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

# APPLICATION OF ANSCHUTZ OIL COMPANY, LLC FOR A NON-STANDARD OIL SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, **RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

Case No. 15,318

#### 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 Anschutz Oil Company, LLC.

Anschutz Oil Company, LLC has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find 3. the names and correct addresses of the working interest owners entitled to receive notice of the application filed herein.

Notice of the application was provided to the interest owners, at their last known 4. addresses, by certified mail. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipt are attached hereto as Attachment A.

Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rules NMAC 5. 19.15.4.9 and 19.15.4.12.C.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this  $\mathcal{Q}$ 

day of June, 2015 by James

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To: Persons on Exhibit A

Ladies and gentlemen:

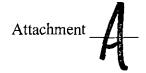
Enclosed is an application for a non-standard unit and compulsory pooling, filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Anschutz Oil Company, LLC, regarding a well in Section 1, Township 24 North, Range 2 West, N.M.P.M., Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. This matter is scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, June 11, 2015, in Porter Hall 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 the application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

The purpose of the non-standard unit in the Dakota formation (normally spaced on 320 acres) is to allow the interest owners in the well to share equally in production from both the Mancos and Dakota formations, which will be downhole commingled. If you have agreed to participate in the well, you may ignore the pooling portion of the application.

A party appearing in a Division case is required by Division Rules to file a Pre-Hearing Statement no later than Thursday, June 4, 2015. 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.

ery truly yours,

Attorney for Anschutz Oil Company, LLC



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### EXHIBIT A

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J&M Raymond, Ltd. P.O. Box 291445 Kerrville, TX 87029

McElvain Oil Company P.O. Box 801888 Dallas, TX 75380

Estate of Thomas F. McKenna, Sr. and Laurie Hedrich, Trustee of the Thomas F. McKenna, Sr. Credit Shelter Trust Building D 3500 Comanche Road N.E. Albuquerque, NM 87056

JAS Oil & Gas Co., LLC Suite 129 200 West Marcy St. Santa Fe, NM 87501

Darlene Schmitz, Trustee of the Tony & Darlene Schmitz Living Trust, and Schmitz Land, LLC 70 CR 405 Lindrith, NM 87029

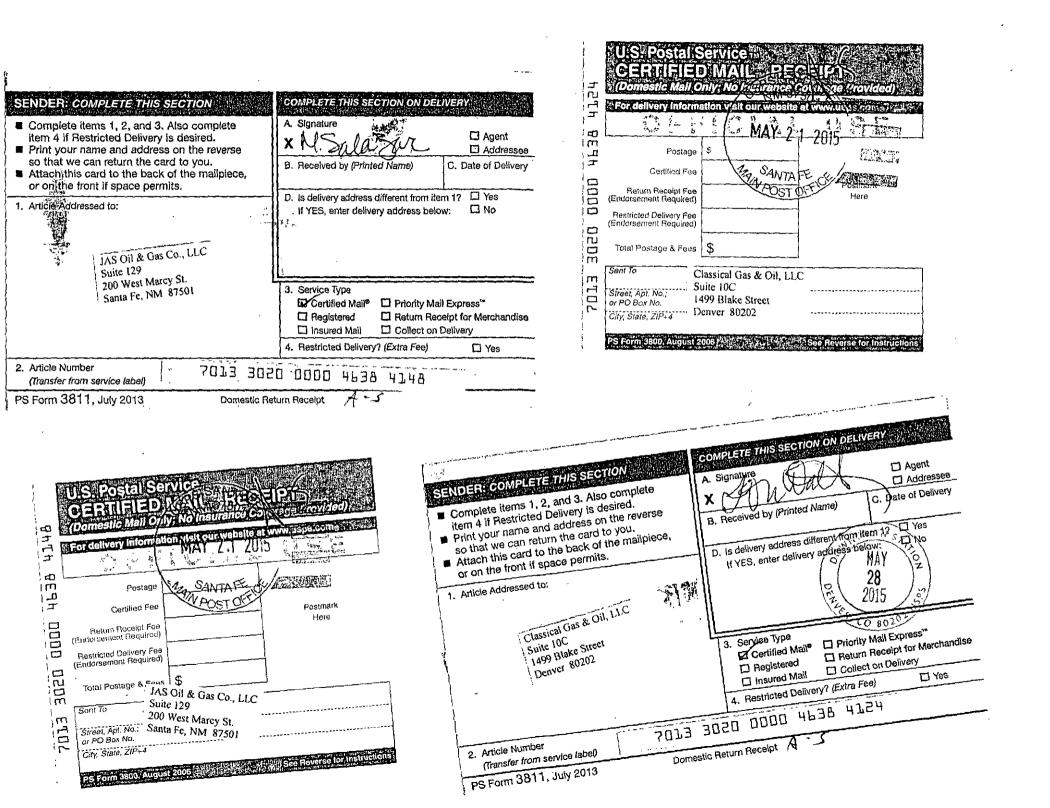
Roger Julius Palmer Abbot, Jr. 792 Maryland Ave. East St. Paul, MN 55106 Daniel Elwin Cody Britt, individually and as Personal Representative of the Estate of H.J. Guthman P.O. Box 71 Sandpoint, ID 83864

