

Application for Experimental Scheme

TAKE NOTICE that Penn West Energy Trust (Penn West), P.O. Box 1450, Station "M", Calgary, Alberta T2P 2L6 has applied for approval of an Experimental Scheme to test shale gas potential from the Devonian sequence in the Helmet field of N.E. British Columbia.

The area requested in the Experimental Scheme application is as follows:

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94-P-10 Block B – units 92-95
Block G – units 2-5, 12-15, 22-25, 32-35, 42-45, 52-55, 62-65, 74, 75, 84, 85.
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If no valid objection in writing is received by the undersigned by September 3, 2008 the application may be approved subject to such conditions as may be prescribed.

Copies of the application may be obtained from the applicant. Any objection should be sent in writing to both the undersigned and the applicant.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia this 13th day of August 2008.

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Oil and Gas Commission

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