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VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD

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VIRGINIA:

BEFORE THE VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD

SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER REGARDING

DOCKET NO. VGOB 07/07/17-1972

ELECTIONS, UNIT: VC-537688

(hereinafter "Subject Drilling Unit").

REPORT OF BOARD

FINDINGS AND ORDER

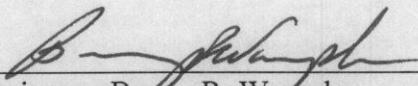
TAX MAP IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS:
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FOR ALL PARCELS AFFECTED BY THIS
ORDER ARE SHOWN ON EXHIBIT B
WHICH IS/ARE ATTACHED TO AND A
PART OF THIS ORDER.

1. This Supplemental Order is entered by the Board sua sponte in the form authorized by the Board at its hearing held at 9:00 a.m. on October 20, 1992, Board of Supervisors Room, Courthouse, Grundy, Virginia, and pursuant to authority granted to the Board's Chairman at the hearing of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board on June 16, 1992, at 9:00 a.m. at the Rhododendron Restaurant at the Breaks Interstate Park, Breaks, Virginia; and this Supplemental Order is being recorded for the purpose of (1) complying with the requirement of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board Regulations, 4 VAC 25-160.70C by supplementing the Order previously issued by the Board for subject Docket on August 21, 2007 and recorded in Book with Instrument #200703558 in the Office of the Clerk of Circuit Court, Wise County, Virginia on August 22, 2007, (herein "Board Order") to complete the record regarding elections. The Board Order pooled all interest in Subject Drilling Unit including those of the Respondents more particularly set forth and identified by the Designated Operator in the affidavits attached hereto and made a part hereof. The Board finds it has jurisdiction over the subject matter pursuant to the provisions of the Virginia Gas and Oil Act, § 45.1-361.1 et seq., Virginia Code, 1950 as amended.
2. Findings: The Board finds that:
 - (a) The Board Order directed Equitable Production Company, (herein the Designated Operator"), to mail copies of the Board Order to all respondents whose interest, if any, were pooled by said Board Order;
 - (b) The designated operator filed its affidavit of mailing dated September 5, 2007, disclosing that it had mailed a correct copy of the Board's Order to all Respondents whose interest, if any, were pooled by said Board Order;
 - (c) The Board Order required each Respondent whose interest, if any, were pooled by the terms of said Board Order to make his or her election within thirty (30) days after the date of mailing or recording, as applicable, of said Order; the

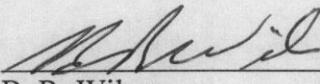
Designated Operator has filed its affidavit dated March 3, 2008, in accordance with § 7.C of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board Regulations and 4 VAC 25-160.70C (herein "Affidavit of Election"), wherein it has, for each Respondent whose interest, if any, were pooled by said Board Order, stated: (i) whether each Respondent has made or failed to make a timely election; (ii) the nature of the election made, if any; (iii) whether, by reason of a failure to elect or to timely elect one or more Respondents are deemed, under the terms of the Board's Order, to have leased all their rights, title, interest, estates and claims in Subject Drilling Unit to the Designated Operator;

- (d) The Board Order further required the Designated Operator, after expiration of the election period, to file with the Board a statement of the interests subject to escrow under the terms and provisions of the Board Order, in light of the elections made or deemed to have been made (herein "Statement of Interests"); that the Designated Operator furnished said Statement of Interests as part of its Affidavit of Election. A copy of which is attached hereto as Exhibit B;
 - (e) Current Board standards requiring the escrow of funds and the Board's agreement with its Escrow Agent, Wachovia Bank, N. A., VA7515, P.O. Box 14061, Roanoke, VA 24038, (540) 563-7764, Attn: Judy Barger, or any successor named by the Board, require the entry of a Supplemental Order establishing of record the elections made or deemed to have been made and specifying the sums or percentage thereof subject to escrow. Current Board escrow standards were made applicable to Subject Drilling Unit by a Board Order dated December 23, 1992.
3. Order: By this Order, the Board orders the Designated Operator to tender, consistent with and in accordance with the findings set forth at paragraph 2 above and the annexed Affidavits, any funds subject to escrow and instructs the Escrow Agent, Wachovia Bank N. A., VA7515, P.O. Box 14061, Roanoke, VA 24038, (540) 563-7764, Attn: Judy Barger, or any successor named by the Board to establish interest-bearing escrow account(s), IRS Tax Identification Number 54-1629506, in accordance with the information set forth in said affidavits to receive such funds and account to the Board therefore.
 4. Mailing of Order and Filing of Affidavit: The Designated Operator under the captioned Order or its Attorney shall file an affidavit with the Secretary of the Board within ten (10) days after the date of receipt of this Order stating that a true and correct copy of this Order was mailed to each person whose interest or claim is subject to escrow and whose address is known.
 5. Conclusion: Therefore, the findings and all terms and provisions set forth above be and hereby are granted and IT IS SO ORDERED.
 6. Effective Date: This Order shall be effective on the date of its execution.

