

**BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION
OF THE STATE OF COLORADO**

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ANTERO RESOURCES PICEANCE CORPORATION FOR AN ORDER CONFIRMING ITS ORDER IN DOCKET 191-55 UNDER WHICH AN APPROXIMATE 320 ACRE DRILLING AND SPACING UNIT WAS ESTABLISHED FOR THE PRODUCTION OF GAS AND ASSOCIATED HYDROCARBONS FROM THE WILLIAMS FORK FORMATION AND ILES FORMATION, SUCH CONFIRMATION BEING REQUESTED AS IT HAS BEEN DISCOVERED THAT CERTAIN INTERESTED PARTIES WERE NOT GIVEN PROPER NOTICE WHEN THE ORIGINAL APPLICATION WAS FILED LEADING TO SAID ORDER 191-55 WHICH APPLIES TO CERTAIN DESCRIBED LANDS IN THE MAMM CREEK FIELD AREA, GARFIELD COUNTY, COLORADO

CAUSE NO.

DOCKET NO.

APPLICATION

COMES NOW Antero Resources Piceance Corporation ("Applicant"), a Delaware corporation, by its attorneys, Beatty & Wozniak, P.C., and makes application to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado for an order confirming its prior Order No. 191-55 in Cause No. 191 covering certain described lands in the Mamm Creek Field Area, Garfield County, Colorado. By way of background and in support of its application Applicant states and alleges as follows:

1. That Applicant is a corporation duly authorized to conduct business in the State of Colorado.

2. That Applicant owns leasehold interests in a substantial portion of the following described lands:

Township 6 South, Range 92 West

Section 13: N/2

(hereinafter "Application Lands")

3. That the Application Lands were established as an approximate 320 acre drilling and spacing unit for the Williams Fork Formation and Iles Formation under the Commission's Order No. 191-55, such order also approving ten (10) acre density drilling for these formations underlying the Application Lands.

4. Since Order 191-55 has become effective, Applicant has ascertained that certain interested parties were not given proper notice of the application leading to this order. In

view of this, Applicant will provide notice to these interested parties together so that they would have the opportunity to object to the order if they so desired. It is anticipated that there will be no objections in which event Applicant requests that the order be confirmed by the Commission after taking into account that proper notice has been given to the interested parties listed on Exhibit A attached hereto.

5. The granting of this application will not promote waste; will not violate correlative rights and will assure the greatest ultimate recovery of gas and associated hydrocarbon substances from the reservoir.

6. That the names and addresses of the interested parties according to the information and belief of the Applicant are set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that this matter be set for hearing in January, 2010, that notice be given as required by law and that upon such hearing this Commission enter its order consistent with Applicant's proposals as set forth above.

Dated: November ____, 2009.

By: _____
William A. Keefe
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VERIFICATION

STATE OF COLORADO)
) ss.
CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER)

Brian F. Wade, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says that he is the Landman for Antero Resources Piceance Corporation and that he has read the foregoing Application and that the matters therein contained are true to the best of his knowledge, information and belief.

Brian F. Wade

Subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of November, 2009.

Witness my hand and official seal.

My commission expires:_____

Notary Public

EXHIBIT A

Antero Resources Corporation
1625 17th Street, Suite 300
Denver, CO 80202

Garfield County Board of County
Commissioners
108 8th Street, Suite 213
Glenwood Springs, CO 81601

Kristine M. Peterson
2525 South Wadsworth Boulevard,
Suite 303
Lakewood, CO 80227-4346

EnCana Oil & Gas (USA), Inc.
370 17th Street, Suite 1700
Denver, CO 80202

Circle B Land Company, LLC
1099 18th Street, Suite 2300
Denver, CO 80202

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New Castle, CO 81647

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Denver, CO 80202

Judith H. Jordan
Garfield County
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Rifle, CO 81650-8412

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An Oklahoma Limited Partnership
1500 Mid America Tower
20 North Broadway
Oklahoma City, OK 73102

Bill Barrett Corporation
1099 18th Street, Suite 2300
Denver, CO 80202

Orion Energy Partners, LP
1675 Broadway, Suite 2000
Denver, CO 80202

Barrett D. Baker
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Denver, CO 80202

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New Castle, CO 81647

Robert M. Regulski
Post Office Box 9
Rifle, CO 81650

Glen A. Wallen and Karen K. Wallen
230 Mid Valley Drive
Silt, CO 81652

Colorado Division of Wildlife
6060 Broadway
Denver, CO 80216

Colorado Department of
Public Health & Environment
4300 Cherry Creek Drive South
Denver, CO 80246-1530

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AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

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William A. Keefe of lawful age, and being first duly sworn upon his oath, states and declares:

That he is the attorney for Antero Resources Piceance Corporation, that on or before November ____, 2009, he caused a copy of the attached Application to be deposited in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the parties listed on Exhibit A to the Application.

William A. Keefe

Subscribed and sworn to before me November ____, 2009.

Witness my hand and official seal.

My commission expires: _____.

Notary Public