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RE: Potpourri Docket No. **R A 2023-13**

Dear F. Jonathan Rice,

Simply stated, we cannot survive a ruling on flaring or selling of the gas on stripper wells. Most wells do not produce enough gas to even measure. Most Caddo Pine Island oil wells are stripper status producing around one barrel per day. There are no pipelines to produce and sell gas and it is not a profitable venture for any pipeline company to build one.

If such a proposal becomes law, you will be eliminating stripper operators. These operators are the lifeblood of towns and villages in our state. As the operators disappear, so do businesses and communities throughout Louisiana.

I am happy to discuss or ask questions at your pleasure. Please feel free to contact me by telephone at (318) 470-0577.

Please consider some common sense when making decisions that can affect many life lives in this great state of Louisiana.

Yours Truly,

ETHYL GAS COMPANY, LLC



Jerry Huddleston