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

Re: Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B
Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A
Woodardville Field
Red River Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

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

Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B

1. To redefine the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, in Woodardville Field, Red River Parish, Louisiana, insofar and only insofar as the CV RB SUKK, CV RB SUNN and CV RB SUQQ are concerned, as being that gas and condensate bearing interval encountered between the depths of 9,383 feet and 10,200 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Will-Drill Production Co., Inc. - Woodard Villa Inc. No. 1 Well, located in Section 27, Township 15 North, Range 9 West, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, identical to the definition contained in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B-10, effective January 9, 2007.
2. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to continue in full force and effect the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B, effective September 13, 2005, as amended and supplemented by the 990-B Series of Orders, the units created thereby, and applicable Statewide Orders.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir B, in the Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B, effective September 13, 2005, was redefined in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-B-23, effective July 17, 2007, as to certain units, and the applicant proposes it be redefined in the manner set forth in Item No. 1 insofar as the CV RB SUKK, CV RB SUNN and CV RB SUQQ are concerned.

Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A

1. To create three (3) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in the Woodardville Field, Red River Parish, Louisiana, said units to be designated HA RA SU79 through HA RA SU81, as shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof.

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2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. Except as otherwise provided, to extend to the proposed additional units all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 990-D, effective July 15, 2008, as amended and supplemented by the 990-D Series of Orders, and applicable Statewide Orders.
4. To consider such others matters as may be pertinent.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in Woodardville Field, Bienville and Red River Parishes, Louisiana, was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 990-D, effective July 15, 2008.

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. No changes are being proposed to the existing unit boundaries of the three Cotton Valley units or to the provisions of the orders pertaining to these units. The applicant is simply requesting that the Haynesville Zone be eliminated from the definition of the Cotton Valley Formation and separate units, identical in shape and size, be created for the Haynesville Zone.

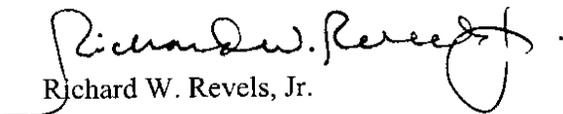
Pursuant to the Rules of Procedure, pre-application notice was given; however, no request for the conference was received. Therefore, the conference tentatively scheduled for November 5, 2009, **WILL NOT BE HELD.**

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat 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 \$1,510.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

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Attachments

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

