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November 5, 2009

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

RE: Proposed Substitute Unit Well
L-4 Sand, Reservoir A, SUB
LAKE WASHINGTON FIELD
Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Hilcorp Energy Company for the calling of a public hearing, after ten (10) days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the L-4 RA SUB, located in the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, created by Office of Conservation Order No. 149-A-2, effective July 25, 1995.

1. To designate the Hilcorp Energy Company - LL & E No. 17 (ST) Well, located in Section 37, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, in the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, as a substitute unit well.

2. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent to this application.

The designation of the well as a substitute unit well is necessary and in the interest of conservation to efficiently and economically drain a portion of the L-4 RA SUB which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well within such unit. The present unit well, the LL & E No. 15 Well, ceased to produce from the L-4 RA SUB in September, 2000.

The L-4 Sand, Reservoir A, in the Lake Washington Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 149-A-2, effective July 25, 1995.

There is attached hereto and made a part hereof a plat identifying the subject unit created by Conservation Order No. 149-A-2, along with the location of the proposed substitute unit well. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, a list of names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this application is being sent is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. However, the list will be provided to any party requesting a copy. A diligent effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties as required by the Revised Rules of Procedure.

Finally there is enclosed our check on behalf of the applicant, Hilcorp Energy Company, in the sum of $755.00 payable to the Office of Conservation and representing the required hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

LEON E. COMEAUX & ASSOCIATES

Bill McAlister, Jr.

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson
Office of Conservation
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Brandywine III, Suite 220
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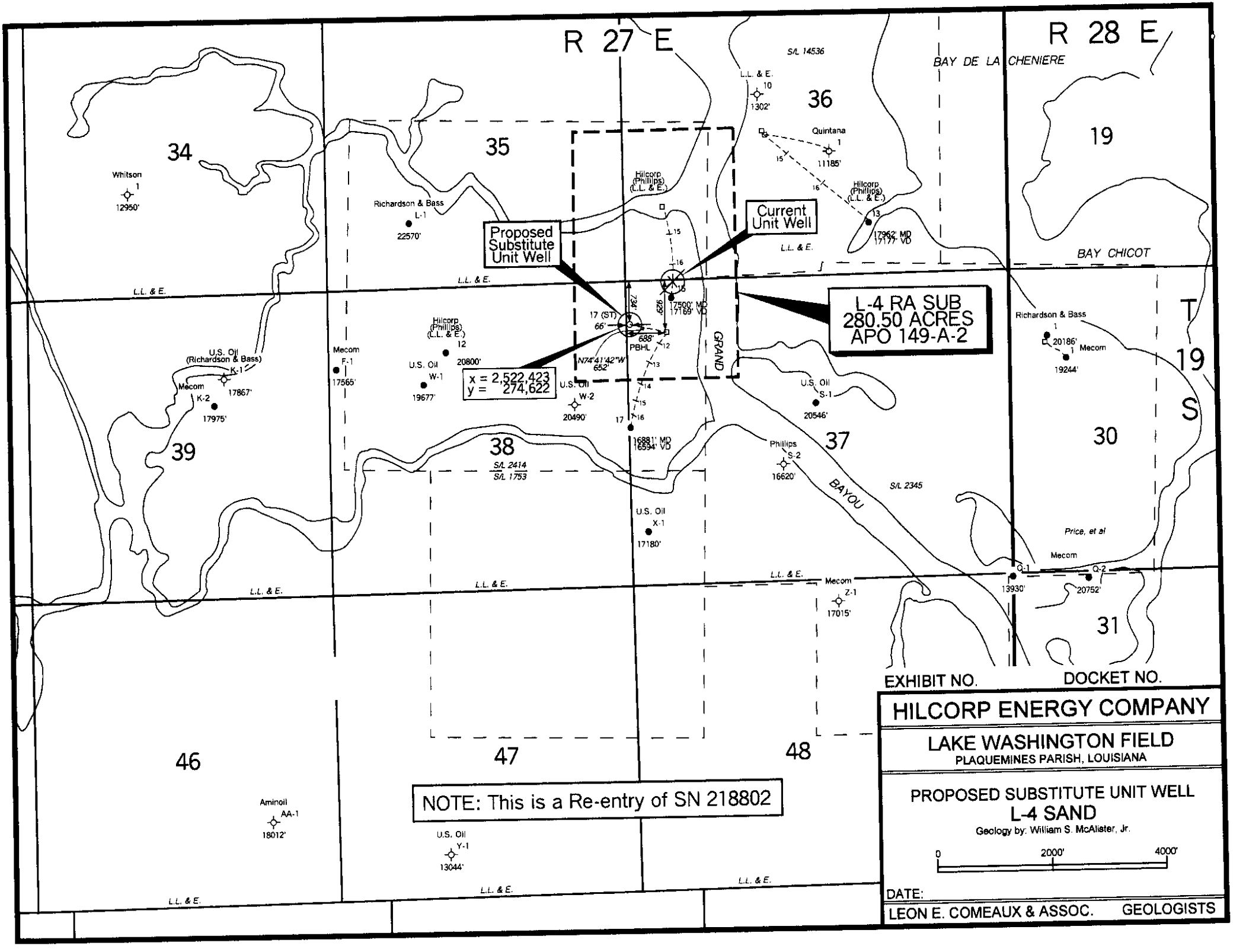
Interested Parties, Interested
Owners and Represented Parties


R 27 E
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Whitson 1 12950'
Richardson & Bass L-1 22570'
Hilcorp (Phillips) (L.L. & E.)
Quintana 1 11185'
L.L. & E. 10 1302'
S/L 14536
BAY DE LA CHENIERE
BAY CHICOT
Proposed Substitute Unit Well
Current Unit Well
L-4 RA SUB 280.50 ACRES APO 149-A-2
17 (ST) 66'
688'
PBHL
N74°41'42"W 652'
736'
929'
17500' MD 17169' VD
16881' MD 16594' VD
17962' MD 17177' VD
x = 2,522,423
y = 274,622
GRAND
BAYOU
L.L. & E.
U.S. Oil (Richardson & Bass) K-1 17867'
Mecom K-2 17975'
Mecom F-1 17565'
Hilcorp (Phillips) (L.L. & E.) 12 20800'
U.S. Oil W-1 19677'
U.S. Oil W-2 20490'
S/L 2414
S/L 1753
U.S. Oil X-1 17180'
Phillips S-2 16620'
U.S. Oil S-1 20546'
S/L 2345
Richardson & Bass 1 20186'
Mecom 1 19244'
Price, et al
Mecom Q-1 13930'
Q-2 20752'
Mecom Z-1 17015'
Aminoil AA-1 18012'
U.S. Oil Y-1 13044'
NOTE: This is a Re-entry of SN 218802
EXHIBIT NO.
DOCKET NO.
HILCORP ENERGY COMPANY
LAKE WASHINGTON FIELD
PLAQUEMINES PARISH, LOUISIANA
PROPOSED SUBSTITUTE UNIT WELL
L-4 SAND
Geology by: William S. McAlister, Jr.
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