LEGAL NOTICE STATE OF OHIO DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES NOTICE OF INTENTION TO AMEND/RESCIND OIL AND GAS RULES AND TO HOLD A PUBLIC HEARING ON OIL AND GAS RULES

The Chief for the Division of Mineral Resources Management, pursuant to section 1513.02 and Chapter 119. of the Revised Code, hereby gives notice of his intention to amend and/or rescind the following rules:

1501:9-1-01 1501:9-1-02 1501:9-1-04 1501:9-1-07 1501:9-9-01 1501:9-9-03 1501:9-9-06

These proposed rule revisions and/or rescissions deals with:

General Provisions
Permits
Spacing of wells
Prevention of contamination and pollution
Definitions
Drilling and deepening operations
Producing operations

A public hearing on the proposed rule revisions will be held at 9:30 a.m. on Wednesday, June 8, 2005; at the Ohio Department of Natural Resources; Division of Mineral Resources Management; 2045 Morse Road, Building H-2 Conference Room; Columbus, Ohio 43229. At the public hearing, any person affected by the proposed rule revisions may appear and be heard in person, or by their attorney, or both, and may present testimony, orally or in writing, offer and examine witnesses, and present evidence tending to show that the proposed revisions or rescissions, if adopted, will be unreasonable or unlawful. Copies of the proposed rule revisions and/or rescissions are available through the Ohio Department of Natural Resources, Division of Mineral Resources Management, 2045 Morse Road, Building H-2; Columbus, Ohio 43229. If you have any questions, please call the Division of Mineral Resources Management at (614) 265-6633.

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