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> Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation State of Louisiana Post Office Box 44275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-4275

> > Re: <u>APPLICATION FOR PUBLIC HEARING</u>.

Lower Tuscaloosa A Sand, Reservoir A, CHIPOLA FIELD, St. Helena and East Feliciana Parishes, Louisiana.

Dear Sir:

TREK RESOURCES, INC., ("Applicant"), hereby respectfully applies for a public hearing to consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the Lower Tuscaloosa A Sand, Reservoir A, in the Chipola Field, St. Helena and East Feliciana Parishes, Louisiana:

- 1. To create two (2) additional drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of oil and gas from the Lower Tuscaloosa A Sand, Reservoir A, such units being shown on the attached plat and being designated L TUSC A RA SUB and L TUSC A RA SUC.
- 2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within these 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.
- 3. To designate a unit operator of, and a unit well for, each of the proposed units as may be appropriate.
- 4. To extend, except as in conflict herewith, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 1511, effective August 14, 2007, and of all applicable Statewide Orders, to the proposed additional units.

The Lower Tuscaloosa A Sand, Reservoir A, in the Chipola Field, was defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 1511, effective August 14, 2007.

Any pertinent data concerning this application will be available for inspection at the offices of Leon E. Comeaux & Associates, 305 LaRue France, Lafayette, Louisiana 70508. Any

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person wishing to inspect any such data should call Mr. David Comeaux at (337) 233-9839 during normal business hours in order to arrange a date and time for such inspection. A copy of any such data which is not otherwise available at the Office of Conservation can be obtained from Applicant at the expense of the requesting party.

By letter dated March 8, 2011, Applicant gave notice, in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure, of its intention to apply for a public hearing concerning these proposals and set March 30, 2011, as the tentative date for the pre-application conference. While a conference request was received within the delays provided for in the Rules of Procedure, it was subsequently withdrawn; accordingly, no pre-application conference will be held.

Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, Applicant has made a reasonable effort to obtain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties to whom notice of this application is being sent and has attached hereto a list of the names and addresses of such parties. A copy of the unit plat (which is identical to the unit plat attached to the pre-application notice) is enclosed herewith, and a copy of this letter and of the attached plat is being sent to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation and to each of the Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties as shown on the attached list.

Applicant will provide for posting of a copy of the Legal Notice of this hearing, and of the enclosed plat, at a prominent place in the area affected and will cause publication of the Legal Notice in a newspaper published in the general area of Chipola Field, all in accordance with the Revised Rules of Procedure. Furthermore, Applicant will mail a copy of the Legal Notice to all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties promptly upon receipt of the Legal Notice from the Commissioner.

Finally, enclosed herewith is our check payable to the Office of Conservation covering the application fee.

David L. Smelley

Yours very truly

Attorney for Trek Resources, Inc.

DLS:dp Enclosures

cc: Mr. Richard Hudson (w/encls.) Mr. David Comeaux (w/encls.)

Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties (w/plat only)

