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The regular monthly meeting of the State Oil and Gas Board will be held in Suite E, 500 Greymont Avenue, Jackson, Mississippi, on the 15th of November, 2023 commencing at 9:00 am to consider the dockets hereinafter set out followed by an administrative meeting to consider such business as may come before the Board. Applications are on file in the office of the State Oil and Gas Board, Suite E, 500 Greymont Avenue, Mississippi for your examination.

All exhibits and data to be used in a hearing in support of a petition shall be filed with the Supervisor at least nine (9) days prior to the hearing.

DOCKET NUMBER

CONTINUED DOCKET

344-2022-D

NORTH FORD'S CREEK FIELD - Wilkinson County.

Petition of Griffin & Griffin Exploration, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the BR F-51 No. 1 Well.

301-2023-D

BLACKBURN FIELD - Jones County.

Petition of Pistol Ridge Partners, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Collins 14-4 No. 1 Well.

304-2023-D

OLDENBURG FIELD - Franklin County.

Petition of Energy Resources Corp., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the C. T. Loflin No. 1 Well.

313-2023-D

LANEHEART FIELD - Wilkinson County.

Petition of Pledger Operating Co., Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Prater Unit No. 1 Well.

359-2023-D

MERIT FIELD - Simpson County.

Petition of Cody Operating, Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

385-2023-D

GLAZIER FIELD - Perry County.

Petition of Venture Oil & Gas, Inc., requesting the Board to amend Order No. 453-2023 to force integrate additional non-consenting owners, with alternate risk charges, in the previously-permitted Gavin Heirs 29-11 No. 1 Well, located on an exceptional sized 320-acre oil unit, situated in Section 29, Township 4 North, Range 9 West, to a depth of 13,500' to test the Paluxy Formation and all other formations and pools which may be encountered at a regular location. Alternatively, Petitioner requests the Board to integrate all interests in said unit without alternate risk charges.

387-2023-D

FAYETTE FIELD - Jefferson County.

Petition of KFG Petroleum Corporation requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

400-2023-D <u>EAST FLORA FIELD - Madison County.</u>

Petition of Infield Discovery, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Howard 13-4 No. 2 Well.

410-2023-D GILLSBURG FIELD - Amite County.

Petition of Emerge Operating, LLC, requesting the Board to reform the presently-existing 160-acre gas unit for the Charles Spears A No. 1 Well to an 80-acre oil unit, situated in the E/2 of the SW/4 of the SW/4 and the W/2 of the SE/4 of the SW/4 of Section 27, Township 1 North, Range 6 East, and the E/2 of the NW/4 of the NW/4 and the W/2 of the NE/4 of the NW/4 Section 34, Township 1 North, Range 6 East, for production from the Upper Tuscaloosa Oil Pool.

411-2023-D BAXTERVILLE FIELD - Lamar and Marion Counties.

FOR FINAL ORDER

Petition of Tellus Operating Group, LLC, requesting the Board to extend the time in which to commence plugging operations for the WWS 7 No. 7 Well, located in Section 4, Township 1 North, Range 16 West, or an additional 90 days, until January 1, 2024, as an exception to Rule 63.

412-2023-D PINEY CREEK, SOUTH PROVIDENCE, AND STAMPS FIELDS - Franklin and Wilkinson Counties.

FOR FINAL ORDER

On the Board's own motion, Show Cause Order 598-2023 was issued to Natchez Operating, LLC as to why it should not be penalized for violation of Statewide Rule 4, Application to Drill, for failure to maintain financial responsibility for the Crosby 2-11 No. 1 and the Crosby 2-12 No. 1 Wells, located in Section 2, Township 3 North, Range 1 West, the U.S.A. 36-15 No. 1 and the U.S.A. 36-10 No. 1 Wells, located in Section 36 Township 6 North, Range 2 East, the R.M. Stricker SWDW No. 2 and the Haynes No. 1 Wells, located in Section 11, Township 2 North, Range 5 West, the Pritchartt No. 1, the Pritchartt A No. 1 and the W.H. Pritchartt el al No. A-1 Wells, located in Section 12, Township 2 North, Range 5 West and the H. Pritchartt SWDW No. 1 and the H. Pritchartt No. 8 Wells, located in Section 16, Township 2 North, Range 5 West.

413-2023-D WEST BUTLER LAKE AND NORTH CARTHAGE POINT FIELDS - Adams County.

FOR FINAL ORDER

On the Board's own motion, Show Cause Order 599-2023 was issued to George Tarver Operating Co., LLC as to why it should not be penalized for violation of Statewide Rule 63, Underground Injection Control, for failure to repair or plug the New Era Plantation No. 3 Well, located in Section 31, Township 6 North, Range 3 West and the Frederick Schuchardt No. J 2 Well, located in Section 56, Township 7 North, Range 3 West.

414-2023-D PINEY CREEK FIELD - Wilkinson County.