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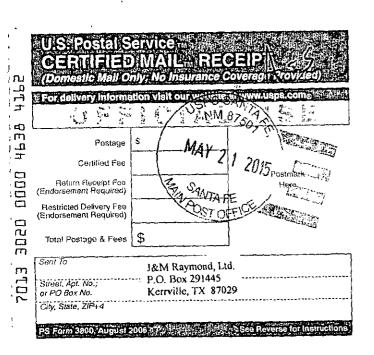
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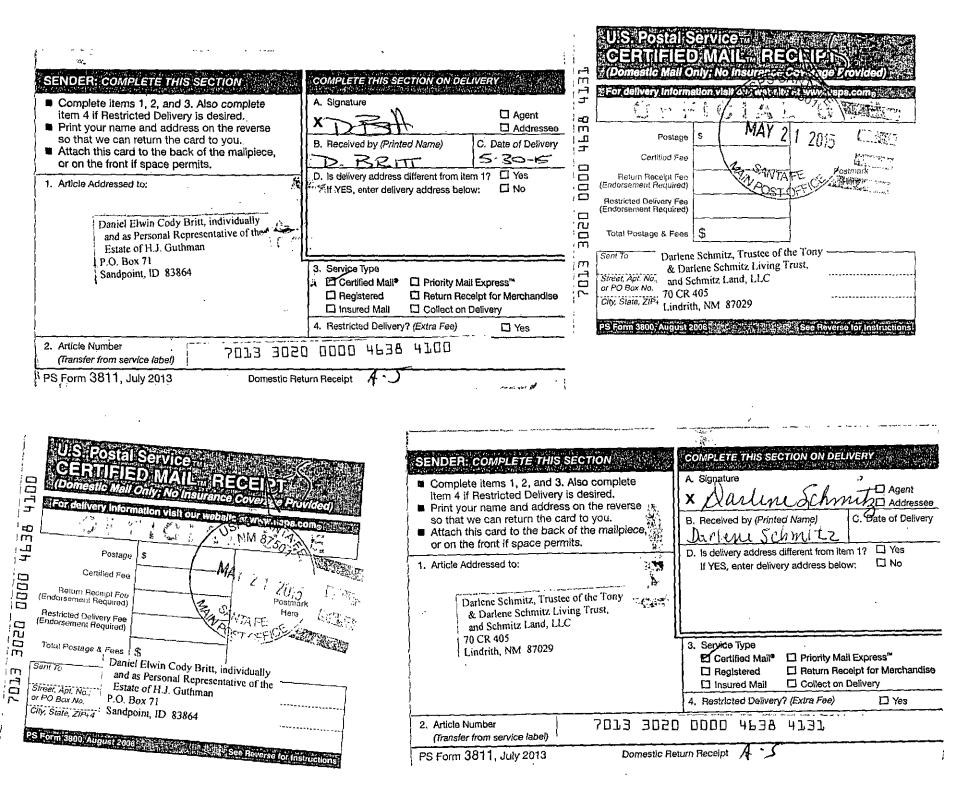
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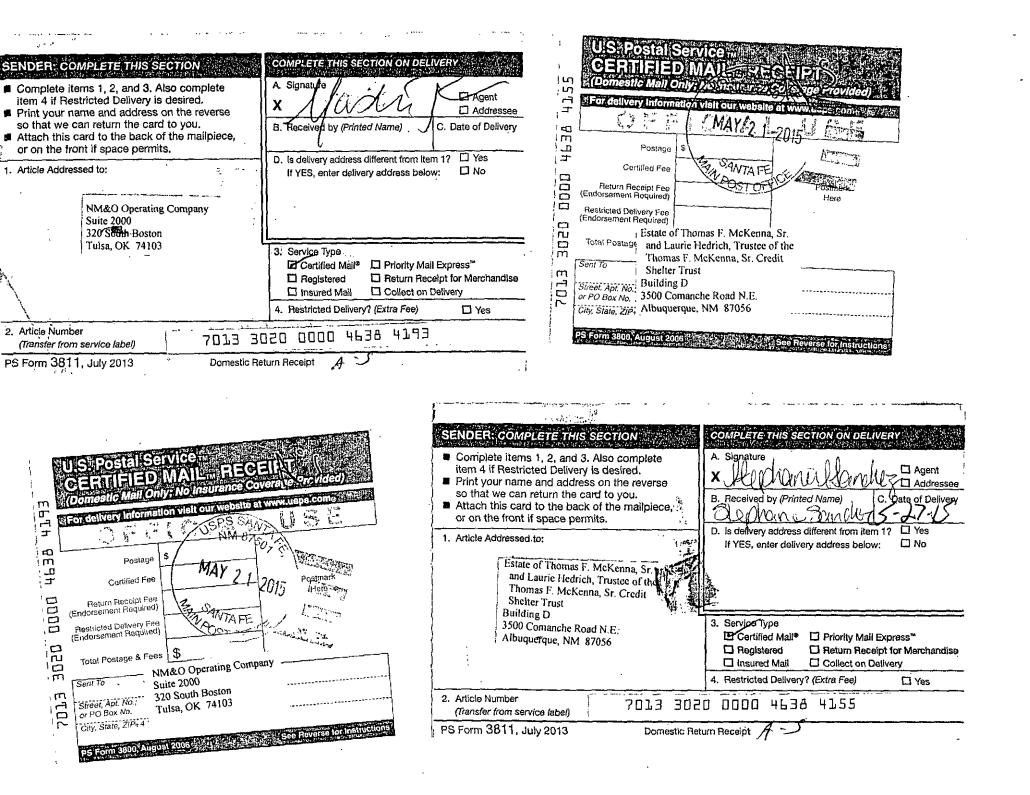


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