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

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

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APPLICATION OF XTO ENERGY, INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 13,850

VERIFIED STATEMENT OF CHRISTOPHER SPENCER

Christopher Spencer, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states:

1. I am a landman for XTO Energy Inc., and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.

2. Pursuant to Division Rule 1207.A(1)(b), the following information is submitted in support of the compulsory pooling application filed herein:

(a) No opposition is expected because the working interest owners being pooled (i) have been contacted regarding the proposed well, and have simply not decided whether to join in the well, or (ii) are unlocatable.

(b) A plat outlining the spacing unit being pooled, and marking the location of the subject well, is attached hereto as Exhibit A. Applicant seeks an order pooling all working interests in the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool underlying the W/2 of Section 8, Township 30 North, Range 13 West, NMPM, to form a standard 320-acre gas spacing unit within that vertical extent. The unit is to be dedicated to the Lunt Well No. 11, to be drilled at an orthodox gas well location in the NW/4NW/4 of Section 8.

(c) The parties being pooled, their working interests in the well unit, and their addresses, are as follows:

Jack Pierson P.O. Box 1119 Onley, Virginia 23418 2.5%

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Harvey Dell Cranmore Apartment B 1848 West Robinson Street Norman, Oklahoma 73069

Oil Conservation Division Case No. 17, 850 Exhibit No. William C. Mann c/o Kirtley Craig 534 Park Drive Longmeadow, Massachusetts 01106

(d) Copies of the proposal letters sent to the uncommitted working interest owners are attached hereto as Exhibit B.

(e) The interest owners being pooled are beneficiaries of the Estate of William C. Russell, deceased. In order to locate these interest owners, applicant examined the San Juan County records, out-of-state probate records on Mr. Russell, and telephone and internet directories.

(f) A good faith effort has been made to obtain the voluntary joinder of the interest owners in the well.

(g) Pursuant to Division rules, applicant requests that a 200% risk charge be assessed against the non-consenting interest owners.

(h) A copy of the Authority for Expenditure for the proposed well is attached hereto as Exhibit C. The drilling and completion costs set forth therein are fair and reasonable, and are comparable to those of other wells of this depth drilled in this area of San Juan County.

(i) Overhead charges of \$5,500.00/month for a drilling well, and \$550.00/month for a producing well, are requested. These rates are fair and reasonable, and are in line with rates charged by other operators in this area for wells of this depth. Applicant requests that these rates be adjusted pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure.

(j) Applicant requests that it be designated operator of the wells.

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VERIFICATION

STATE OF TEXAS)) ss. COUNTY OF TARRANT)

Christopher Spencer, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states that: He is a landman for XTO Energy Inc.; he is authorized to make this verification on its behalf; he has read the foregoing statement, and knows the contents thereof; and the same is true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

Christopher Spencer

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 11^{11} day of January, 2007 by Christopher Spencer.



la Daniels Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

EXHIBIT A

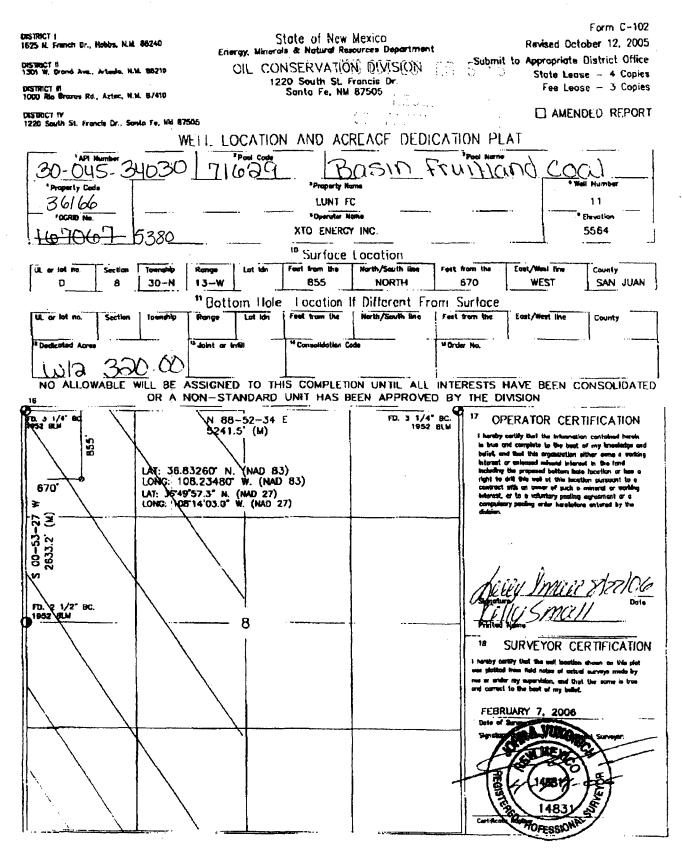


EXHIBIT A



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Yours truly.

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I agree to sell my interest described hereinabove to XTO Energy Inc. for the amount stated, subject to a mutually acceptable Assignment of Oil and Gas Leases.

