BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF SANTA FE ENERGY RESOURCES, INC. FOR SALT WATER DISPOSAL, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 11848

AFFIDAVIT REGARDING NOTICE

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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 set forth herein.
 - 2. I am an attorney for Applicant.
- 3. Applicant has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct addresses of the interest owners entitled to receive notice of the Application filed herein.
- 4. Notice of the Application was provided to the interest owners at their correct addresses by mailing them, by certified mail, a copy of the Application. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipts are attached hereto as Exhibit A.
- 5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rule 1207 and Form C-108.

James Bruce

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 3^M day of September, 1997, by James Bruce.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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CASENO 11848

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CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Yates Petroleum Corporation 105 South Fourth Street Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Bureau of Land Management P.O. Box 27115 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87502

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for salt water disposal filed at the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Santa Fe Energy Resources, Inc. regarding the Jones Canyon "4" Fed. Well No. 2, located 1505 feet from the South line and 2381 feet from the East line of Section 4, Township 22 South, Range 24 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. This application will be heard at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, September 4, 1997 at the Division's office at 2040 South Pacheco Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. As a surface owner or offset operator, you have the right to appear at the hearing and participate in the case. Failure to appear at the hearing will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

Very truly yours,

James Bruce

Attorney for Santa Fe Energy Resources, Inc.



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