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Secretary of the Commission Pennsylvania Public Utility Commission P.O. Box 3265 Harrisburg, PA 17105-3265

Re: Docket No. M-2012-2288561

Dear Secretary:

Please accept and file this letter and the attached verified copy of Cambria County Ordinance 1 of 2012, as notice of the election of Cambria County to implement an unconventional gas well fee on each unconventional gas well spud in Cambria County, as authorized in Title 58. This letter is intended to satisfy the notice requirements of Section 2302(a.1) of Act 13 of 2012.

Ordinance 1 of 2012 was properly advertised and adopted by the duly constituted Board of County Commissioners of Cambria County on March 22, 2012.

If any further documents are required in order to comply with the requirements of Act 13 or the Public Utility Commission Tentative Implementation Order at Docket No. M-2012-2288561, please notify me.

Sincerely,

Thomas P. Leiden

Cambria County Solicitor

Enclosures:

Cambria County Ordinance 1 of 2012.

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COUNTY OF CAMBRIA, PENNSYLVANIA

Ordinance number 1 of 2012

AN ORDINANCE IMPOSING AN UNCONVENTIONAL GAS WELL FEE ON EACH UNCONVENTIONAL GAS WELL SPUD IN CAMBRIA COUNTY

BE IT ENACTED:

Section 1. The county of Cambria hereby imposes an unconventional gas well fee on each unconventional gas well spud in this county, as authorized in Title 58.

Section 2. Definitions. The following words and phrases when used in this ordinance shall have the meanings given to them in this section unless the context clearly indicates otherwise:

"Fee." The unconventional gas well fee imposed under section 2302 of Title 58.

"Spud." The actual start of drilling of an unconventional gas well.

"Title 58." Title 58 (Oil and Gas) of the Pennsylvania Consolidated Statutes as amended by Act of February 14, 2012 (P.L. 87, No.13).

"Unconventional gas well." A bore hole drilled or being drilled for the purpose of or to be used for the production of natural gas from an unconventional formation.

Section 3. The unconventional gas well fee shall be applicable, and shall be administered, as provided for in Title 58.

Section 4. This ordinance shall take effect immediately and shall remain in effect until repealed or amended.

Section 5. A copy of this ordinance shall be transmitted to the Public Utility Commission as required by Title 58.

Enacted this 22nd day of March, 2012

Douglas R. Lengenfelder, President Commissioner

Mark T. Wissinger Commissioner

Thomas C. Chernisky, Commissioner

David A. Knepper, Chief Clerk

Certified to be a true and correct copy this

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