OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

CASE #: 14194

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

APPLICATION OF CIMAREX ENERGY CO. FOR A NON-STANDARD OIL SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, CHAVES COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 14,194

AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE

| COUNTY OF SANTA FE) ss. | |
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| STATE OF NEW MEXICO) | |
| James Bruce, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states: | <i>(</i> * |
| 1. I am over the age of 18, and have personal knowledge of the matters stated he | rein. |
| 2. I am an attorney for Cimarex Energy Co. | |
| 3. Applicant has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and coaddresses of the offset operators entitled to receive notice of the application filed herein. | rrect |
| 4. Notice of the application was provided to the operators, at their correct address by certified mail. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipts are attached here Exhibit A. | |
| 5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rule 1210. James Bruce | |
| SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 15th day of October, 2008 by J. Bruce. | ames |
| My Commission Expires: 3/14/09 Notary Public Oil Conservation Division Case No | <u>-</u> |

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September 23, 2008

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

To: Persons on Exhibit A

Ladies and gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for a non-standard unit, etc., filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Cimarex Energy Co., regarding the S½N½ of Section 9, Township 15 South, Range 31 East, N.M.P.M., Chaves County, New Mexico. This matter is scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, October 16, 2008, at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. The Division has required applicant to notify offset operators of the non-standard unit portion of the application. As an offset operator, you have the right to enter an appearance and participate in the case. Failure to appear will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

You are required to notify (in writing) the Division, and the undersigned, by Thursday, October 9, 2008 if you intend to participate in the hearing.

Very truly yours,

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Attorney for Cimarex Energy Co.

EXHIBIT ____

EXHIBIT A

COG Operating, LLC Suite 1300 550 West Texas Midland, Texas 79701

Chesapeake Exploration Limited Partnership P.O. Box 18496 Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73154-0496

Abo Petroleum Corporation MYCO Industries, Inc. Yates Drilling Company Yates Petroleum Corporation 105 South Fourth Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Kevin O. Butler & Associates, Inc. P.O. Box 1171 Midland, Texas 79702

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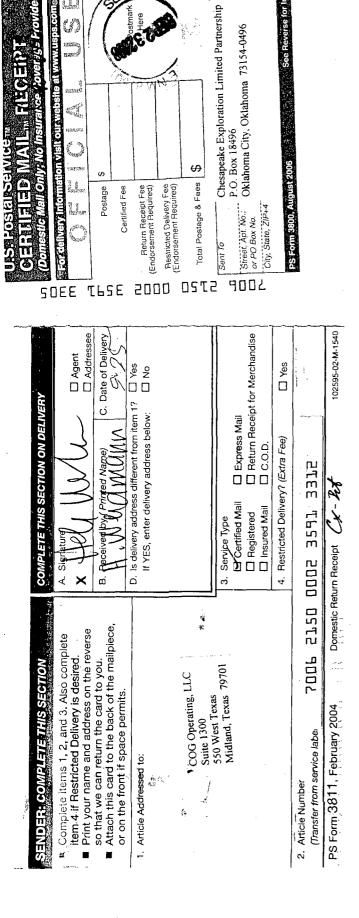
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