Signed this _____ day of November, 2006.

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WILLIAM C. MANN

By:

:_____ (Signature)

Name & Title:_____

Date:



XTO ENERGY INC. AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE

AFE NO.:	600529
AFE DESC:	D&C BASIN FC GAS WELL
DATE:	02/17/2006
AFE TYPE:	DEVELOPMENT DRILLING
OPERATOR:	81 - XTO ENERGY INC.
SECTION/TOW	81 - XTO ENERGY INC. VNSHIP/RANGE: 8/30N/13W

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DETAIL OF EXPENDITURES	DRYHOLE	COMPLETION	SUPPLEMENT	TOTAL
Drilling/Rig Move	75,000.00	0.00	0.00	75,000.00
Completion Unit	0.00	10,000.00	0.00	10,000.00
Surf/Int Csg Crew/Laydown Service	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00
Roads & Location	12,000.00	0.00	0.00	12,000.00
Mud/Chemicals	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	5,000.00
Well Logging: Open Hole	9,000.00	0.00	0.00	9,000.00
Surf/Int Cement & Related Services	5,500.00	0.00	0.00	5,500.00
Bits, Mills, Reamers	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	5,000.00
Drlg Rentals: Sub-Surface	1,000.00	0.00	0.00	1,000.00
Drlg Rentals: Surface	7,000.00	0.00	0.00	7,000.00
Rig Fuel, Power & Water	10,000.00	0.00	0.00	10,000.00
Cased Hole Logging/Perf	0.00	11,000.00	0.00	11,000.00
Stimulation & Pumping Services	0.00	160,000.00	0.00	160,000.00
Drlg Supervision (Co & Contract)	11,000.00	0.00	0.00	11,000.00
Drlg Overhead	2,000.00	0.00	0.00	2,000.00
Drlg Trucking & Hot Shot	2,000.00 4,000.00 0.00	0.00	0.00	4,000.00
Completion Dress Location	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00
Fluid Haul/Solid Control	6,000.00	0.00	0.00	6,000.00
Flowback	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00
Frac Tanks/Fluid Hauling	0.00	15,000.00	0.00	15,000.00
Prod Csg Cement & Related Service	0.00	12,000.00	0.00	12,000.00
Prod Csg Crew/Laydown Service	0.00	3,000.00	0.00	3,000.00
Cmpl Rentals: Sub-Surface	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00
Cmpl Rentals: Surface	0.00	1,000.00	0.00	1,000.00
Cmpl Engr/Supervision	0.00	3,000.00	0.00	3,000.00
Cmpl Overhead-	0.00	3,000.00	0.00	3,000.00
Cmpl Trucking & Hot Shot	0.00	3,000.00	0.00	3,000.00
Plug and Abandon Unsuccessful Well	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	5,000.00
Cmpl Fluid/Chem/Transp	0.00	15,000.00	0.00	15,000.00
WIP-Intan, Devlpmt Costs TOT	TAL: 159,500.00	239,000.00		398,500.00
Tubing	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	5,000.00
Wellhead Equipment	3,000.00	0.00	0.00	3,000.00
Pumping & Lifting Equipment	0.00	20,000.00	0.00	20,000.00
Tank Batteries	0.00	32,000.00	0.00	32,000.00
Lease & Flow Lines	0.00	10,000.00	0.00	10,000.00
Sub-surface Pump, Rods, & Acces	0.00	5,000.00	0.00	5,000.00
Automation Equipment	0.00	12,000.00	0.00	12,000.00
Surface Casing	5,000.00	0.00	0.00	5,000.00
Production / Liner Casing	0.00	20,000.00	0.00	20,000.00



XTO ENERGY INC. AUTHORITY FOR EXPENDITURE

AFE NO.:600529AFE DESC:D&C BASIN FC GAS WELLDATE:02/17/2006AFE TYPE:DEVELOPMENT DRILLINGOPERATOR:81 - XTO ENERGY INC.SECTION/TOWNSHIP/RANGE:8/30N/13W

DISTRICT:SAN JUANFIELD:BASINACCOUNTING ID:79167WELL NAME:LUNT 11 FCSTATE/COUNTY:NEW MEXICO / SAN JUANXTO WI DECIMAL:0.75000000

DETAIL OF EXPENDITURES	DRYHOLE	COMPLETION	SUPPLEMENT	TOTAL
Tubing Head / X-mas Tree	0.00	10,000.00	0.00	10,000.00
Wellhead Comp Install	0.00	9,000.00	0.00	9,000.00
WIP-Lease & Well Equip. TOTAL:	8,000.00	123,000.00	<u></u>	131,000.00
TOTAL THIS AFE:	167,500.00	362,000.00	······································	529,500.00

*** This AFE is an estimate only. By returning one signed copy, you agree to pay your share of the actual costs incurred. ***

REMARKS:

		Non Operator Approval	
Prepared By:	LeAnna Hanhardt	DATE	
Approved By:	Trenis Lusk	COMPANY	
Approved By.		BY	
Signature:		TITLE	