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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Louisiana Office of Conservation
P.O. Box 94275
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RE: Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A
Lake Bistineau Field
Bienville Parish, Louisiana

Dear Commissioner Welsh:

Application is hereby made on behalf of **CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC.**, 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 Zone, Reservoir A**, in the **Lake Bistineau Field**, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, for which rules and regulations were established and a pattern of drilling and production units was created by Office of Conservation Order No. 287-F, effective December 16, 2008, as amended and supplemented by the 287-F Series of Orders, to-wit:

1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, such unit to be designated HA RA SUNN;
2. 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 of participation;

3. To designate Chesapeake Operating, Inc. as the operator of, and a unit well for the proposed unit, if appropriate;
4. To provide that with respect to horizontal wells drilled to the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, within or to serve the proposed unit, where the horizontal portion of the well is cased and cemented back above the top of the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, the distance to any unit boundary and any offset well(s) should be calculated based on the distance to the nearest perforation in the well, and not based on the penetration point or terminus;
5. To extend to the proposed unit, to the extent not inconsistent herewith, all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 287-F, effective December 16, 2008, as amended and supplemented by the 287-F Series of Orders, and all applicable Statewide Orders; and
6. To consider such other matters as may be appropriate and justified by the evidence presented at the hearing.

The Haynesville Zone, in the Lake Bistineau Field, Bienville Parish, Louisiana, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 287-F, effective December 16, 2008.

The pre-application conference tentatively scheduled for January 27, 2010, **WILL NOT BE HELD**, as it was not requested within the delays provided for by the Rules of Procedure; therefore, no opposition to this Application at the hearing is anticipated.

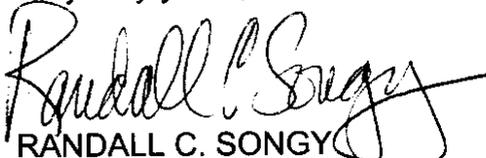
Pertinent data relating to the proposed application can be obtained, **AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY**, by contacting David Comeaux, with Leon Comeaux & Associates, 305 La Rue France, Lafayette, LA 70508 (337) 233-9839.

Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the proposed unit 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.

You may have received this Pre-Application Notice 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 Pre-Application Notice 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.

Very truly yours,

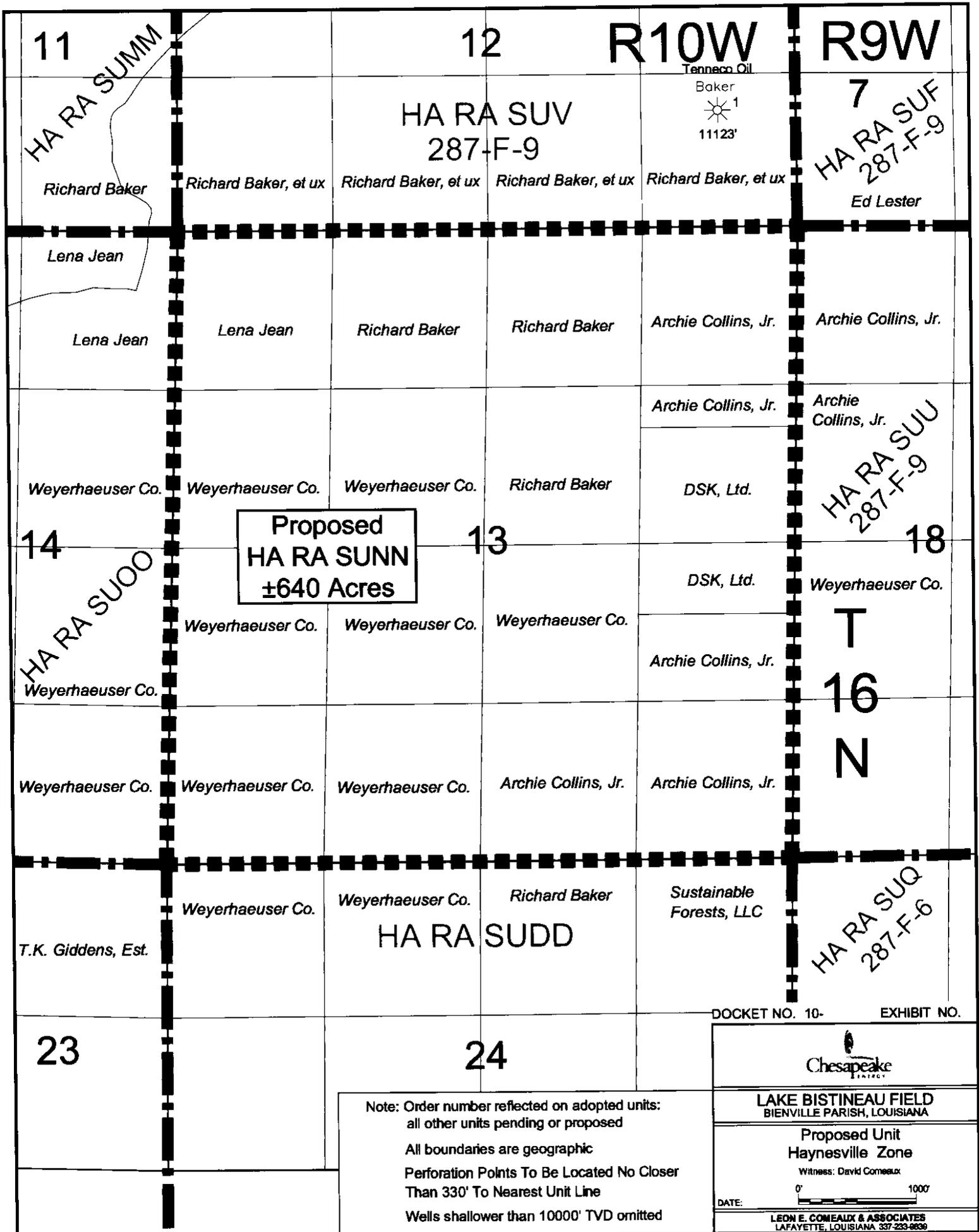


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Enclosures

cc: Honorable James Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation

Mr. Jim Broussard, District Manager
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R9W

HA RA SUV
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Tenneco Oil
Baker
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Richard Baker

Richard Baker, et ux

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Ed Lester

Lena Jean

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Richard Baker

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Archie Collins, Jr.

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Weyerhaeuser Co.

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Richard Baker

DSK, Ltd.

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Proposed
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Sustainable
Forests, LLC

HA RA SUDD

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DOCKET NO. 10- EXHIBIT NO.

Chesapeake ENERGY

LAKE BISTINEAU FIELD
BIENVILLE PARISH, LOUISIANA

Proposed Unit
Haynesville Zone

Witness: David Comeaux

0' 1000'

DATE:

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Note: Order number reflected on adopted units:
all other units pending or proposed
All boundaries are geographic
Perforation Points To Be Located No Closer
Than 330' To Nearest Unit Line
Wells shallower than 10000' TVD omitted