### 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, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 14,582

### **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 Cimarex Energy Co.

Applicant has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct 3. addresses of the offset operators or working interest owners entitled to receive notice of the application filed herein.

4. Notice of the application was provided to the operators or working interest owners, at their correct addresses, by certified mail. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipts are attached hereto as Exhibit A.

Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rules. 5.

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 5th day of January, 2011 by James Bruce.

| My Commission Expires: | 3/14/13 |
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Notary Public

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#### 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 E½E½ of Section 23, Township 20 South, Range 34 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico. This matter is scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, December 16, 2010, at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. The Division requires applicant to notify offset operators or working interest owners of the non-standard unit portion of the application, and you offset the above well unit. As an offset operator or working interest owner, 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, December 9, 2010 if you intend to participate in the hearing.

Very truly yours,

James Bruce Attorney for Cimarex Energy Co.

# EXHIBIT A

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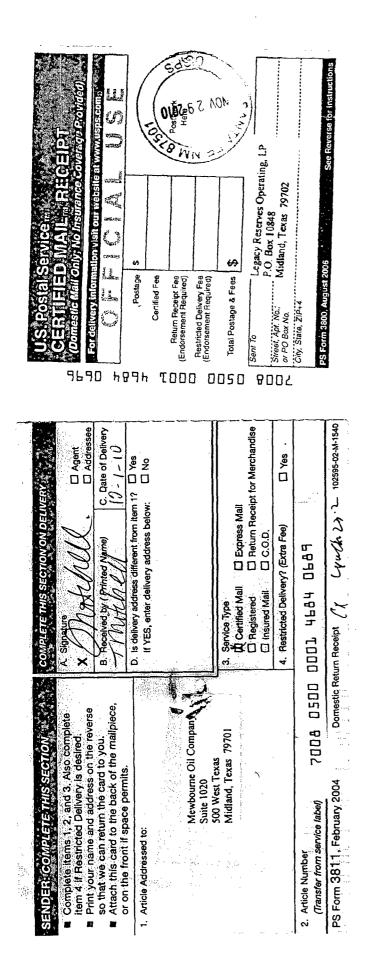
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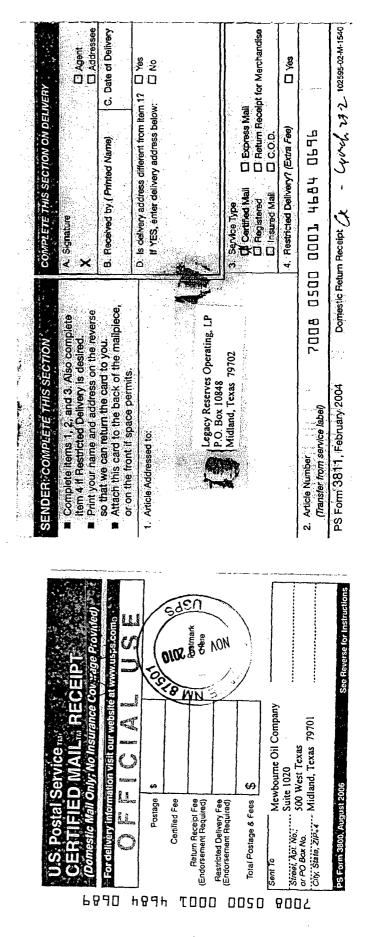
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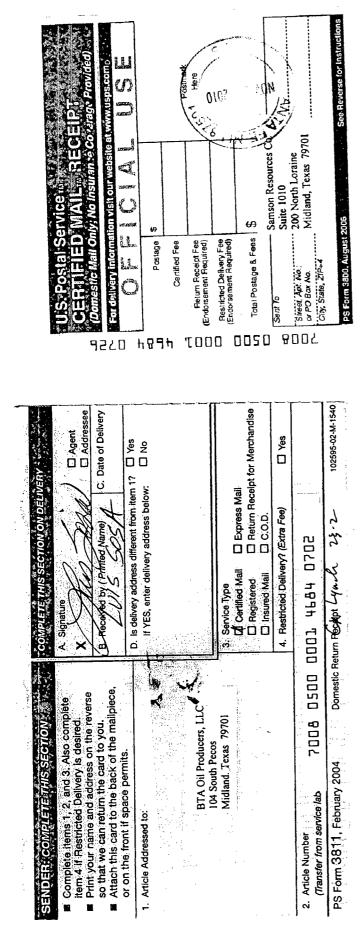
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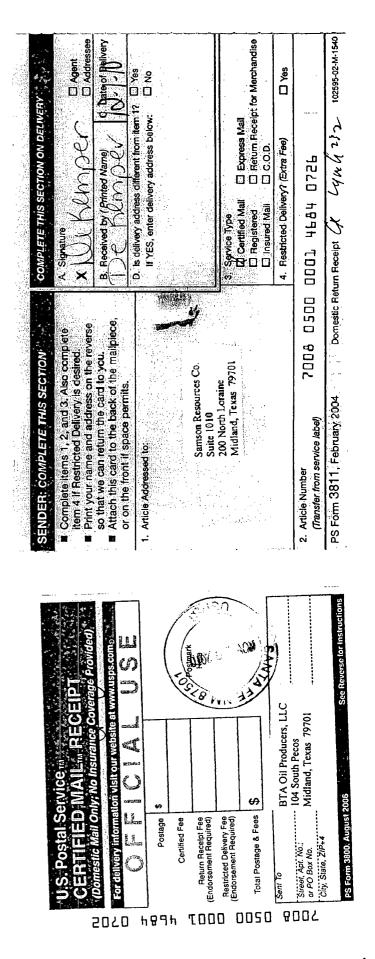
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