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RE: Haynesville Formation, Reservoir A
Oaks Field
Claiborne Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **GINGER OIL COMPANY** for the calling of a public hearing, after thirty (30) days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters related to the **Haynesville Formation, Reservoir A**, in the **Oaks Field**, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, to-wit, for which rules and regulations were established and a pattern of drilling and production units was created by Office of Conservation Order No. 888-D, effective January 1, 1978, to-wit:

1. To create eleven (11) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Formation, Reservoir A, such units to be designated HA RA SUD through HA RA SUN;
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. To designate a unit well for each the proposed units, if appropriate;
4. To designate Ginger Oil Company as the operator of each of the proposed units, if appropriate;
5. That with respect to future horizontal wells drilled to the Haynesville Formation, Reservoir A, in the proposed units, where the horizontal portion of the well is cased and cemented back above the top of the Haynesville Formation, Reservoir A, the distance to any unit boundary and any offset wells(s) should be calculated based on the distance to the nearest perforation in the well, and not based on the penetration point or terminus;
6. To extend to the proposed units, to the extent not inconsistent herewith, all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 888-D, effective January 1, 1978, and all applicable Statewide Orders; and
7. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Haynesville Formation, Reservoir A, in the Oaks Field, Claiborne Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 888-D, effective January 1, 1978.

A conference to discuss the proposed application and any opposition thereto was held at 9:00 a.m. on April 30, 2009, at the Petroleum Club of Shreveport, 416 Travis Street, #1500, Shreveport, LA, 71101. A list of the parties who attended the pre-application conference is attached. Randall C. Songy, attorney for the applicant, opened the conference with a brief discussion on unitization procedures. Bill McAllister, geological consultant for the applicant, explained the applicant's proposal and the geological, engineering and other bases therefor, and answered questions. There was no opposition to the proposal expressed at the conference and it is anticipated there will be no opposition at the hearing. The conference was then adjourned.

Pertinent data relating to the proposed application can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, by contacting Bill McAllister, with Leon Comeaux & Associates, 305 La Rue France, Lafayette, LA 70508 (337) 233-9839.

There is attached hereto and made a part hereof a plat outlining the proposed units and a list of the names and addresses of the interested parties to whom this unitization proposal is being sent. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, such

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 party requesting a copy of it. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties.

Finally, enclosed herein is our check in the amount of \$755.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation in payment of the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



RANDALL C. SONGY

JEREMY B. SHEALY

RCS/JBS/smp/bad
Enclosures

cc: Interested Parties

Mr. Jim Broussard, District Manager
Office of Conservation

P.S. To all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties:

You may have received this Application even though your property is not included in the proposed unit, because the Revised Rules of Procedure require us to attempt to also notify everyone owning an interest in the area "proximate to" the proposed unit.

Your receipt of this Application does not require you to take any action. It is meant to notify you of these proceedings so that you have the opportunity to participate if you so desire.

