

BEFORE THE VIRGINIA GAS AND OIL BOARD

APPLICANT: Range Resources-PMI

**DIVISION OF GAS AND OIL
DOCKET NO. VGOB 89-0126-0009-80**

**RELIEF SOUGHT: MODIFICATION OF NORA COALBED GAS UNIT NOS:
70AC, 70AB, 69AC, 66AD, 72AC, 77W, 75X, 78W, 74X, 76W, 75W, 72AB, AND 77Y.**

AFFECTED UNIT: (See Attached Exhibit A)

APPLICATION

1. Applicant and its counsel: Applicant is **Range Resources-Pine Mountain Inc.** P. O. Box 2136 Abingdon, VA 24212. Applicant's Counsel is James E. Kaiser 220 Broad Street, Suite 301, Kingsport, TN 37660 (423) 578-3838.

2. Relief sought: (1) Modification of the Nora Coalbed Methane Gas Field Rules, to allow one additional coalbed gas well to be drilled within each of the 58.77 acre Nora Units identified above. (2) For an administrative order providing that additional well permits may be issued in the Nora Field after this application is filed and while it is pending.

3. Legal authority: 4 VAC 25-160-50 and § 45.1-361.20 of the Code of Virginia.

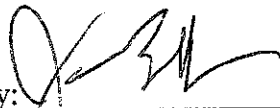
4. Proposed provisions of order sought: That one additional coalbed methane gas well may be drilled in each of the above referenced Nora Units; that the second well be located at least 600 feet from the nearest coalbed methane well; (and that production/royalties from each coalbed methane well drilled in the said Units shall continue to be allocated solely to the owners and claimants of and to the coalbed methane within the Unit in which the well is located.)

5. Type of wells and field: Coalbed methane frac well within the portion of the Nora Coalbed Gas Field described above, and as depicted in the attached Exhibit A.

6. Formations subject to application: All coal beds and coal seams being all producible coal seams and other associated formations, name and unnamed coal seams from the Kennedy to the base of the Pennsylvanian coal seams in the Nora Coalbed Gas Field.

7. **Description of interest/claim of persons being notified:** Coalbed methane.
8. **Estimated ultimate recovery in each Nora Unit identified above:** 350 MMCF
9. **Plat:** See Exhibit A annexed hereto.
10. **The boundaries and acreage affected:** see Exhibit A annexed hereto.
11. **Attestation:** The foregoing application to the best of my knowledge, information and belief is true and correct.

Range Resources-Pine Mountain Inc.

By: 
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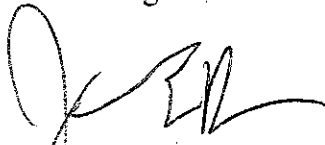
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**COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
COUNTY OF RUSSELL**

I, James E. Kaiser, after being duly sworn upon oath, state as follows:

1. I am responsible for the notification process required by VA. Code Ann. § 45.1-361.19 and VR 480-05-22.2 § 4.
2. That Range Resources-Pine Mountain Inc. has exercised due diligence in attempting to locate and notice all owners and claimants who are unleased and/or who were not previously pooled by prior order(s) of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board regarding **the Nora Coalbed Gas Field**, all as required by Va. Code Ann. § 45.1-361.19 and VR 480-05-22.2.
3. That on **March 15, 2013**, a true and correct copy of the Notice of Hearing with Exhibits will be mailed, via certified mail return receipt requested, to all owners and claimants listed in Exhibit B for whom mailing addresses were then available.
4. That Range Resources-Pine Mountain Inc. will continue to exercise due diligence in attempting to locate and identify the names and/or addresses of any unknown unlocatable parties and, if located or identified, will notify them of Range Resources-Pine Mountain Inc.'s application.

I have read the foregoing, and the information given above is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.



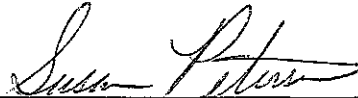
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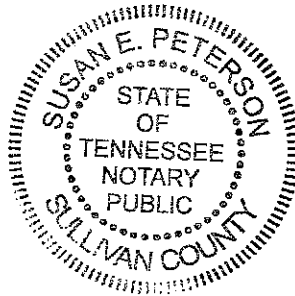
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TAKEN, SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 15th day of
March, 2012.



Susan Peterson, Notary

My commission expires: August 24, 2016.



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NOTICE OF HEARING

HEARING DATE: April 16, 2013

**PLACE: Conference Center at the Russell County Office Facility
Lebanon, Virginia**

TIME: 9:00 a.m.

COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA:

To: See Exhibit "B" attached hereto:

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NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that this cause has been set for hearing and the taking of evidence at the time and place first stated above and that notice will be published as required by law and the Rules of the Virginia Gas and Oil Board.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that you may attend this hearing, with or without an attorney, and offer evidence or state any comments you have. For further information or a copy of the application and any exhibits thereto, you may contact the Virginia Gas and Oil Board, State Oil and Gas Inspector, Department of Mines, Minerals and Energy, Division of Gas and Oil, P.O. Box 159, Lebanon, Virginia 24266, (276) 514-9650 or the Applicant at the address shown below.

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Exhibit "B"

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