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ROCKYVIEW ENERGY INC. APPLICATION FOR A WELL LICENCE BITTERN LAKE FIELD

Decision 2007-025 Application No. 1464138

1 DECISION

The Alberta Energy and Utilities Board (EUB/Board) has accepted Rockyview Energy Inc.'s (Rockyview's) request to withdraw Application No. 1464138 and has therefore cancelled the scheduled public hearing.

2 INTRODUCTION

2.1 Application

Rockyview applied to the EUB, pursuant to Section 2.020 of the *Oil and Gas Conservation Regulations*, for a licence to drill a vertical well from a surface location at Legal Subdivision 7 of Section 22, Township 47, Range 21, West of the 4th Meridian. The maximum hydrogen sulphide concentration in the gas to be produced from the well was anticipated to be 0.00 moles per kilomole (0.00 per cent). The purpose of the well would be to obtain gas production from the Belly River Group. The proposed well would be located about 10 kilometres northwest of Camrose.

2.2 Interventions

Weyga Farming Ltd. is the owner of the southeast quarter of Section 22-47-21W4M, where the well was proposed to be located. Richard Bell and Cindy Bell (the Bells) are adjacent landowners, who reside about 460 metres southeast of the proposed well. These parties filed interventions in opposition to approval of the subject application. Weyga Farming Ltd. and the Bells expressed concerns related to water well testing, ground water protection, location of the well site and access road, general lack of information, surface casing, emissions, and air quality.

2.3 Hearing

The Board was scheduled to hold a public hearing in Camrose, Alberta, on April 24, 2007, before Board Member G. J. Miller (Presiding Member) and Acting Board Members R. J. Willard, P.Eng., and C. D. Hill.

3 DISCUSSION

On March 5, 2007, Rockyview notified the EUB that it was withdrawing Application No. 1464138, pursuant to Section 20 of the *Alberta Energy and Utilities Board Rules of Practice*. The Board has accepted the withdrawal of the application and cancelled the public hearing.

Dated in Calgary, Alberta, on April 3, 2007.

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