DONE AND EXECUTED this 20th day of March, 2008 by a majority of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board.

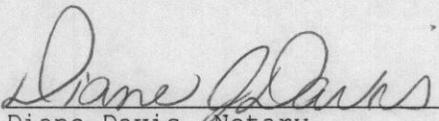

Chairman, Benny R. Wampler

DONE AND PERFORMED THIS 20th day of March, 2008 by Order of this Board.


B. R. Wilson
Principal Executive to the Staff
Virginia Gas and Oil Board

STATE OF VIRGINIA)
COUNTY OF WASHINGTON)

Acknowledged on this 20th day of March, 2008, personally before me a notary public in and for the Commonwealth of Virginia, appeared Benny Wampler, being duly sworn did depose and say that he is Chairman of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board, and B. R. Wilson, being duly sworn did depose and say that he is Principal Executive to the Staff of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board, that they executed the same and was authorized to do so.


Diane Davis, Notary
174394

My commission expires: September 30, 2009

VIRGINIA:***BEFORE THE VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD***

IN RE: Application of Equitable Production Company, for Forced Pooling of Interests in Unit Number VC-537688 VGOB Docket No. VGOB-07/07/17-1972 in the Lipps Magisterial District of Wise County, Virginia.

AFFIDAVIT OF WILHOIT & KAISER, Attorneys-at-Law, Agents for the Designated Operator REGARDING ELECTIONS, ESCROW ACCOUNTS AND SUPPLEMENTAL ORDER

James E. Kaiser (herein Affiant), being first duly sworn on oath, deposes and says:

1. That the Affiant is an attorney in the law firm of WILHOIT & KAISER, the Agent for the Designated Operator, with offices located at 220 Broad Street, Kingsport, Tennessee 37660, and is authorized to give this Affidavit in its behalf;
2. That the Order entered on August 21, 2007, by the Virginia Gas and Oil Board regarding the captioned coalbed methane Unit required the Applicant to mail a true and correct copy of said Order to each person pooled by said Order;
3. That within seven (7) days of the receipt of an executed copy of the Order referred to at Paragraph 2. above, the Affiant was directed to cause a true and correct copy of said Order to be mailed via the United States Postal Service to each Respondent named in the captioned Application, whose address was known, and to all persons, if any, who are added as Respondents at the hearing held in the captioned matter;
4. That the Order of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board in the captioned matter required all persons pooled thereby to tender their written elections to the Unit Operator within thirty (30) days of the date said Order was recorded in the county above named; that said Order was recorded on August 22, 2007.
5. That the Designated Operator, by and through their agent, Wilhoit & Kaiser, Attorneys-at-Law, have established procedures to review all mail received and all written documents received by means other than by mail to ascertain whether parties whose interest have been pooled have made a written election, in a timely fashion, as required by the captioned Order; that said procedures were followed to identify the elections, if any, made with regard to Subject Unit; that the following persons delivered, by mail or otherwise, written elections to the Unit Operator, within the thirty day election periods:

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Name</u>	<u>Elected</u>
4	D & J FUELS, L.L.C. P.O. Box 4026 Wise, VA 24293-4026	Participate

6. That the interest and/or claims of the following persons (who made timely elections, or who are deemed under the terms of the Board's Order to have leased, or who, subsequent to the pooling hearing held in the captioned matter, have leased or otherwise entered into an agreement with the Designated Operator) are subject to escrow as either unknown claimants or conflicting claimants under the Board's Order pooling the captioned Unit, Board Regulations and the Code of Virginia; that opposite the name of each person named as a Respondent listed below is set forth:

NONE

7. That after the pooling hearing held in the captioned matter, the following persons have leased or entered into a voluntary agreement with the Designated Operator with regard to their interest and/or claims.

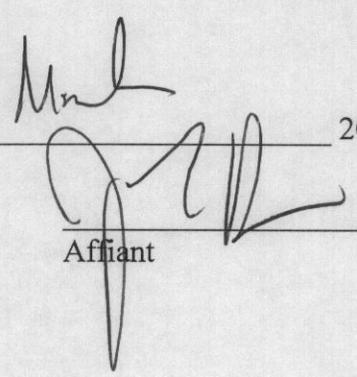
NONE

8. That the following persons have not made a timely election and have failed to enter into an agreement with the Designated Operator and their respective interests shall be deemed to have leased pursuant to and in accordance with paragraph 10 of the Order.