FOR FINAL ORDER

On the Board's own motion, Show Cause Order 600-2023 was issued to Natchez Operating, LLC as to why it should not be penalized for violation of Statewide Rule 63, Underground Injection Control, for failure to timely complete a mechanical integrity test for the Crosby 2-12 No. 1 Well, located in Section 2, Township 3 North, Range 1 West.

DOCKET NUMBER

NEW DOCKET

402-2023-D

STATEWIDE.

On the Board's own motion, the State Oil and Gas Board files its Petition to amend and revise Statewide Rule 11, Surface Casing, to require that a proposed surface casing program, a proposed cement program, and a proposed mud disposal program be submitted along with the filing of a Form No. 2, "Application to Drill", and further sets out various casing and pressure testing requirements pertinent to Statewide Rule 11.

418-2023-D NORTH GREENS BAYOU FIELD - Adams County.

Petition of Achilles Oil, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Braswell Folkes No. 1 Well.

419-2023-D ESPERANCE POINT FIELD - Adams County.

Petition of Watchtower Petroleum, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Hogue No. 1 Well.

420-2023-D ABBOTT FIELD - Clay County.

Petition of Fletcher Petroleum Corp., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Steele 36-10 No. 1A Well.

421-2023-D BOLTON FIELD - Hinds County.

Petition of J.R. Pounds, Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

422-2023-D BOVINA FIELD - Warren County.

Petition of Scorpion Oil & Gas, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

423-2023-D LEAF RIVER FIELD - Covington County.

Petition of Tellus Operating Group, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

424-2023-D <u>EAST CARTHAGE POINT FIELD - Adams County.</u>

Petition of Mt. Crescent Operating Company, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

425-2023-D GENE A. RADZEWICZ FIELD - Adams County.

Petition of Mt. Crescent Operating Company, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Linwood Plantation No. 1 Well.

426-2023-D TOM BRANCH FIELD - Franklin County.

Petition of Miss-Lou Operating, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

430-2023-D <u>LAGRANGE FIELD - Adams County.</u>

Petition of McGowan Working Partners, Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

431-2023-D FAYETTE FIELD - Jefferson County.

Petition of McGowan Working Partners, Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

432-2023-D LAKE MARY FIELD - Wilkinson County.

Petition of McGowan Working Partners, Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the E. M. Kee No. 1 Well.

433-2023-D NORTH MUD CREEK FIELD - Wilkinson County.

Petition of McGowan Working Partners, Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

434-2023-D NORTHEAST COLLINS FIELD - Jones and Covington Counties.

Petition of Roundtree & Associates, Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

435-2023-D <u>SOUTH SAMMY CREEK FIELD - Adams County.</u>

Petition of George Tarver Operating, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Armstrong "SC" No. 1 Well.

436-2023-D <u>LUXOR FIELD - Franklin County.</u>

Petition of Ace Energy, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Johnson No. A 1 Well.

441-2023-D <u>WEST EUCUTTA FIELD - Wayne County.</u>

Petition of New Horizon Resources, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

442-2023-D WEST LANGSDALE FIELD - Clarke County.

Petition of P.R.P., Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the C.A. Day No. 1 Well.

443-2023-D SANDY HOOK FIELD - Marion and Pearl River Counties.

Petition of Pistol Ridge Partners, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Eva M. Hurst et al No. 2 Well.

444-2023-D OTHO FIELD - Scott County.

Petition of Pistol Ridge Partners, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Jones No. 1 Well.

445-2023-D KNOXO FIELD - Marion and Walthall Counties.

Petition of Pistol Ridge Partners, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

446-2023-D NORTH SAND HILL FIELD - Greene County.

Petition of Thomas A. Blanton requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the F. J. Hubbard 3-12 No. 4 Well.

447-2023-D LIBERTY FIELD - Amite County.

Petition of Liberty Operating Co., LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for certain wells in the field.

448-2023-D <u>EMINENCE DOME FIELD - Covington County.</u>

Petition of Transcontinental Gas Pipe Line Company, LLC, requesting the Board to extend the time to conduct integrity verification for Cavern Well No. 4, located in Section 5, Township 7 North, Range 14 West to December 31, 2024 or to plug said well.

450-2023-D FOUR RIVERS FIELD - Wilkinson County.

Petition of Emerge Operating, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the McKellar No. 1 Well.

451-2023-D PRAIRIE BRANCH FIELD - Clarke County.

Petition of Signal, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Masonite F.L.B. 15-15 No. 1 Well.

452-2023-D WILKINSON COUNTY.

Petition of Signal, LLC, requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the Gaulden No. 1H Well.

453-2023-D PARKER CREEK FIELD - Jones County.

Petition of Acacia Operating, LLC, requesting authority to plug and abandon the Box/Gladdis Knight 32-14 No. 1 Well, located in Section 32, Township 7 North, Range 13 West, as an exception to Statewide Rule 28.

454-2023-D MYSTIC BAYOU FIELD - Adams County.

