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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275
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Re: Creation of additional units for:
Hosston Formation, Reservoir A
Upper Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A
Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A
Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, L.L.C.** for the calling of public hearings, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters:

Hosston Formation, 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 Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, said unit to be designated HOSS RA SU181, 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 the proposed unit with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to extend to the proposed additional unit all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 798-A, effective February 28, 1980, as amended and supplemented by the 798-A Series of Orders and applicable statewide orders.
4. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 798-A, effective February 28, 1980, and was further defined in Order No. 798-A-1, effective August 18, 1982.

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Upper Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A

1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Upper Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, said unit to be designated UCV RA SU181, 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 the proposed unit with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to extend to the proposed additional unit all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 798-C-2, effective December 22, 1982, as amended and supplemented by the 798-C Series of Orders and applicable statewide orders.
4. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Upper Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, was redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 798-C-10, effective January 22, 2002.

Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A

1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, said unit to be designated LCV RA SU181, 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 the proposed unit with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to extend to the proposed additional unit all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 798-B, effective January 23, 1981, as amended and supplemented by the 798-B Series of Orders and applicable statewide orders.
4. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana, was redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 798-B-23, effective January 22, 2002, and was further redefined as to certain units in Office of Conservation Order No. 798-B-123, effective January 16, 2008, which redefinition should be extended to proposed Sand Unit 181.

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

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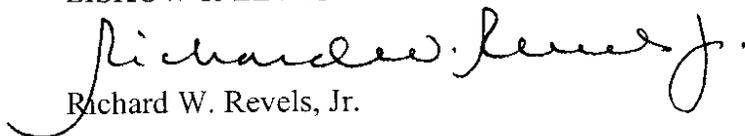
Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, pre-application notice was given; however, no request for the conference was received. Therefore, the conference tentatively scheduled for Wednesday, May 21, 2008, **WILL NOT BE HELD**.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the applicant's proposals, along with a 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 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 furnished to any party requesting copies. 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 \$2,265.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

LISKOW & LEWIS



Richard W. Revels, Jr.

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Attachments

cc: Mr. James Broussard, Shreveport District Office of Conservation
cc: Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

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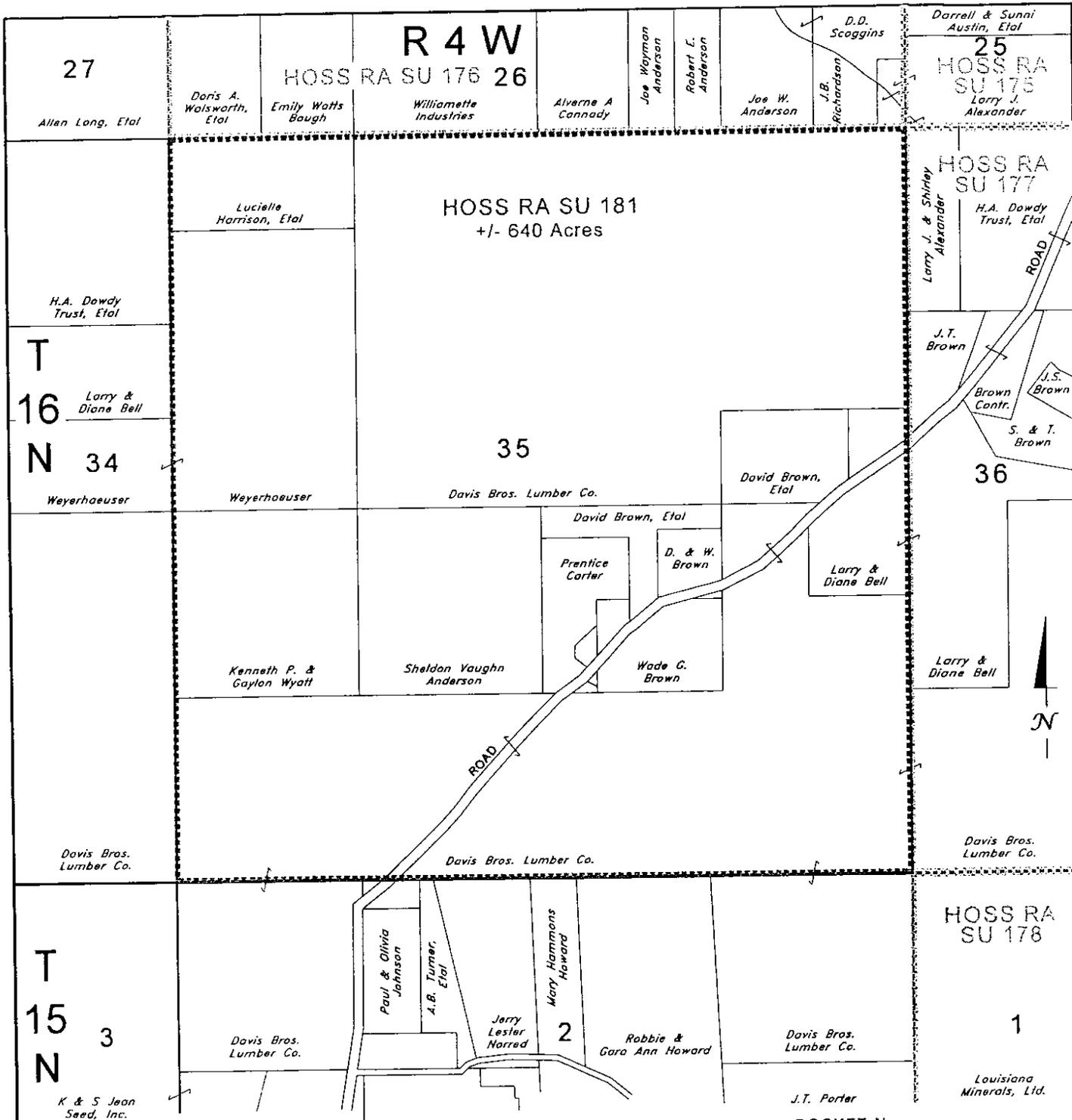


