

**BRACKY BRANCH, GAHAGAN AND RED RIVER BULL BAYOU FIELDS**  
**11-79 thru 11-81**

**LEGAL NOTICE**

**STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.**

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3<sup>rd</sup> Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 15, 2011**, upon the application of **PETROHAWK OPERATING COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A**, in the Bracky Branch and Gahagan Fields and **Haynesville Zone, Reservoir B**, in the Red River Bull Bayou Field, all in Red River Parish, Louisiana.

1. To dissolve the following described six (6) drilling and production units previously established for the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A and Reservoir B: (a) HA RA SUX in the Bracky Branch Field, as shown on the plat submitted with the application (b) HA RB SUWW in the Red River Bull Bayou Field, as shown on the plat submitted with the application (c) HA RA SUK, HA RA SUL, HA RA SUM and HA RA SUR in the Gahagan Field, as shown on the plat submitted with the application.
2. To create four (4) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, to be designated HA RA SUBB, HA RA SUCC, HA RA SUDD and HA RA SUEE, as shown on the plat submitted with the application and marked for identification as Exhibit No. 2.
3. To force pool and integrate all of the separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests located within the proposed units in accordance with Section 10, Title 30 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
4. To designate unit wells and unit operators, as appropriate.
5. To extend to the proposed units, except to the extent inconsistent herewith, the pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 909-H, effective February 3, 2009, as amended and supplemented by the 909-H Series of Orders, and all applicable Statewide Orders.
6. To provide that with respect to horizontal wells drilled to the Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A, in or to serve the proposed units, where the horizontal lateral 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) will be calculated based on the distance to the nearest perforation in the well, and not based on the penetration point or terminus.
7. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 909-H, effective February 3, 2009.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 917-L, effective September 16, 2008.

The Haynesville Zone, Reservoir B was defined in Order No. 109-X-4, effective November 6, 2008.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

<http://dnr.louisiana.gov/conshearings>

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

**BY ORDER OF:**

**JAMES H. WELSH**  
**COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION**

Baton Rouge, LA

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