



DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE  
Antitrust Division

Notice Pursuant to the National Cooperative Research and  
Production Act of 1993 -- Cooperative Research Group on  
Mechanical Stratigraphy and Natural Deformation in Eagle Ford  
Formation and Equivalent Boquillas Formation, South-Central and  
West Texas (Eagle Ford II)

Notice is hereby given that, on February 16, 2017, pursuant  
to Section 6(a) of the National Cooperative Research and  
Production Act of 1993, 15 U.S.C. 4301 et seq. ("the Act"),  
Southwest Research Institute -- Cooperative Research Group on  
Mechanical Stratigraphy and Natural Deformation in Eagle Ford  
Formation and Equivalent Boquillas Formation, South-Central and  
West Texas ("Eagle Ford II") has filed written notifications  
simultaneously with the Attorney General and the Federal Trade  
Commission disclosing changes in its membership. The  
notifications were filed for the purpose of extending the Act's  
provisions limiting the recovery of antitrust plaintiffs to  
actual damages under specified circumstances. Specifically, E&P  
Energy Company, L.P., Houston, TX, has been added as a party to  
this venture.

No other changes have been made in either the membership or  
planned activity of the group research project. Membership in  
this group research project remains open, and Eagle Ford II  
intends to file additional written notifications disclosing all  
changes in membership.

On July 1, 2015, Eagle Ford II filed its original notification pursuant to Section 6(a) of the Act. The Department of Justice published a notice in the Federal Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on July 29, 2015 (80 FR 45234).

The last notification was filed with the Department on December 7, 2015. A notice was published in the Federal Register pursuant to Section 6(b) of the Act on January 6, 2016 (81 FR 512).

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