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Affidavit of Publication

STATE OF COLORADO

ss.

County of Weld,

BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO IN THE MATTER OF THE PROMULGATION AND ESTABLISHMENT OF FIELD RULES TO GOVERN OPERATIONS IN THE HAMBERT FIELD, WELD COUNTY, COLORADO CAUSE NO. 304 DOCKET NO.9-12

NOTICE OF HEARING TO ALL INTERESTED PARTIES AND TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: On February 17, 1976, the Commission issued Order No. 304-1 establishing 320-acre drilling and spacing units for certain lands underlying the Hambert Field for production of gas from the Sussex Formation. Each unit shall be in the E1/2 and W1/2 or N1/2 and S1/2 of each section, according to the governmental survey thereof, and each permitted well shall be no closer than 990 feet from the boundaries of the quarter section upon which it is located.

On August 15, 1977, the Commission issued Order No. 304-4 extending the limits of the spaced area to include additional lands including the NE1/4 of Section 20, Township 4 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M. On February 17, 1978, the Commission issued Order No. 304-5 which amended Order No. 304-1 and established 160-acre drilling and spacing units for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Sussex Formation underlying certain lands in the Hambert Field. The units consist of the quarter section of each section according to the governmental survey with the permitted well to be located no closer than 990 feet to the boundaries of the quarter section.

On July 17, 1995, CFG Energy, Inc., by its attorney, filed with the Commission a verified application for and order to amend Order No. 304-5 to reduce the size of the 160 acre drilling and spacing unit consisting of the NE1/4 of Section 20, Township 4 North, Range 65 West, 6th P.M. to 40-acre drilling and spacing units consisting of the quarter-quarter section, with the permitted well to be located in the center of the quarter-quarter with a tolerance of 200 feet in any direction, for the production of oil, gas and associated hydrocarbons from the Sussex Formation underlying said Section 20. Further, Applicant wishes to drill two new Sussex wells in the SW1/4 NE1/4 and the SE1/4 NE1/4 of Section 20.

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, September 25, 1995
Time: 8:30 a.m.
Place: Suite 801, The Chancery Building
1120 Lincoln Street
Denver, CO 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 Mara Jauch 894-2100 ext. 114, 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 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.

Any interested party desiring to protest the granting of the application or to intervene should file with the Commission a written protest or a notice to intervene, including nine (9) copies, no later than September 19, 1995, briefly stating the basis of the protest or intervention. Such interested party shall, at the same time, serve a copy of the protest or notice to intervene to the person filing the application. A fee of seventy dollars (\$70.00) shall accompany each document filed with the Commission. In accordance with the practices of the Commission, should no protests or interventions be filed in this matter by September 19, 1995, an administrative hearing will be scheduled prior to the above hearing date.

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 August 3, 1995

Attorney for Applicant: J. Michael Morgan/David G. Ebner Lohf, Shaiman & Jacobs, P.C. 950 S. Cherry Street, Suite 800 Denver, CO 80222 (303) 753-8000

The Greeley Daily Tribune September 10, 1995

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day of September A.D. 19 95; and the last publication thereof; in the issue of said newspaper bearing date the

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day of September A.D. 19 95;

that said The Greeley Daily Tribune and The Greeley Republican, has been published continuously and uninterruptedly during the period of at least six months next prior to the first issue thereof contained said notice or advertisement above referred to; that said newspaper has been admitted to the United States mails as second-class matter under the provisions of the Act of March 3, 1879, or any amendments thereof; and that said newspaper is a daily newspaper duly qualified for publishing legal notices and advertisements within the meaning of the laws of the State of Colorado.

September 10, 1995

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Lorita Seidler

Advertising Clerk

Subscribed and sworn to before me this

10th day of September A.D. 19 95

My commission expires 7-28-96

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