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May 8, 2009

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

RE: HEARING APPLICATION
Frio A-L Zone RA SUA
Washington Field
St. Landry Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby given on behalf of **KEY OPERATING COMPANY**, (“Applicant”) for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Frio A-L Zone, RA SUA, in Washington Field, St. Landry Parish, Louisiana:

FRIO A-L ZONE RA SUA

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the Frio A-L Zone, RA SUA.
2. To create a drilling and production unit for the exploration and production of oil and gas from the Frio A-L Zone, RA SUA, such proposed unit being shown on the attached plat and being designated Frio A-L Zone, RA SUA.
3. 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.
4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation may reclassify the reservoir by Supplemental Order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such a reclassification be warranted based on evidence furnished to the Commissioner.
5. The Frio A-L Zone is defined as that oil and gas bearing interval encountered between the electric log depths of 6,920 feet and 8,120 feet in the Crow Drilling and Producing Company – A. Fontenot No. 1 Well (Serial No. 65793), located in Section 61, Township 4 South, Range 4 East, St. Landry Parish, Louisiana.

6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

Pertinent data concerning this application is available for inspection at the office of Bryan S. Groves, 110 Oil Center Drive, Building 13, Lafayette, Louisiana 70503. Any person wishing to inspect such data should call Bryan S. Groves at 337/233-8032 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such data which is not otherwise available at the Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

In compliance with the Revised Rules of Procedure, a pre-application conference was provided, but no request for a conference was received and therefore, none was held.

Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom this notice of this application is being sent and has attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of such parties. A copy of the unit plat is enclosed herewith and a copy of this letter and of the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation and to the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties as shown on the list.

Applicant will provide for posting of a copy of the Legal Notice of this hearing and the enclosed plat at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause publication of the Legal Notice in a newspaper published in the general area of the Subject Field, all in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Furthermore, a copy of the Legal Notice will be mailed to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties upon receipt of the Legal Notice from the Commissioner.

Finally, we enclose our check payable to the Office of Conservation in the amount of \$755.00 for the application fee.

Sincerely,



Bryan S. Groves
Geologist

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson (w/encl.)
Interested Owners, Represented Parties
Interested Parties (w/plat only)

R 4 E

T 4 S

Donald Quirk

George Oge

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FRIO A-L RA SUA
(UNDRILLED)
+/- 40 Acres

Haas-Hirsch

Sohio - Gulf
Haas - Hirsch
1 &
1-D
8096'

Ella Mae
Fontenot

57

Crow
Fontenot
2
8081'

Joseph
Fontenot

Goldsberry
Fontenot
6
8050'

Mary Ambres
Fontenot

Crow
Fontenot
5
8245'

Crow
Fontenot
3
7750'

Crow
Fontenot
1
8245'

Key Operating Co.
Mary Fontenot

8200'

8165'

Sohio
Stevens Unit #3
1 & 1-D

Sohio
Stevens Unit #3
2 & 2-D

Rose Soileau Lativals, et al

Thistlethwaite
Planting Company

Sohio - Gulf
Thistlethwaite Lbr. Co. Unit 1

EXHIBIT NO.
DOCKET NO. 09-
HEARING DATE:

KEY OPERATING COMPANY
Lafayette, Louisiana

Washington Field

St. Landry Parish, Louisiana

PROPOSED UNIT
Frio A-L Zone

0 500' 1,000'

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John Stevens, et al

Clarence
Destroels

Lou Anna
Williams

Sohio - Gulf
John Stevens et al Unit #2
8147'

Lou Anna
Williams

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Gulf
Unit 2
1

Producing
Mention et al
1
800'