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Rynni Henderson, being first duly sworn, on oath says:

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That the cost of publication is **\$272.57** and that payment thereof has been made and will be assessed as court costs.

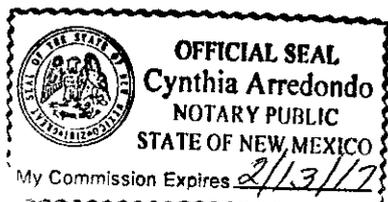
Rynni Henderson

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21 day of September, 2015

Cynthia Arredondo

My commission Expires 2/13/17

Notary Public



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

The State of New Mexico through its Oil Conservation Division hereby gives notice pursuant to law and the Rules and Regulations of the Division of the following public hearing to be held at 8:15 A.M. on October 1, 2015, in the Oil Conservation Division Hearing Room at 1220 South St. Francis, Santa Fe, New Mexico, before an examiner duly appoint for the hearing. If you are an individual with a disability who is in need of a reader, amplifier, qualified sign language interpreter, or any other form of auxiliary aid or service to attend or participate in the hearing, please contact: Florene Davidson at 505-476-3458 or through the New Mexico Relay Network, 1-800-659-1779 by September 21, 2015. Public documents including the agenda and minutes, can be provided in various, accessible forms. Please contact Florene Davidson if a summary or other type of accessible form is needed.

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To: Heirs or Devises of J.W. Phillips; Heirs or Devises of Agnes B. Phillips; Heirs or Devises of Albert B. Phillips; Heirs or Devises of Phyllis Phillips Allen; Myrtie Bethurum; Heirs or Devises of Walter Bethurum; Heirs or Devises of Bertha Lyle; Heirs or Devises of Henry Lyle; Heirs or Devises of John Monzingo; Heirs or Devises of Carl P. Monzingo, Sr.; Heirs or Devises of Carl P. Monzingo, Jr.; Heirs or Devises of Bessie Monzingo; Heirs or Devises of Fred Elgin Bethurum; Jean

Bethurum and heirs or devisees; Heirs or Devises of John M. Monzingo; Cora Monzingo and heirs or devisees; Miriam Monzingo and heirs or devisees; Randy V. Watts and heirs or devisees; Leatha Phillips Londo and heirs or devisees; Leatha Phillips London and heirs or devisees; Willie Ann Phillips Jones and heirs or devisees; Bertha Lee Jordan and heirs or devisees; Fred Elgin Bethurum and heirs or devisees; Peggy Collins and heirs or devisees; Don Lyle and heirs or devisees; Jack Lyle and heirs or devisees; Norma Byrd and heirs or devisees; Randy V. Wat and heirs or devisees; Shirley Jean Thomas and heirs or devisees; Heirs or Devises of Mary C. Aho; Heirs or

Devises of Catherine A. Duncan aka Catherine Austin Connelly; Heirs or Devises of Ann Elizabeth Sheehan; Heirs or Devises of A.L. Phillips; Heirs or Devises of Nannie Jane Phillips; Heirs or Devises of Bonnie Parrish; Heirs or Devises of Loris Ford; Heirs or Devises of Ed W. Leach and Sallie A. Leach; Heirs or Devises of J.T. Leach; Heirs or Devises of W.T. Brown, Jr.; Heirs or Devises of Dorothy Tipton; Heirs or Devises of Archie Brown; Heirs or Devises of Milton Brown; Heirs or Devises of Wilbur Brown; Heirs or Devises of Ann Elizabeth Sheehan; Heirs or Devises of A.G. Bunch; Heirs or Devises of J.P. Chitwood; Heirs or Devises of L.G. Ford; Heirs or Devises of Frank Bond; Heirs or Devises of Hazel M. Knoedler; Heirs or Devises of R.M. Weatherspoon; Heirs or Devises of Ira Miller; Thelma Leach and heirs or devisees; J.W. Hendrix and heirs or devisees; Ray Leach and heirs or devisees; Ira Miller and heirs or devisees; R.M. Weatherspoon and heirs or devisees; Hazel M. Knoedler and heirs or devisees; Frank Bond and heirs or devisees; L.G. Ford and heirs or devisees; J.P. Chitwood and heirs or devisees; Clifford Marrion Parrish and heirs or devisees; Vada May Parrish Benson and heirs or devisees; Letha Day Parrish Swank and heirs or devisees; A.G. Bunch and heirs or devisees; Heirs or Devises of

Clint Cole, and all other affected parties.

Case 15376: Application of COG Operating LLC for a non-standard spacing and proration unit and compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order (1) creating a non-standard, 160-acre, more or less, spacing and proration unit comprised of the W/2 W/2 of Section 11, Township 20 South, Range 25 East, NMPM, Eddy County and (2) pooling all mineral interests in the Yeso formation underlying this acreage. Said non-standard unit is to be dedicated to applicant's proposed Bone Yard 11 Fee No. 11H Well, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M), to a standard bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 11. The completed interval for this well will remain within the 330-foot standard offset required by the rules. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of COG Operating LLC as operator of the well and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said area is located approximately 6.5 miles southwest of Lakewood, NM.

BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION Santa Fe, New Mexico Exhibit No. 12 Submitted by: COG OPERATING LLC Hearing Date: October 1, 2015

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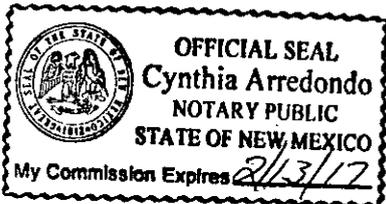
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Evans and heirs or devisees; Steven R. Willard and heirs or devisees; Suzy Crownover True and heirs or devisees; Tarleton A. Woodson and Sherrill M. Woodson, Trustees of the Tarleton A. Woodson and Sherrill M. Woodson Revocable Trust created 5/6/98 and heirs or devisees; Thomas C. Woodson and heirs or devisees; Tressia Hollis Rawls and heirs or devisees; Vernon F. Perkins and heirs or devisees; William J. Duncan and heirs or devisees; William S. Woodson and Linda Kay Woodson, Trustees of the William S. Woodson and Linda Kay Woodson Trust, dtd 12/17/99 and heirs or devisees; Zana Hollis; Heirs or Devises of William Cornell and heirs or devisees; all other affected parties. Case 15377: Application of COG Operating LLC for a non-standard spacing and proration unit and compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order (1) creating a non-standard, 160-acre, more or less, spacing and proration unit comprised of the E/2 W/2 of Section 11, Township 20 South, Range 25 East, NMPM, Eddy County and (2) pooling all mineral interests in the above formation underlying this acreage. Said non-standard unit is to be dedicated to applicant's proposed Bone Yard 11 Fee No. 12H Well, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 2 to a standard bottom hole location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 11. The completed interval for this well will remain within the 330-foot standard offset required by the rules. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of COG Operating LLC as operator of the well and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said area is located approximately 6.5 miles southwest of Lakewood, NM.