

**STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA**  
**DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS**  
**NOTICE OF SEISMIC ACTIVITY**

**Notice Time Requirement:** The notice shall be provided at least **THREE (3) DAYS** prior to commencement of the seismic activity.

**Date of Notice:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Seismic Activity:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Delivery method pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10a**

- PERSONAL SERVICE     
  REGISTERED MAIL     
  METHOD OF DELIVERY THAT REQUIRES A RECEIPT OR SIGNATURE CONFIRMATION

Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10(j), (1) Prior to conducting any seismic activity for seismic exploration for natural gas to be extracted using horizontal drilling methods, the company or person performing the activity shall provide notice to Miss Utility of West Virginia Inc. and to all surface owners, coal owners and lessees, and natural gas storage field operators on whose property blasting, percussion or other seismic-related activities will occur. (2) The notice shall be provided at least three days prior to commencement of the seismic activity. (3) The notice shall also include a reclamation plan in accordance with the erosion and sediment control manual that provides for the reclamation of any areas disturbed as a result of the seismic activity, including filling of shotholes used for blasting. (4) Nothing in this subsection decides questions as to whether seismic activity may be secured by mineral owners, surface owners or other ownership interests.

**Notice is hereby provided to:**

MISS UTILITY OF WEST VIRGINIA INC.

Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

COAL OWNER OR LESSEE

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

SURFACE OWNER(s)

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

NATURAL GAS STORAGE FIELD OPERATOR

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Notice is hereby given:**

Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10(j), notice is hereby given that the undersigned well operator will be conducting seismic related activities for seismic exploration for natural gas to be extracted using horizontal drilling methods on the tract of land as follows:

State: _____;	UTM Coordinate NAD83 Northing: _____;
County: _____;	UTM Coordinate NAD83 Easting: _____;
District: _____;	Public Road Access: _____;
Quadrangle: _____;	Watershed: _____;
	Generally used farm name: _____;

**This Notice Shall Include:**

Pursuant to West Virginia Code § 22-6A-10(j)(3), this notice shall include a reclamation plan in accordance with the erosion and sediment control manual that provides for the reclamation of any areas disturbed as a result of the seismic activity, including filling of shotholes used for blasting. Additional information related to horizontal drilling may be obtained from the Secretary, at the WV Department of Environmental Protection headquarters, located at 601 57<sup>th</sup> Street, SE, Charleston, WV 25304 (304-926-0450) or by visiting [www.dep.wv.gov/oil-and-gas/pages/default.aspx](http://www.dep.wv.gov/oil-and-gas/pages/default.aspx).

**Notice is hereby given by:**

Well Operator: _____	Address: _____
Telephone: _____	_____
Email: _____	Facsimile: _____

**Oil and Gas Privacy Notice:**

The Office of Oil and Gas processes your personal information, such as name, address and telephone number, as part of our regulatory duties. Your personal information may be disclosed to other State agencies or third parties in the normal course of business or as needed to comply with statutory or regulatory requirements, including Freedom of Information Act requests. Our office will appropriately secure your personal information. If you have any questions about our use or your personal information, please contact DEP's Chief Privacy Officer at [depprivacyofficer@wv.gov](mailto:depprivacyofficer@wv.gov).