

**RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS
OFFICE OF GENERAL COUNSEL**

**OIL AND GAS DOCKET
NO. 05-0251007**

**IN THE LOPER (BOSSIER), LOPER
(COTTON VALLEY LIME) AND STEWARDS
MILL (CV CONSOLIDATED) FIELDS,
FREESTONE COUNTY**

**FINAL ORDER
APPROVING THE APPLICATION OF CHESAPEAKE OPERATING, INC.
FOR RULE 10 EXCEPTIONS ON THE BONNER LEASE
IN THE LOPER (BOSSIER), LOPER (COTTON VALLEY LIME)
AND STEWARDS MILL (CV CONSOLIDATED) FIELDS
FREESTONE COUNTY**

The Commission finds that after statutory notice in the above-numbered docket heard on April 23, 2007, the presiding examiner has made and filed a report and recommendation containing findings of fact and conclusions of law, for which service was not required; that the proposed application is in compliance with all statutory requirements; 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 examiner's report and recommendation, the findings of fact and conclusions of law contained therein, 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 Chesapeake Operating, Inc. for exceptions to Statewide Rule 10 for all wells on the Bonner lease in the Loper (Bossier), Loper (Cotton Valley Lime) and Stewards Mill (CV Consolidated) Fields, Freestone County, Texas, are hereby approved. For wells which are commingled in the subject fields after the effective date of this order, commingled production shall be assigned to the Loper (Cotton Valley Lime) Field for proration purposes. Wells on the lease which have existing commingling authority for the subject fields will remain assigned to the field in which they are currently assigned.

Further, acreage assigned to wells on these leases for allocation of allowable shall not be assigned to any other well or wells projected to or completed in the Loper (Bossier), Loper (Cotton Valley Lime) and Stewards Mill (CV Consolidated) Fields; such duplicate assignment of acreage is not acceptable, provided however, that this limitation shall not prevent the reformation of development or proration units so long as no duplicate assignment of acreage occurs, and further, that such reformation does not violate other conservation regulations.

The operator of any well downhole commingled in the subject fields shall file the appropriate completion forms and/or other forms as required by the Commission and shall file at the same time the appropriate Commission required administrative Rule 10 exception downhole commingling fee.

These Rule 10 exceptions apply to all current and future wells on the Bonner lease in the subject fields.

Done this 17th day of July, 2007.

RAILROAD COMMISSION OF TEXAS

**(Order approved and signatures affixed by
OGC Unprotested Master Order dated July 17,
2007)**