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

| IN RE:                                | §                             |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| RAAM GLOBAL ENERGY COMPANY,           | § (Chapter 11)                |
| DEBTOR                                | §<br>§<br>§                   |
| IN RE:                                | §<br>§ CASE NO. 15-35617<br>§ |
| CENTURY EXPLORATION NEW ORLEANS, LLC, | § (Chapter 11)<br>§           |
| DEBTOR                                | §<br>§<br>§                   |
| IN RE:                                | §                             |
| CENTURY EXPLORATION HOUSTON, LLC,     | § (Chapter 11)<br>§           |
| DEBTOR                                | §<br>§<br>§                   |
| IN RE:                                | § CASE NO. 15-35616<br>§      |
| CENTURY EXPLORATION RESOURCES, LLC,   | § (Chapter 11)<br>§           |
| DEBTOR                                | §<br>§<br>§                   |

# ORDER GRANTING EMERGENCY MOTION FOR ORDER DIRECTING JOINT ADMINISTRATION OF THE DEBTORS' CHAPTER 11 CASES

On October 27, 2015, the Court considered the Emergency Motion for Order Directing Joint Administration of the Debtors' Chapter 11 Cases [Docket No. 6] (the

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"Motion")<sup>1</sup> filed by the above-captioned debtors and debtors in possession (collectively, the "Debtors"),<sup>2</sup> the Court orders that the above-captioned Cases are jointly administered. Additionally, the following checked items are ordered:

- 1. X One disclosure statement and plan of reorganization may be filed for all of the Cases by any plan proponent.
- 2. X Case Nos. 15-35615, 15-35616, and 15-35617 shall be transferred to Judge Isgur, who has the lowest numbered case.
- 3. X Parties may request joint hearings on matters pending in any of the Cases.
- 4. X Other: see below.

The Court finds upon consideration of the Motion that: (a) joint administration of the Cases is in the best interests of the Debtors, their estates, creditors, and interest holders; and (b) proper and adequate notice of the Motion has been given. Therefore, it is

ORDERED that the Motion is GRANTED to the extent provided herein. It is further ORDERED that the Cases be and hereby are jointly administered by this Court for procedural purposes only in accordance with Bankruptcy Rule 1015(b) under the Case styled In re RAAM Global Energy Company, Case No. 15-35615 (the "Lead Case"). It is further

**ORDERED** that the procedural consolidation shall be for administrative purposes only and shall not be a substantive consolidation of the Debtors' estates. It is further

ORDERED that the Bankruptcy Clerk shall maintain one file for the Cases, except that all schedules of assets and liabilities and statements of financial affairs required by Bankruptcy Rule 1007 shall be captioned and filed in the dockets of each separate Case, as appropriate. It is further

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Capitalized terms not defined herein have the meaning set forth in the Motion.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</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].

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ORDERED that the Bankruptcy Clerk (or a claims agent if separately approved by this Court) shall maintain separate claim registers for each Case and all proofs of claim shall be filed in the Case in which such claims are asserted. It is further

**ORDERED** that the United States Trustee shall conduct joint informal meetings with the Debtors, if required, and a joint first meeting of creditors. It is further

**ORDERED** that the joint caption of the Cases shall read as set forth immediately below:

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|                             | § |                      |
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| IN RE:                      | § | CASE NO. 15-35615    |
|                             | § |                      |
| RAAM GLOBAL ENERGY COMPANY, | § | (Chapter 11)         |
| et al.                      | Š | · -                  |
|                             | § | JOINTLY ADMINISTERED |
| DEBTORS                     | § |                      |

It is further

ORDERED that if pleadings, papers, and documents have been filed in any of the Cases other than the Lead Case prior to the entry of this Order, and those matters have not yet been heard and decided, the party who filed the pleading, paper, or document shall: (a) file that pleading, paper, or document in the Lead Case within three business days of the entry of this Order; (b) set the pleading, paper, or document for hearing before the judge assigned to the Lead Case; and (c) notice the hearing to all appropriate parties. It is further

**ORDERED** that a docket entry shall be made in each of the Cases substantially as follows:

An order has been entered in this case directing the procedural consolidation and joint administration of the chapter 11 cases of RAAM Global Energy Company, Century Exploration New Orleans, LLC, Century Exploration Houston, LLC, and Century

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Exploration Resources, LLC. The Docket in Case No. 15-35615 should be consulted for all matters affecting the case.

Dated: October 27, 2015

UNITED STATES BANKBUPTCY JUDGE

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United States Bankruptcy Court Southern District of Texas

In re: RAAM Global Energy Company Debtor Case No. 15-35615-kkb Chapter 11

#### CERTIFICATE OF NOTICE

District/off: 0541-4 User: than Page 1 of 1 Date Rcvd: Oct 27, 2015 Form ID: pdf001 Total Noticed: 1

Notice by first class mail was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center on Oct 29, 2015.

db +RAAM Global Energy Company, 1537 Bull Lea Road, Suite 200, Lexington, KY 40511-1200

Notice by electronic transmission was sent to the following persons/entities by the Bankruptcy Noticing Center. NONE. TOTAL: 0

\*\*\*\*\* BYPASSED RECIPIENTS (undeliverable, \* duplicate) \*\*\*\*\*

cr ACE American Insurance Company cr Westchester Fire Insurance Company

TOTALS: 2, \* 0, ## 0

Addresses marked '+' were corrected by inserting the ZIP or replacing an incorrect ZIP. USPS regulations require that automation-compatible mail display the correct ZIP.

I, Joseph Speetjens, declare under the penalty of perjury that I have sent the attached document to the above listed entities in the manner shown, and prepared the Certificate of Notice and that it is true and correct to the best of my information and belief.

Meeting of Creditor Notices only (Official Form 9): Pursuant to Fed. R. Bank. P. 2002(a)(1), a notice containing the complete Social Security Number (SSN) of the debtor(s) was furnished to all parties listed. This official court copy contains the redacted SSN as required by the bankruptcy rules and the Judiciary's privacy policies.

Date: Oct 29, 2015 Signature: /s/Joseph Speetjens

#### CM/ECF NOTICE OF ELECTRONIC FILING

The following persons/entities were sent notice through the court's CM/ECF electronic mail (Email) system on October 27, 2015 at the address(es) listed below:

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