Petition of Black Jack Oil Company, Inc., requesting the Board to approve an extension of inactive well status under Statewide Rule 28 for the McMillan et al No. 1 Well.

455-2023-D NEW HOME SALT DOME FIELD - Smith and Jasper Counties.

Petition of Leaf River Energy Center, LLC, requesting authority to drill the Cavern Well No. H1, located in Section 5, Township 10 North, Range 13 West, as a hydrogen gas and compressed air storage cavern well with a total depth of 4,920'.

456-2023-D NEW HOME SALT DOME FIELD - Smith and Jasper Counties.

Petition of Leaf River Energy Center, LLC, requesting authority to drill the Cavern Well No. H2, located in Section 5, Township 10 North, Range 13 West, as a hydrogen gas and compressed air storage cavern well with a total depth of 4,920'.

457-2023-D NEW HOME SALT DOME FIELD - Smith and Jasper Counties.

Petition of Leaf River Energy Center, LLC, requesting authority to drill the Cavern Well No. H3, located in Section 5, Township 10 North, Range 13 West, as a hydrogen gas and compressed air storage cavern well with a total depth of 4,920'.

458-2023-D NEW HOME SALT DOME FIELD - Smith and Jasper Counties.

Petition of Leaf River Energy Center, LLC, requesting authority to drill the Cavern Well No. H4, located in Section 5, Township 10 North, Range 13 West, as a hydrogen gas and compressed air storage cavern well with a total depth of 4,920'.

459-2023-D NEW HOME SALT DOME FIELD - Smith and Jasper Counties.

Petition of Leaf River Energy Center, LLC, requesting authority to drill the Cavern Well No. H5, located in Section 5, Township 10 North, Range 13 West, as a hydrogen gas and compressed air storage cavern well with a total depth of 4,920'.

460-2023-D PUCKETT FIELD - Rankin and Smith Counties.

Petition of Venture Oil & Gas, Inc., requesting the Board to integrate, with alternate risk charges, all interests in an exception sized 160-acre oil unit, situated in the W/2 of the SW/4 of Section 18, Township 3 North, Range 6 East and the E/2 of the SE/4 of Section 13, Township 3 North, Range 5 East, to drill the Burnham 18-13 No. 3 Well at an exception surface location for geological reasons 673' FWL and 1,059' FSL of Section 18, to a depth of 11,500' or a depth sufficient to test the Rodessa Formation and all zones encountered below said formation, with a full allowable. Alternatively, Petitioner requests the Board to integrate all interests in said unit without alternate risk charges.

461-2023-D <u>LAZY CREEK FIELD - Pike County.</u>

Petition of Denbury Onshore, LLC, requesting authority to plug and abandon the West Lazy Creek Unit 17-5 Enhanced Oil Recovery Well, located in Section 17, Township 4 North, Range 8 East, as an exception to Statewide Rule 63.

462-2023-D WEST STAMPS AND STAMPS FIELD - Wilkinson County.

Petition of Wilcox Energy Company requesting the Board to temporarily suspend the filing requirements for inactive petitions and mechanical integrity testing of wells in said fields because of inaccessibility due to the Buffalo River Bridge collapse as exceptions to Statewide Rules 28 and 63 and such approval will terminate upon reconstruction of the bridge.

463-2023-D PINEY CREEK FIELD - Wilkinson County.

On the Board's own motion, Show Cause Order 650-2023 was issued to Natchez Operating, LLC, as to why it should not be penalized for violation of Statewide Rule 6, Well Signage, for failure to maintain an accurate well sign, Statewide Rule 16, Fire Hazards, for failure to maintain overgrowth, and Statewide Rule 45, Pollution of Air, Fresh Waters and Soils, for a leak at the wellhead for the Crosby 2-12 No. 1 Well, located in Section 2, Township 3 North, Range 1 West.

464-2023-D LANEHEART FIELD - Wilkinson County.

On the Board's own motion, Show Cause Order 651-2023 was issued to Pledger Operating Co., Inc., as to why it should not be penalized for violation of State Statute 53-1-33, Access to Well, for failure to maintain roads, and Statewide Rule 28, Plugging and Abandonment, for failure to plug and abandon the Prater Unit No. 1 Well, located in Section 47, Township 3 North, Range 2 West.

465-2023-D <u>OLDENBURG FIELD - Franklin County.</u>

On the Board's own motion, Show Cause Order 652-2023 was issued to Energy Resources Corp., as to why it should not be penalized for violation of Statewide Rule 16, Fire Hazards, for failure to maintain overgrowth, and Statewide Rule 6, Well Signage, for failure to maintain an accurate well sign for the Loflin No. 1 Well, located in Section 28, Township 7 North, Range 2 East.

Applications on all the above dockets may be examined in the office of the State Oil and Gas Board. Any person may appear before the Board and be heard.

Jess New

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This docket can be viewed on our Internet Home Page at

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