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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND	)	CAUSE NO. 407
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN	)	
OPERATIONS IN THE WATTENBERG FIELD,	)	DOCKET NO. 0611-UP-17
WELD COUNTY, COLORADO	)	

### **NOTICE OF HEARING**

#### TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

On December 20, 1983, the Commission issued Order No. 407-1, which established 80-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of oil and/or gas and associated hydrocarbons for the Codell Formation underlying certain lands, including Section 24, Township 5 North, Range 66 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

On August 20, 1984, the Commission issued Order No. 407-4, which established 80-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of oil and/or gas and associated hydrocarbons for the Niobrara Formation underlying certain lands, including Section 24, Township 5 North, Range 66 West, 6<sup>th</sup> P.M.

On September 5, 2006, Kerr McGee Oil & Gas Onshore LP, by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application for an order in accordance with Rule 318A.a.(4)C. to designate a 160-acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of the NE¼ of Section 24, Township 5 North, Range 66 West, 6th P.M., for the development and operation of the Codell-Niobrara Formation and to pool all non-consenting interests. The Applicant proposes to drill the SEGL 17-24 Well at a proposed bottomhole location of 1240 feet from the north line and 1480 feet from the east line for production from the Codell-Niobrara Formation.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado, pursuant to the above, has scheduled the above-entitled matter for hearing on:

Date: Monday, November 27, 2006

Tuesday, November 28, 2006

Time: 9:00 a.m.

Place: Suite 801, The Chancery Building

1120 Lincoln Street Denver, Colorado 80203

In accordance with the Americans with Disabilities Act, if any party requires special accommodations as a result of a disability for this hearing, please contact Margaret Humecki at (303) 894-2100 ext. 139, prior to the hearing and arrangements will be made.

Pursuant to said hearing in the above-entitled matter at the time and place aforesaid, or at any adjourned meeting, the Commission will enter such orders as it deems appropriate to protect the health, safety and welfare of the public and to prevent the waste of oil and gas, either or both, in the operations of said field, and to carry out the purposes of the statute.

In accordance with Rule 509., any interested party desiring to protest the granting of the application or to intervene on the application should file with the Commission a written protest or intervention no later than November 13, 2006, briefly stating the basis of the protest or intervention. Such interested party shall, at the same time, serve a copy of the protest or intervention to the person filing the application. An original and nine (9) copies shall be filed with the Commission (Rule 503.). Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be able to participate in a prehearing conference during the week of November 13, 2006. Pursuant to Rule 503.f., if a party who has received notice under Rule 503.b. wishes to receive further pleadings in the above-referenced matter, that party must file a protest or intervention in accordance with these rules. In accordance with the practices of the Commission, should no protests or interventions be filed in this matter by November 13, 2006, the Applicant may request that an administrative hearing be scheduled for the week of November 13, 2006. In the alternative, pursuant to Rule 511.b., if the matter is uncontested, the applicant may request, and the Director may recommend approval on the basis of the merits of the verified

application and the supporting exhibits.

## IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

# OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

By_		
-	Patricia C. Beaver, Secretary	

Dated at Suite 801 1120 Lincoln Street Denver, Colorado 80203 October 27, 2006 Attorney for Applicant: Michael J. Wozniak Beatty & Wozniak 216 Sixteenth Street, Suite 110 Denver, CO 80202 (303) 407-4466