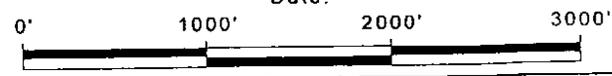
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**VERNON FIELD
JACKSON PARISH, LOUISIANA**

**Proposed Unit
Hosston Formation, Reservoir A**

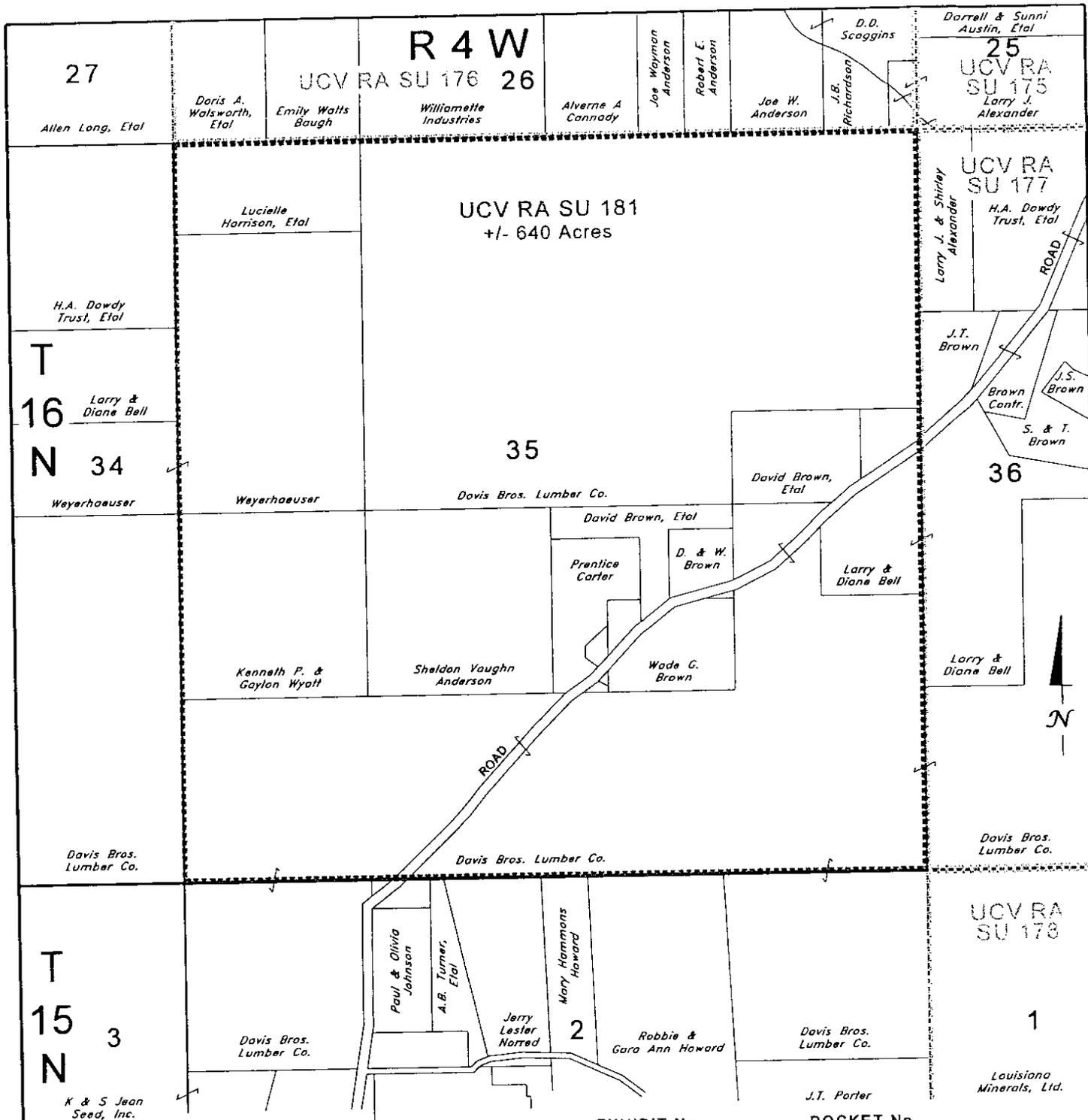
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- - PROPOSED HOSS RA UNITS
- - EXISTING HOSS RA UNITS

NOTE: ALL UNIT BOUNDARIES ARE GEOGRAPHIC.



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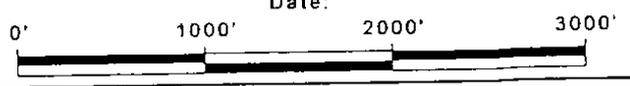
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Proposed Unit
Upper Cotton Valley, Reservoir A



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