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

IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND	)	CAUSE NO. 112
ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN	ý	
OPERATIONS FOR THE FRUITLAND COAL SEAM	ý	DOCKET NO. 1404-UP-97
FORMATION, IGNACIO-BLANCO FIELD, LA PLATA	í	
COUNTY, COLORADO	í	

#### NOTICE OF HEARING

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

On February 27, 2014, Catamount Energy Partners LLC ("Catamount" or "Applicant") filed a verified application pursuant to §34-60-116 C.R.S. for an order to:

- 1) Pool all interests in an approximate 320-acre drilling and spacing unit established for the development and operation of the Fruitland Coal Seam Formation; and
- 2) Subject any nonconsenting interests to the cost recovery provisions of §34-60-116(7), C.R.S., effective as of the earlier of the date of the Application, or the date that any of the costs specified in §34-60-116(7)(b), C.R.S. were first incurred for drilling each of the following wells: the Campbell 33-7-4 1H (API No. 05-067-09902) and the Campbell 33-7-4 2H (API No. 05-067-09903) Wells.

## APPLICATION LANDS

Township 33 North, Range 7 West, N.M.P.M. Section 4: S½

## PRIOR RULES AND ORDERS

(available online at: <a href="http://cogcc.state.co.us">http://cogcc.state.co.us</a>, under "ORDERS")

On June 17, 1988, the Commission entered Order No. 112-60, which established 320-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of gas from the Fruitland Coal Seam Formation.

On May 15, 2000, the Commission entered Order No. 112-157, which approved an optional second well within each 320-acre unit.

On July 10, 2006, the Commission entered Order No. 112-190, which approved up to four wells within each 320-acre drilling and spacing unit, with the permitted wells to be located no closer than 660 feet from the unit boundary. Wells drilled pursuant to this Order must comply with the provisions of the MOU between BP America Production Company and La Plata County.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, pursuant to: 1) the general jurisdiction granted to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado under §34-60-105 C.R.S.; 2) specific powers granted pursuant to §34-60-106 C.R.S.; 3) the State Administrative Procedures Act at §24-4-105 C.R.S.; and 4) the Commission's Series 500 Rules at 2 CCR 404-1, that the Commission has scheduled the above-entitled matter for hearing on:

Date:

Monday, April 28, 2014

Tuesday, April 29, 2014

Time:

9:00 a.m.

Place:

Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission

1120 Lincoln Street, Suite 801 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. 5139, prior to the hearing and arrangements will be made.

At hearing, the Commission will consider the Application and enter an order pursuant to its authority under the statute. Any interested party desiring to protest or intervene should file with the Commission a written protest or intervention in accordance with Rule 509., no later than April 14, 2014. Such interested party shall, at the same time, serve a copy of the protest or intervention to the person filing the application. One electronic (cogcc.hearings\_unit@state.co.us), one original and two copies shall be filed with the Commission. Anyone who files a protest or intervention must be able to participate in a prehearing conference during the week of April 14, 2014. Pursuant to Rule 511., if the matter is uncontested, it may be approved without a hearing, based on review of the merits of the verified application and supporting exhibits.

OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

Robert J. Frick, Secretary

Dated: March 28, 2014

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