

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

APPLICATION OF DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION  
COMPANY, L.P. FOR A NOMENCLATURE ORDER  
EXPANDING THE NORTH PADUCA-DELAWARE  
POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

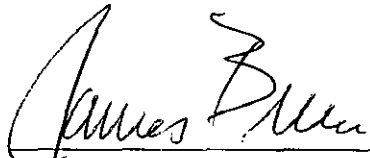
Case No. 15,196

AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE

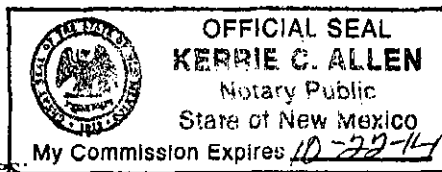
COUNTY OF SANTA FE     )  
  ) ss.  
STATE OF NEW MEXICO    )

James Bruce, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states:

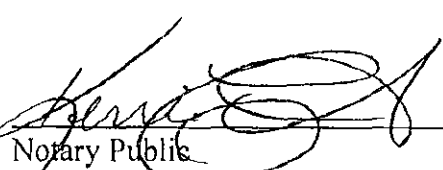
1. I am over the age of 18, and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.
2. I am an attorney for Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.
3. Applicant has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct addresses of the operators entitled to receive notice of the application filed herein.
4. Notice of the application was provided to the operators, at their last known addresses, by certified mail. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipts are attached hereto as Exhibit A.
5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rule NMAC 19.15.4.

  
James Bruce

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 17<sup>th</sup> day of September, 2014 by James Bruce.



My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

  
Notary Public

Oil Conservation Division  
Case No. 2 15196 + 15197  
Exhibit No. 2

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August 28, 2014

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To: Persons on Exhibit A

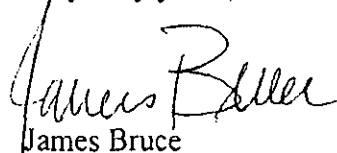
Ladies and gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for a nomenclature order expanding the North Paduca-Delaware Pool in Lea County, New Mexico, filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

This matter is scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, September 18, 2014, at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by this application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting the matter at a later date.

A party appearing in a Division case is required by Division Rules to file a Pre-Hearing Statement no later than Thursday, September 11, 2014. This statement must be filed with the Division's Santa Fe office at the above address, and should include: The names of the party and its attorney; a concise statement of the case; the names of the witnesses the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate time the party will need to present its case; and identification of any procedural matters that need to be resolved prior to the hearing. The Pre-Hearing Statement must also be provided to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

  
James Bruce

Attorney for Devon Energy Production Company, L.P.

EXHIBIT

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COG Operating LLC  
One Concho Center  
600 West Illinois  
Midland, TX 79701

Yates Petroleum Corporation  
105 South Fourth Street  
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Sahara Operating Co.  
P.O. Box 4130  
Midland, Texas 79704

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