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Dwight Dracek
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Capio Project (02)

Dear Mr. Dracek:

RE: GOOD ENGINEERING PRACTICE APPROVAL DOE - PEACE RIVER "A" POOL

The Commission has reviewed your application dated October 30, 2003 requesting Good Engineering Practice (GEP) scheme approval for the undefined Paddy pool in the Doe area.

The Commission designates the pool to be Peace River "A" pool of the Doe field.

The Approval 03-06-043 is hereby granted under Part 8, Division 6, Section 101 of the British Columbia *Drilling and Production Regulation*. The approval will allow the drilling of gas wells without regard for spacing and target regulations in order to optimize pool drainage and recovery. No objections were received following publication of a notice of your application in two issues of the BC Gazette.

It is noted that the GEP approval area includes Drilling License 53475. Please note that Petroleum and Natural Gas Lease selection must be made prior to production.

Should you have any questions, please contact Peter Attariwala at (250) 952-0311 or Ron Stefik at 952-0310.

Sincerely, Approval Letters to Industry GEP, SWD, CONCURRENT PROD, PRESSURE MAINTENANCE, WATERFLOOD, ETC. Wellfile (originals) 59240 Craig Gibson, P. Eng. Daily Resource Revenue Director S. Chicorelli Resource Conservation Branch R. Stefik G. Farr Attachment P. Attariwala C. Gibson RESOURCE CONSERVATIO D. Krezanoski PO Box 9329 Stn Prov Gov't, Victoria BC V8W 9N3) Te

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APPROVAL 03-06-043

THE PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS ACT DRILLING AND PRODUCTION REGULATION OIL AND GAS COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER of a Good Engineering Practice (GEP) scheme of Capio Petroleum Corporation (Capio) for producing Doe – Peace River "A" pool gas wells without spacing and target restrictions.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Oil and Gas Commission (Commission), pursuant to Part 8, Division 6, Section 101 of the *Drilling and Production Regulation*, hereby approves the GEP scheme of Capio for drilling wells without spacing and target restrictions, as such scheme is described in

an Application from Capio to the Commission dated October 30, 2003.

This scheme is approved, subject to the conditions herein contained and, in particular:

1. The area of the project shall consist of;

Section 31-79-15 W6M
Sections 35 and 36-79-16 W6M
Section 7-80-14 W6M
Sections 4 to 14-80-15 W6M
Section 1-80-16 W6M

- 2. The requirements of Section 10 of the *Drilling and Production Regulation* are hereby waived, provided that gas wells within the project area are not completed nearer than 250 m to the sides of the approved project area.
- 3. The gas wells within the project area may be produced without individual well allowable restrictions.
- 4. This approval may be modified or rescinded at a later date if deemed appropriate.

Commissioner

Oil and Gas Commission

DATED AT the City of Fort St John, in the Province of British Columbia, this / day of December 2003.