

June 29, 2009

Ref: 2266-21948

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

Re: Hearing Application
8,050' Sand, Reservoir A
CHOUPIQUE FIELD
Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana
Applicant: Duncan Oil, Inc.

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, application is hereby made on behalf of **Duncan Oil, 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 relating to the 8,050' Sand, Reservoir A, Choupique Field Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana:

1. To grant an exception to the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E and to create a single drilling and production unit of approximately 47 acres for the 8,050' Sand, Reservoir A, designated as the 8050 RA SUA, Choupique Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, all as shown more particularly on the attached plat;
2. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the said unit;
3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation;
4. To designate a unit operator and a unit well for the proposed unit;
5. To consider such other matters relating to the subject reservoir as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the public hearing.

The 8,050' Sand, Reservoir A, in the Choupique Field is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the measured depths of 8,190 feet and 8,199 feet (electrical log measurements) in

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the Duncan Oil, Inc. (formerly Neumin Production Co.)-Noble 11 No. 1 Well located in Section 11, Township 11 South, Range 11 West.

In accordance with the Rules of Procedure for Conducting Hearings Before the Commissioner of Conservation of the State of Louisiana, the Commissioner of Conservation, the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation and all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties known to the applicant after a reasonable search were notified in writing in the pre-application notice dated June 16, 2009 that a conference to discuss the proposed application was tentatively scheduled for 10:00 a.m. on Wednesday, July 8, 2009. It was stated at that time that this conference would be held only if a request to confer were received by the undersigned within ten (10) calendar days after the date of the pre-application notice. No requests to confer were received either in writing or by telephone and, in accordance with the Rules of Procedure, the tentatively scheduled conference **WILL NOT BE HELD.**

Attached hereto and made a part hereof are plats outlining the 8050 RA SUA, Choupique Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, and a list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties to whom this notice is being sent. It is hereby certified that a reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all interested owners, represented parties and interested parties.

A copy of the list of the names and addresses of the interested owners, represented parties and interested parties is not being mailed to those parties along with this hearing application. Should any such party desire a copy of this list, however, we will be glad to provide one upon request.

Upon receipt of the legal notice in the captioned matter, the notice will be posted, published and mailed in accordance with Rule 7 of the Rules of Procedure.

Any pertinent data relating to the proposed unit can be obtained, AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY, from Mr. David Comeaux of Leon Comeaux & Associates, P. O. Box 53922, Lafayette La 70505 (337) 233-9839.

Finally, there is enclosed herewith our check on behalf of the applicant in the amount of \$755.00, made payable to the Office of Conservation, representing the required hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



B. W. Duplantis

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Attachments
cc: Mr. Richard Hudson
District Manager, Office of Conservation

All Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties

R 11 W

H. C. Drew Estate

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Cabot
12048'

H. C. Drew Estate

Henry Kinney

Continental
Noble
9205'

8050 RA SUA
± 47 ACRES

2
Taurus
Noble
9215'

Charles O. Noble, et al

8520'

T
11
S

Chevron
9300'

H. C. Drew Estate

(S1)
8748' MD
8453' VD

10

Chevron
12043'

Pickens
8606'

McGowan
(Chevron)
9351'

Chevron
9292'

Shale
Out
9266' MD
9215' VD
C.O. Noble
2, 3, 4

McGowan
(Lyons)
C.O. Noble
8962'

Chevron
12046'

Chevron
11720'

Charles O. Noble, et al

Chevron
11691'

11

4
9250'

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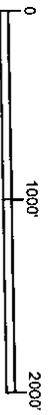
EXHIBIT NO. DOCKET NO.

DUNCAN OIL, INC.

CHOUPIQUE FIELD
CALCASIEU PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED UNIT
8050' SAND

Geology by: David Comeaux



DATE: LEONE, COMEAUX & ASSOC. GEOLOGISTS