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Honorable Richard P. Ieyoub Commissioner of Conservation Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

Re:

Tuscaloosa Marine Shale, Reservoir A Richland Plantation Field East Feliciana Parish, Louisiana Docket No. 18-587

Hearing Date: November 15, 2018

NOTICE OF OPPOSITION AND ALTERNATIVE COUNTERPLAN ON BEHALF OF EOG RESOURCES, INC.

Dear Sir:

Notice is hereby given that EOG Resources, Inc. ("EOG") will participate in the public hearing to be held upon the application of Richland Farms, Inc. (the "Applicant") which is set for public hearing on November 15, 2018, under Docket No. 18-587. EOG will present evidence (a) in opposition to the unit proposed by the Applicant and in support of the position that no unit is necessary or required under present circumstances, and (b) in the alternative, and only in the event it is determined by the Office of Conservation that a unit should be formed, in support of the proposed unit shown on the plat attached hereto.

EOG asserts that there is neither a factual or legal basis to establish the unit proposed by the Applicant. The existing Tuscaloosa Marine Shale Zone, Reservoir A, well which is located within the unit proposed by the Applicant is on a large oil and gas lease (the "Richland Farms Lease") comprising more than 4,000 acres. The surface and minerals covered the Richland Farms Lease, upon information and belief, are owned by the Applicant, and the lessee's interest in the lease is owned by EOG. The approximate 800 acre unit proposed by the Applicant includes land covered primarily by the Richland Farms Lease, and a small tract that is covered by a separate lease, the lessee's interest in which is also owned by EOG. EOG is the only "owner" underlying the unit proposed by the Applicant.

Copies of this notice are being furnished to the Commissioner of Conservation, the District Manager of the Lafayette District, and all Interested Owners, Represented Parties and Interested Parties in

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connection with the Application of Richland Farms, Inc. which include the persons who attended the Pre-Application Conference held in connection with this matter.

Yours very truly,

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William Fleming

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Enclosures

District Manager - Lafayette District Office Interested Owners, Represented

Parties and Interested Parties Mr. Louis Gilbert

EOG Resources, Inc.

