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LEGAL NOTICE September 26, 2004

NOTICE

To: Osprey Resources, Inc., Clifford Cone, Robert B. Mitchell Trust, George G. Travis Trust, Estate of John L. Brady, and Marjo Operating, Inc., their successors and assigns, and any other interested person: Arch Petroleum Inc. has applied to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division to establish a 160 acre non-standard gas spacing unit in the Jatmat Gas Poor comprising the SW_ of Section 16, Township 23 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.. The unit is to be dedicated to applicant's Kelly State Well No. 5, to be drilled at an unorthodox gas well location 910 feet from the south line and 1230 feet from the west line of Section 16. Applicant also requests approval to complete the well in the Langlie-Mattix (Seven Rivers-Queen-Grayburg) Pool within a standard 40 acre spacing and proration unit comprising the SW_SW_ of Section 16 at an unorthodox oil well location therein. The application (Case No. 13343) will be heard at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, October 7, 2004 at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, NM 87505. As an offset interest owner, you have the right to enter an appearance and participate in the case. The well and units are located approximately 9 miles south of Eunice, New Mexico. #20979

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