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**IN THE UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
HOUSTON DIVISION**

<b>IN RE:</b>  <b>RAAM GLOBAL ENERGY COMPANY,</b> <i>et al.</i>   <b>DEBTORS.</b>	§ § § § § § §	<b>CASE NO. 15-35615</b>  <b>(Chapter 11)</b>  <b>JOINTLY ADMINISTERED</b>
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**ORDER GRANTING COMPLEX  
CHAPTER 11 BANKRUPTCY CASE TREATMENT**

The above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the “Debtors”)<sup>1</sup> filed these bankruptcy cases (the “Cases”) on October 26, 2015. A *Notice of Designation as Complex Chapter 11 Cases* was filed. After review of the initial pleadings filed in the Cases, the Court concludes that the Cases appear to be complex chapter 11 cases. Accordingly, unless the Court orders otherwise,

**IT IS HEREBY ORDERED:**

1. Service List. The Debtors shall maintain a consolidated master service list (the “Master Service List”) identifying the parties that must be served whenever a motion or other pleading requires notice. Unless otherwise required by the Bankruptcy Code or the Bankruptcy Rules, notices of motions and other matters will be limited to the parties on the Master Service List.

- a. The Master Service List shall initially include: (a) the Debtors; (b) the attorneys for the Debtors; (c) counsel for any unsecured creditors committee; (d) the Office of the United States Trustee for the Southern District of Texas (the “UST”); (e) all of the Debtors’ secured creditors; (f) the Debtors’ 50 largest unsecured creditors (on a consolidated basis); (g) any indenture trustee; (h) those persons who have formally appeared in the Cases and requested service pursuant to Bankruptcy

<sup>1</sup> The Debtors are RAAM Global Energy Company [2973], Century Exploration New Orleans, LLC [4948], Century Exploration Houston, LLC [9624], and Century Exploration Resources, LLC [7252].

Rule 2002; and (i) all applicable government agencies to the extent required by the Bankruptcy Rules and the Bankruptcy Local Rules for the Southern District of Texas.

- b. Any party in interest that wishes to receive notice, other than as listed on the Master Service List, shall be added to the Master Service List by filing with the Court, and serving the Debtors and the Debtors' counsel with a notice of appearance and request for service.
- c. Parties on the Master Service List who have not otherwise consented to service by e-mail through the act of becoming a registered e-filer in this District are encouraged to provide an e-mail address for service of process and to authorize service by e-mail. Consent to e-mail service may be included in the party's notice of appearance and request for service. In the event a party has not consented to e-mail service, copies of pleadings and documents shall be served by fax or by regular mail.
- d. The initial Master Service List shall be filed within three (3) days after entry of this Order. A revised Master Service List shall be filed seven (7) days after the initial Master Service List is filed. The Debtors shall update the Master Service List, and shall file a copy of the updated Master Service List:
  - i. at least every seven (7) days during the first thirty (30) days of the Cases;
  - ii. at least every fifteen (15) days during the next sixty (60) days of the Cases; and
  - iii. at least every thirty (30) days thereafter throughout the Cases.

2. Hearing Days. Hearing dates will be posted from time-to-time on the Court's website.

3. Setting Hearings. All motions and other matters requiring hearing, but not requiring expedited or emergency hearing, shall be noticed for hearing on the next hearing day that is at least twenty-three (23) days after the notice is mailed. As a preface, just below the case caption, each pleading shall state:

**A HEARING WILL BE CONDUCTED ON THIS MATTER ON \_\_\_\_\_ AT \_\_\_\_:\_\_\_\_.M. IN COURTROOM 404, UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS, 515 RUSK AVENUE, HOUSTON, TX 77002.**

**IF YOU OBJECT TO THE RELIEF REQUESTED, YOU MUST RESPOND IN WRITING, SPECIFICALLY ANSWERING EACH PARAGRAPH OF THIS PLEADING. UNLESS OTHERWISE DIRECTED BY THE COURT, YOU MUST FILE YOUR RESPONSE WITH THE CLERK OF THE BANKRUPTCY COURT WITHIN TWENTY-THREE (23) DAYS FROM THE DATE YOU WERE SERVED WITH THIS PLEADING. YOU MUST SERVE A COPY OF YOUR RESPONSE ON THE PERSON WHO SENT YOU THE NOTICE; OTHERWISE, THE COURT MAY TREAT THE PLEADING AS UNOPPOSED AND GRANT THE RELIEF REQUESTED.**

4. Setting Hearings for Expedited or Emergency Relief. All motions and other matters requiring expedited or emergency hearing shall comply with the usual Court requirements for explanation and verification of the need for emergency or expedited hearing. Specifically, if a party in interest has a situation that it believes requires consideration on less than twenty-three (23) days' notice, or an emergency that it believes requires consideration on less than five (5) business days' notice, then the motion's title shall contain the word "Emergency." Further, in addition to the notice required by Bankruptcy Local Rule 9013-1(b), the movant must include the following paragraph:

**EMERGENCY RELIEF HAS BEEN REQUESTED. IF THE COURT CONSIDERS THE MOTION ON AN EMERGENCY BASIS, THEN YOU WILL HAVE LESS THAN TWENTY-ONE DAYS TO ANSWER. IF YOU OBJECT TO THE REQUESTED RELIEF, OR IF YOU BELIEVE THAT THE EMERGENCY CONSIDERATION IS NOT WARRANTED, YOU SHOULD FILE AN IMMEDIATE RESPONSE.**

5. The Court will make its best effort to rule on the motion for expedited or emergency hearing within twenty-four (24) hours of the time it is presented. If the Court grants the motion for expedited or emergency hearing, the underlying motion will be set by the

courtroom deputy at the next available pre-set hearing day or at some other appropriate shortened date approved by the Court. The party requesting the hearing shall be responsible for providing proper notice in accordance with this Order, the Bankruptcy Code, and the Bankruptcy Rules.

6. Emergency and expedited hearings (and other hearings in limited circumstances) in the Cases may be conducted by telephone or, where available, video. Parties may participate by telephone by following the procedures on the Court's website. Evidence may not be telephonically presented. Witnesses may not be telephonically examined or cross-examined.

7. Settlement. If a matter is properly noticed for hearing and the parties reach a settlement of the dispute prior to the final hearing, the parties may announce the settlement at the scheduled hearing. If the Court determines that the notice of the dispute and the hearing is adequate notice of the effects of the settlement, (*i.e.*, that the terms of the settlement are not materially different from what parties in interest could have expected if the dispute were fully litigated) the Court may approve the settlement at the hearing without further notice of the terms of the settlement.

8. Notice and Objections to this Order. The Debtors shall give notice of this Order to all parties in interest within seven (7) days of its entry. If any party in interest, at any time, objects to the provisions of this Order, that party shall file a motion articulating the objection and the relief requested. The motion shall comply with the provisions of this Order. After hearing the objection and any responses the Court may reconsider any part of this Order and may grant relief, if appropriate.

SIGNED OCTOBER 28, 2015.

  
UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY JUDGE