applicant after a diligent search. A copy of this notice, with plat attached, is being sent to each such party. Pursuant to Office of Conservation regulations, the list of parties is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Shreveport District of the Office of Conservation; however, the list of parties will be provided to any person requesting a copy of it. Enclosed with the copy of this letter being sent to the Commissioner of Conservation is a check for the application fee for this matter.

Yours very truly,

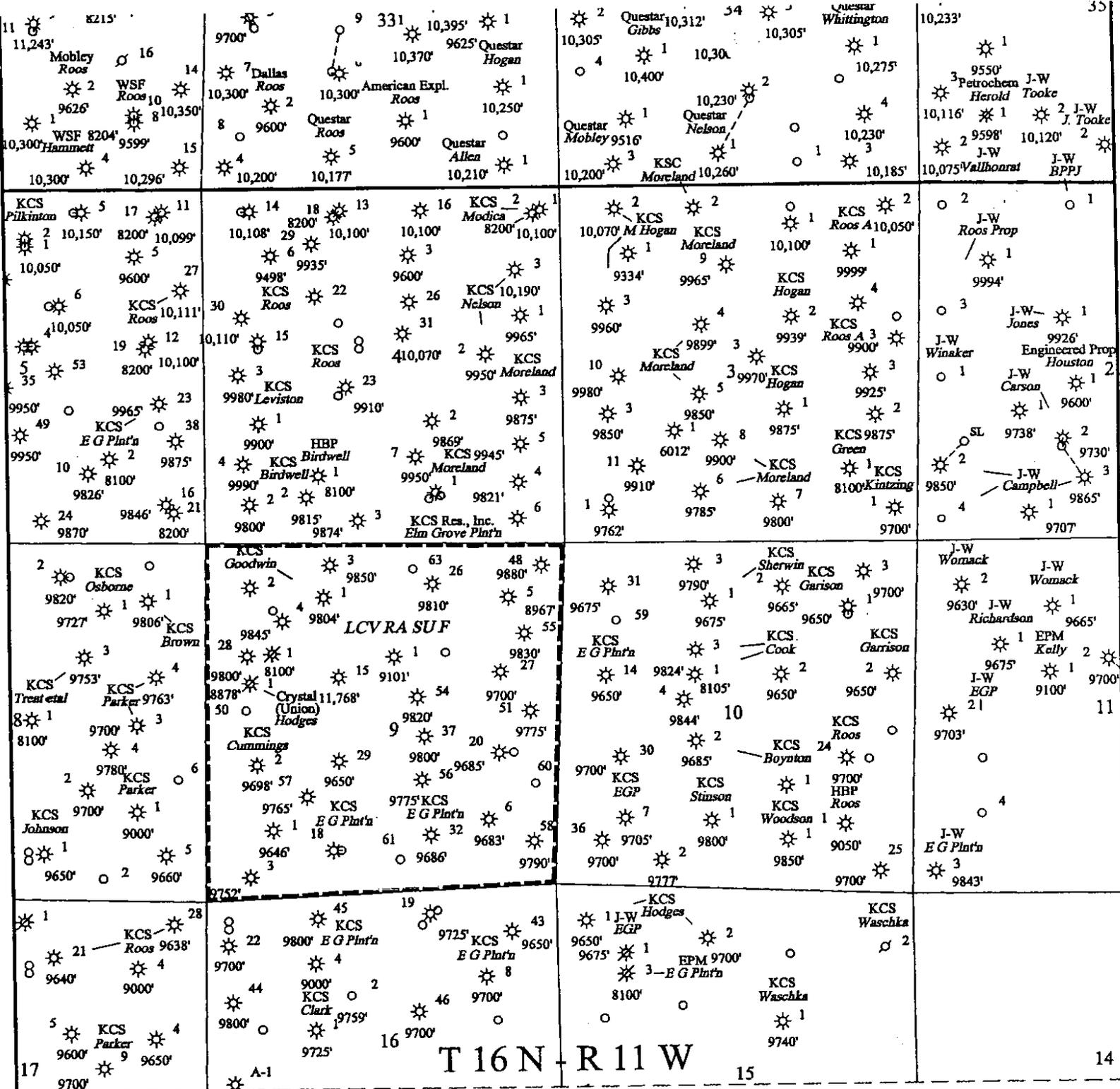
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Enclosures

cc: James C. Broussard, District Manager  
Interested Owners, Represented  
Parties and Interested Parties  
Mr. Craig Barclay  
Ms. Toni Semple



**KCS RESOURCES, INC.**  
TULSA, OKLAHOMA

**ELM GROVE FIELD**  
BOSSIER PARISH, LOUISIANA

UNIT FOR  
PROPOSED RE-DEFINITION OF LCV ZONE RESERVOIR A  
ONLY INsofar AS TO LCV RA SU F

----- : EXISTING UNIT FOR PROPOSED RE-DEFINITION - LCV RA SU F



GEOLOGIST: CRAIG C. BARCLAY

ONLY WELLS >6000' TD SHOWN

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