STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

IN RE KEVIN O. BUTLER & ASSOCIATES

CASE NO. 21637

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION'S DOCKETING NOTICE

The New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("OCD"), pursuant to 19.15.5.10(E)(2)(a) NMAC, gives notice that it has docketed the Notice of Violation ("NOV") attached as Exhibit A, and states the following in support thereof:

1. On November 6, 2020, OCD issued the NOV to Kevin O. Butler & Associates ("Butler").

2. The NOV, which is incorporated by reference, identifies the factual basis for the alleged violation, the compliance action required to remedy the alleged violation, and the proposed sanction.

3. The NOV states that if Butler does not informally resolve the NOV within 30 days of receipt of service, then OCD will hold a hearing.

4. On November 6, 2020, OCD served the NOV on Butler by certified and electronic mail at the addresses of record provided by Butler to OCD.

5. OCD's electronic mail to Butler was returned to OCD.

6. OCD's certified mail to Butler was not delivered or deliverable, and was returned to OCD.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on January 5, 2021, I served this pleading by first class and electronic mail on:

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