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December 10, 2008

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

Re: Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A  
Gahagan Field  
Red River Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **ENCANA OIL & GAS (USA) INC.** for the calling of a public hearing, after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters:

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create ten (10) drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in the Gahagan Field, Red River Parish, Louisiana, said units to be designated HA RA SUA through HA RA SUJ, all 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 each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To provide that any future wells drilled to the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, within or outside of the units created herein, should be located no closer than 330 feet from any unit line and no closer than 660 feet to any well on a competitive unit completed in, drilling to, or for which a permit has been granted to drill to the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A; and to provide that horizontal wells drilled to the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, where the horizontal portion of the well is cased and cemented back above the top of the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, the distance to any unit boundary or offset well will be calculated based on the distance to the nearest perforations in the well, and not based on the penetration point or terminus.
4. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in the Gahagan Field, Red River Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 10,695 feet and 13,243 feet (electric log measurements) in the Encana Oil & Gas (USA) Inc. – A. F. Walker No. 1 well, located in Section 28, Township 13 North, Range 9 West, Red River Parish, Louisiana

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Any pertinent data, including well logs, not available at the Office of Conservation, may be obtained **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY** from Bill Dale with W. H. Robbins & Associates, L.L.C., 302 LaRue France, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508, Telephone Number (337)232-5004.

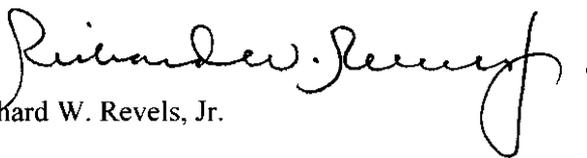
Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, a pre-application conference was held on December 4, 2008, in Natchitoches, Louisiana, at which the parties named on the attached list were in attendance. The conference was opened by representatives of the applicant who explained the bases for the units being requested. Questions were asked and answered. No counterplans were presented, and the conference was adjourned.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are a plat outlining the applicant's proposal, the conference attendance list and 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 \$755.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

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Richard W. Revels, Jr.

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Attachments

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

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