

Regular Session, 2010

HOUSE BILL NO. 815

BY REPRESENTATIVE DOVE

MINERALS: Provides for wells in a drilling unit

1 AN ACT

2 To amend and reenact R.S. 30:10(A)(2)(a)(i)(introductory paragraph), relative to drilling
3 units; to provide for the definition of a unit well; and to provide for related matters.

4 Be it enacted by the Legislature of Louisiana:

5 Section 1. R.S. 30:10(A)(2)(a)(i)(introductory paragraph) is hereby amended and
6 reenacted to read as follows:

7 §10. Agreements for drilling units; pooling interests; terms and conditions; expenses

8 A.

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10 (2)

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12 (a)(i) Any owner drilling or intending to drill a unit well, ~~including a~~
13 ~~substitute unit well~~, on any drilling unit heretofore or hereafter created by the
14 commissioner, may, by certified mail, return receipt requested, notify all other
15 owners in the unit of the drilling or the intent to drill and give each owner an
16 opportunity to elect to participate in the risk and expense of such well. For the
17 purposes of this Section, the term "unit well" shall mean any well drilled within a
18 unit established by the commissioner. Such notice shall contain:

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DIGEST

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Abstract: Provides for wells drilled within a drilling unit.

Proposed law defines a "unit well" as any well drilled within a unit established by the commissioner.

(Amends R.S. 30:10(A)(2)(a)(i)(intro. para.))