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**STATE OF LOUISIANA
COURT OF APPEAL, THIRD CIRCUIT**

05-402

KENNETH JOSEPH AUBÉ

VERSUS

**GEODE EXPLORATION JOINT VENTURE and SIGMUND, KANE &
HATCH, INC.**

**APPEAL FROM THE
FIFTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
PARISH OF VERMILION, NUMBER 73409
HONORABLE THOMAS DUPLANTIER, JUDGE**

**J. DAVID PAINTER
JUDGE**

Court composed of Ulysses Gene Thibodeaux, Chief Judge, Billy Howard Ezell, and J. David Painter, Judges.

AMENDED IN PART and AFFIRMED.

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