<u>Tract</u>	<u>Lessor</u>	<u>Cash Consideration</u>
2	John Ring Trucking PO Box 755 Coeburn, VA 24230	0.3200 x \$5.00 = \$1.60

That pursuant to the provision of 4VAC 25-160.70C annexed hereto and incorporated herein is a proposed supplemental order to be entered to complete the record regarding elections; that said annexed supplemental order sets forth that the services of the Escrow Agent are not required in this matter pursuant to the terms of §§ 45.1-361.21.D.

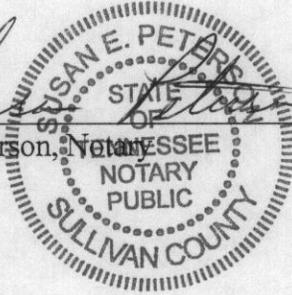
Dated at Kingsport, Tennessee, this 3rd day of March 2008.



Affiant

Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me by James E. Kaiser, the Agent of Equitable Production Company, a corporation, on behalf of the corporation, this 3rd day of March 2008.



Susan Peterson, Notary


My commission expires: November 12, 2008.

EXHIBIT "B"
VC-537688
VGOB 07/07/17-1972

<u>TRACT</u>	<u>LESSOR</u>	<u>LEASE STATUS</u>	<u>INTEREST WITHIN UNIT</u>	<u>GROSS ACREAGE IN UNIT</u>	<u>NET REVENUE INTEREST</u>
<u>Gas Estate Only</u>					
1 TAX ID 003613	Pine Mountain Oil & Gas, Inc. Attn: Jerry Grantham P.O. Box 2136, Abingdon, VA 24212	Leased 241490 T-890	97.070000%	57.0500	0.12133750
Equitable Production					0.84936250
Tract 1 Totals			97.070000%	57.0500	0.97070000
2 TAX ID 007513	John Ring Trucking PO Box 755 Coeburn, VA 24230	Unleased	0.550000%	0.3200	0.00068750
Equitable Production					0.00481250
Tract 2 Totals			0.550000%	0.3200	0.00550000
3 TAX ID 008523	Douglas E. Deel & Misty Deel, h/w 11982 Tazewell Road Coeburn, VA 24230	Leased 907113	1.050000%	0.6200	0.00131250
Equitable Production					0.00918750
Tract 3 Totals			1.050000%	0.6200	0.01050000
4 TAX ID 032136	D & J FUELS, L.L.C. P.O. Box 4026 Wise, VA 24293-4026	Unleased Participation	1.330000%	0.7800	0.01330000
Tract 4 Totals			1.330000%	0.7800	0.01330000
TOTAL GAS ESTATE			100.000000%	58.7700	100.000000%
<u>Coal Estate Only</u>					
1 TAX ID 003613	Pine Mountain Oil & Gas, Inc. Attn: Jerry Grantham	Leased 241490	97.070000%	57.0500	0.12133750

P.O. Box 2136,
Abingdon, VA 24212

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Equitable Production				0.84936250
Tract 1 Totals			97.070000%	57.0500
				0.97070000
2	John Ring Trucking	Unleased	0.550000%	0.3200
TAX ID 007513	PO Box 755			0.00068750
	Coeburn, VA 24230			
Equitable Production				0.00481250
Tract 2 Totals			0.550000%	0.3200
				0.00550000
3	Douglas E. Deel &	Leased	1.050000%	0.6200
TAX ID 008523	Misty Deel, h/w	907113		0.00131250
	11982 Tazewell Road			
	Coeburn, VA 24230			
Equitable Production				0.00918750
Tract 3 Totals			1.050000%	0.6200
				0.01050000
4	D & J FUELS, L.L.C.	Unleased	1.330000%	0.7800
TAX ID 032136	P.O. Box 4026			0.01330000
	Wise, VA 24293-4026			
Equitable Production				0.00918750
Tract 4 Totals			1.330000%	0.7800
				0.01330000
TOTAL COAL ESTATE			100.000000%	58.7700
				100.000000%

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First and Second Grantees

Last Name	First Name	Middle Name or Initial	Suffix
[D&J Fuels]	[]	[]	[LLC]
[John Ring Trucking]	[]	[]	[]

Grantee Address (Name) [Equitable Production Company]
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 (Address 2) []
 (City, State, Zip) [Pittsburgh] [PA] [15222]
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