RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS HEARINGS DIVISION

RULE 37 CASE NO. 0258401 Status No. 666781 District 2

THE APPLICATION OF HOUSTON GULF ENERGY CORPORATION FOR AN EXCEPTION TO STATEWIDE RULE 37 FOR THE BOEHL LEASE, WELL NO. 2, POWDER RIVER (CONSOLIDATED) FIELD, GOLIAD COUNTY, TEXAS.

FINAL ORDER

The Commission finds that, after statutory notice in the above-numbered docket, heard on June 1, 2015, the examiners have made and filed a report and proposal for decision containing findings of fact and conclusions of law, which was served on all parties of record, and that this proceeding was duly submitted to the Railroad Commission of Texas at conference held in its offices in Austin, Texas.

The Commission, after review and due consideration of the proposal for decision and the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, and any exceptions and replies thereto, hereby adopts as its own the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, and incorporates said findings of fact and conclusions of law as if fully set out and separately stated herein.

Therefore, it is **ORDERED** by the Railroad Commission of Texas that the application of Houston Gulf Energy Corporation for an exception permit under the provisions of Statewide Rule 37 for the Boehl Lease, Well No. 2, Powder River (Consolidated) Field, Goliad County, Texas is hereby **DENIED**.

Each exception to the examiners' proposal for decision not expressly granted herein is overruled. All requested findings of fact and conclusions of law which are not expressly adopted herein are denied. All pending motions and requests for relief not previously granted or granted herein are denied.

It is further **ORDERED** by the Commission that this order shall not be final and effective until 25 days after the Commission's Order is signed, unless the time for filing a motion for rehearing has been extended under Tex. Gov't Code §2001.142, by agreement under Tex. Gov't Code §2001.147, or by written Commission Order issued pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code §2001.146(e). If a timely motion for rehearing of an application is filed by any party at interest, this order shall not become final and effective until such motion is overruled, or if such motion is granted, this order shall be subject to further action by the Commission. Pursuant to Tex. Gov't Code §2001.146(e), the time allotted for Commission action on a motion for rehearing in this case prior to its being overruled by operation of law is hereby extended until 90 days from the date the Commission Order is signed.

Done this 24th day of January, 2017.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS

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