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Honorable James H. Welsh
Commissioner of Conservation
Office of Conservation
P.O. Box 94275
Baton Rouge, La 70804-4275

Re: Hearing Application
4300' Zone RA SUA
Grand Coulee Field, Acadia Parish, LA
Applicant: Zachry Exploration, LLC

Dear Mr. Commissioner:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Zachry Exploration, LLC for the calling of a public hearing, after ten days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an order pertaining to the following matters regarding the 4300' zone, Reservoir A, SUA, Grand Coulee Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana, for which rules and regulations were established and a drilling and production unit was created by the Office of Conservation Order No. 406-E, effective October 12, 2010.

1. To permit applicant, Zachry Exploration, LLC to drill, designate and utilize the Stephen Anthony Thevis et al No. 1 Well as an alternate unit well for the 4300' Zone RA SUA, such well to be at the location shown on the plat attached hereto and made a part hereof, at an exceptional location to the spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 406-E.
2. To make a specific finding that such proposed alternate unit well is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a portion of the 4300' RA SUA which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any other well within the unit.
3. To grant a single unit allowable for 4300' RA SUA and to permit the operator of the unit to produce said unit allowable from the unit well, the alternate unit wells, or from any combination at its option;

4. To confirm Zachry Exploration, LLC as the operator of the 4300' RA SUA.
5. To find that, except to the extent contrary in the order granted by the Commissioner of Conservation in connection with the hearing held on this application, the provisions of Order 271-V of Office of Conservation Orders shall remain in full force and effect, and
6. To consider such other matters pertinent to this application as shown by the evidence presented at the hearing held on this matter.

The 4300' Zone, Reservoir A, Grand Coulee Field, Acadia Parish, Louisiana was previously defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 406-E, effective October 12, 2010.

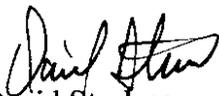
Attached hereto and made a part hereof is a plat outlining the 4300' RA SUA, showing the location of the second alternate unit well together with a list of the names and addresses of all interested owners, interested parties and represented parties who are known to the applicant after reasonable search. A reasonable effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all such parties.

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

Any pertinent data relating to this matter can be obtained at the cost of the requesting party, from David Sturlese of 124 Heymann Blvd., Ste. 106, Lafayette, LA 70503 (337) 232-1700.

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

Very truly yours,


David Sturlese

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Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson, District Manager
Interested Parties, Interested Owners and Represented Parties on attached list

R 1 E

Hwy 368

U.S.C.S.S T.T
LAT. 30° 23' 28"
LON. 92° 23' 49"

Pleasure et al
E. F. FLOWER

4300 RA SUA
(UNDRILLED)
±116 ACRES

Frederick Arthur Loewer

9510'
Texas Nat'l. Pal
E. F. FLOWER

Carolyn Loewer Piper

5

9968' 6
9865'
±1320'

Mary Martha Loewer Wiegand

Ernest Loewer
Marital Trust

Zachry Exploration, LLC
E. Loewer Marital Trust

Edythe Annette Loewer Lindsey

Loch Ex.

Unit Well
4556'

HWY 13

*1 Mari
10300'

APO 406-E

Zachry Exploration, LLC
Stephen Anthony Thevis, et al

Proposed
Alternate
Unit Well
±80'

David Wayne
Doucet, et al

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Stephen Anthony Thevis

Thevis Land
Company

J. P. Owens et al
P. J. Thevis Jr.

Atlantic
K. Deronee) 4060'
J. Thevis Jr.
John Conrad Hensgens, Jr.

Thevis Land
Company

Gerald A. Schultz, et al

Gerald A. Schultz

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Melvin T. Meyer

Wayne Thomas
Thevis

Loretta Loraine
Klein Schultz

Wayne T.

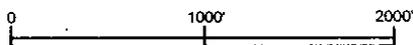
EXHIBIT NO.
DOCKET NO.

DATE:

ZACHRY EXPLORATION LLC

GRAND COULEE FIELD
ACADIA PARISH, LOUISIANA

PROPOSED ALTERNATE UNIT WELL
4300' ZONE



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NOTE: ALL BOUNDARIES ARE GEOGRAPHIC