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NM133923

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Reference:

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T. 17 S., R. 30 E.,

Section 3: S2N2

Eddy County, NM

January 16, 2015

COG Operating, LLC

One Concho Center

600 West Illinois Avenue

Mid Land, TX 79701

Gentlemen:

Enclosed is an approved copy of Communitization Agreement NM133923 involving 159.57 acres of Federal land in lease LC029020M and 159.75 acres of Federal land in lease LC029020J, Eddy County, New Mexico, which comprises a 319.32 acre well spacing unit.

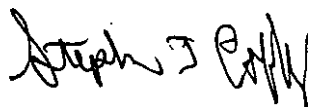
The agreement communitizes all rights to all producible hydrocarbons from the Yeso formation beneath the S2N2, and Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, of sec. 3, T. 17 S., R. 30 E., NMPM, and is effective February 1, 2012. Approval of this agreement does not warrant or certify that the operator, thereof, and other working interest owners hold legal or equitable title to the leases which are committed hereto.

Copies of this approval letter are being distributed to the appropriate Federal agencies. You are requested to furnish all interested parties with the appropriate evidence of this approval. Any production royalties that are due must be reported and paid according to regulations set up by the Office of Natural Resources Revenue at 1-800-525-9167 or 303-231-3504.

If you have any questions regarding this approval, please contact Edward G Fernandez, Petroleum Engineer at (575) 234-2220.

Please furnish all interested principals with appropriate evidence of this approval.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Steve Caffey", with a stylized flourish at the end.

Steve Caffey
Assistant Field Manager,
Lands and Minerals

1 Enclosure:

1 - Communitization Agreement

cc:

ONRR, Denver (357B-1, Antoinette Contreras, Stacey Kaiser)

NM Taxation & Revenue Dept. (Revenue Processing Div.)

NMOCD

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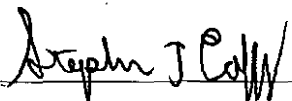
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Determination - Approval - Certification

Pursuant to the authority vested in the Secretary of the Interior under Section 17(j) of the Mineral Leasing Act of 1920, as amended (74 Stat. 784; 30 U.S.C. 226(j)), and delegated to the authorized officer of the Bureau of Land Management, I do hereby:

- A. Determine that the Federal lease or leases as to the lands committed to the attached agreement cannot be independently developed and operated in conformity with the well-spacing program established for the field or area in which said lands are located, and that consummation and approval of the agreement will be in the public interest. Approval of this agreement does not warrant or certify that the operator thereof and other holders of operating rights hold legal or equitable title to those rights in the subject leases which are committed hereto.
- B. Approve the attached Communitization Agreement covering the S2N2, and Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4, of sec. 3, T. 17 S., R. 30 E., NMPM, as to all producible hydrocarbons from the Yeso formation. This approval will become invalid if the public interest requirements under section 3105.2-3 (c) are not met.
- C. Certify and determine that the drilling, producing, rental, minimum royalty and royalty requirements of the Federal lease or leases committed to said agreement are hereby established, altered, changed, or revoked to conform with the terms and conditions of the agreement.

Approved:



Authorized Officer

Effective: February 1, 2012

Contract No.: Com. Agr. NM133923