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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
P. O. Box 94275, Capitol Station
Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE: Application
Hackberry Zone, Reservoir D
Nonion Struma Sand, Reservoir D
Gillis-English Bayou Field
Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby on behalf of ExPert Oil & Gas, L.L.C. to the Commissioner of Conservation for the calling of a public hearing after legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the Hackberry Zone, Reservoir D, and the Nonion Struma Sand, Reservoir D in the Gillis-English Bayou Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana, to wit:

Hackberry Zone, Reservoir D

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the above zone and reservoir in the Gillis-English Bayou Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.
2. To create a single drilling and production unit for the zone and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created in accordance with Section 10, Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To designate a unit operator for the unit so created.
4. To provide that future wells drilled to the Hackberry Zone, Reservoir D within or outside of the proposed unit shall be located in accordance with the provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).

5. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation may reclassify the reservoir so created, by Supplemental Order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such a reclassification be warranted based on evidence furnished to the Commissioner.

6. To consider any other matters that may be pertinent to this application.

The Hackberry Zone in the Gillis-English Bayou Field was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 252-FF, effective February 1, 2000, as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 10,528 feet and 10,988 feet (electrical log measurements) (9,362 feet TVD and 9,762 feet TVD) in the Samson Resources Company – State Lease 15774 No. 1 Well, located in Section 11, Township 9 South, Range 8 West, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana and is further defined as being the stratigraphic equivalent of the zone encountered between the depths of 9,950 feet and 10,625 feet (electrical log measurements) in the Wainoco Oil & Gas – William A. Powers No. 1 Well, located in Section 14, Township 9 South, Range 8 West, in the Gillis-English Bayou Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

Nonion Struma Sand, Reservoir D

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the above sand and reservoir in the Gillis-English Bayou Field, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

2. To create a single drilling and production unit for the sand and to force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the unit so created in accordance with Section 10, Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.

3. To designate a unit operator for the unit so created.

4. To provide that future wells drilled to the Nonion Struma Sand, Reservoir, D within or outside of the proposed unit shall be located in accordance with the provisions of LAC 43:XIX.1901 et seq. (Statewide Order No. 29-E).

5. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation may reclassify the reservoir so created, by Supplemental Order and without the necessity of a public hearing should such a reclassification be warranted based on evidence furnished to the Commissioner.

6. To consider any other matters that may be pertinent to this application.

The Nonion Struma Sand, in the Gillis-English Bayou Field was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 252-GG, effective February 1, 2000, as being that gas and condensate bearing sand encountered between the depths of 11,132 feet and 11,182

feet (electrical log measurements) (9,889 feet TVD and 9,930 feet TVD) in the Samson Resources Company – State Lease 15774 No. 1 Well, located in Section 11, Township 9 South, Range 8 West, Calcasieu Parish, Louisiana.

All pertinent data relating to the subject application for the above sand can be purchased AT THE COST OF THE REQUESTING PARTY from the author of this letter.

The pre-application conference was held as scheduled in the pre-application notice. The applicant's proposal was explained by Mr. Carollo. There were three counterplans plans presented. The differences were worked out with two of those parties, and those revised unit plats are attached hereto. The hearing is likely to be contested. The list of conference attendees is also attached.

There is no requirement for persons receiving this notice to attend or be represented at the hearing, but this is merely an invitation to all known Interested Parties to attend the hearing should they so desire.

Plats showing the revised proposed units are attached hereto and made a part hereof, along with the list of conference attendees. A list of the names and addresses of the Interested Parties, Interested Owners and Represented Parties who are being furnished a copy of this application was attached to the pre-application notice and is available to all Interested Parties upon request. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Parties, Interested Owners and Represented Parties as required by the Rules of Procedure. Also, enclosed is a check in the amount of \$1,510.00 made payable to the Office of Conservation submitted on behalf of the applicant representing the hearing application fee.

Very truly yours,



Anthony S. Carollo, Jr.

Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson
Office of Conservation

Interested Parties, Interested Owners, and Represented Parties

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X=1,420,000.00

Many Small Lots

Petro Lewis Smith
1
9,900'

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Union O&G Logan 7 5,658'

Union O&G Logan 5 5,678'

Union O&G Logan 2 5,653'

Union O&G Logan 4 5,659'

Union O&G Logan 3 5,660'

Union O&G Logan 1 5,709'

Union O&G Lyons 2 5,617'

Central Crude Lyons 1 5,660'

Ancco Lyons 2 5,660'

Union O&G Lyons 3 5,660'

Traillour Lyons 4 6,116'

Traillour Lyons 6 8,853'

Texas Gulf Green Acres 1 5,504'

Linder Castle 1 8,010'

Texas Gulf Erwin 4 5,640'

Union O&G McIver 5 5,652'

Union O&G McIver 1 5,631'

Tee Oil Praeger 5 6,170'

Union O&G McIver 4 7,191'

Franks Erwin 2 10,200'

Sure Shot Erwin 1 3,020'

Earl Poole 1 2,629'

Union O&G Castle 4 7,260'

Union O&G Castle 3 8,580'

STATE HIGHWAY 3059

James Bernard Mistretta

Phillip Glorioso, Jr., Etal

Senior Drilling Brinkley 1 7,494'

Erwin Heirs

King Res. Erwin 1 7,245'

Sinclair Erwin 3 7,051'

Erwin Heirs

Texas Gulf Erwin 2A 7,236'

Texas Gulf Erwin 1 7,053'

Wainoco Powers 1 10,626'

Texas Gulf Daharsh 1 7,054'

Fohs Oil Powers 3 7,062'

Fohs Oil Powers 1 7,068'

Fohs Oil Castle 7 7,064'

Fohs Oil Castle 2 7,070'

Fohs Oil Castle 13 7,035'

Fohs Oil Powers 1 7,063'

Fohs Oil Castle 10 7,065'

Fohs Oil Powers 2 7,050'

Fohs Oil Castle 1 9,240'

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NS RD SUA
(Undrilled)
+/- 101 Acres



----- PROPOSED UNIT

NOTE: ALL UNIT BOUNDARIES ARE GEOGRAPHIC.



EXHIBIT No.

DOCKET No.

EXPERT OIL & GAS, L.L.C.

**GILLIS-ENGLISH BAYOU FIELD
CALCASIEU PARISH, LOUISIANA**

Proposed Unit
Nonion Struma Sand, Reservoir D

Date:



Geology: ANTHONY S. CAROLLO, JR.