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

APPLICATION OF OXY USA INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 22928

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EXHIBIT A

ALL INFORMATION IN THE APPLICATION MUST BE SUPPORTED BY SIGNED AFFIDAVITS

Case: 22928	APPLICANT'S RESPONSE							
Date	August 4, 2022							
Applicant	OXY USA Inc.							
Designated Operator & OGRID (affiliation if applicable)	OGRID No. 16696							
Applicant's Counsel:	Gallagher & Kennedy, P.A.							
Case Title:	APPLICATION OF OXY USA, INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO							
Entries of Appearance/Intervenors:								
Well Family	PAW SWAP 12-36 FED COM							
Formation/Pool								
Formation Name(s) or Vertical Extent:	Bone Spring Formation							
Primary Product (Oil or Gas):	Oil							
Pooling this vertical extent:	Bone Spring Formation							
Pool Name and Pool Code:	Red Tank; Bone Spring Pool (Pool Code 51683)							
Well Location Setback Rules:	Statewide Rules							
Spacing Unit Size:	480-acres, more or less							
Spacing Unit								
Type (Horizontal/Vertical)	Horizontal							
Size (Acres)	480-acres, more or less							
Building Blocks:	40 acres							
Orientation:	South to North							
Description: TRS/County	W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 12, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.							
Standard Horizontal Well Spacing Unit (Y/N), If No, describe	Yes							
Other Situations	같이 왜 그는 것은 것은 지 않는 것은 나라 같은 것							
Depth Severance: Y/N. If yes, description	No							
Proximity Tracts: If yes, description	No							
Proximity Defining Well: if yes, description	No							
Applicant's Ownership in Each Tract	Exhibit C-2							
Well(s)								
Name & API (if assigned), surface and bottom hole location, footages, completion target, orientation, completion status (standard or non-standard)	Add wells as needed OXY USA, ING							
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Well #1	PAW SWAP 12-36 FED COM #11H well SHL: 219' FNL, 1642' FWL (Unit C), Sec. 13, T22S, R32E. BHL: 20' FNL, 390' FWL (Unit D), Sec. 36, T21S, R32E. CompLetion Target: Bone Spring Formation Orientation: south to north Completion Status: Expected to be standard N/A
Horizontal Well First and Last Take Points	Exhibit C-1
Completion Target (Formation, TVD and MD)	Exhibit C-1
AFE Capex and Operating Costs	
Drilling Supervision/Month \$	\$8,000
Production Supervision/Month \$	\$800
Justification for Supervision Costs	Exhibit C
Requested Risk Charge	200%
Notice of Hearing	
Proposed Notice of Hearing	Exhibit B
Proof of Mailed Notice of Hearing (20 days before hearing)	Exhibit E
Proof of Published Notice of Hearing (10 days before hearing)	Exhibit F
Ownership Determination	
Land Ownership Schematic of the Spacing Unit	Exhibit C-2
Tract List (including lease numbers and owners)	Exhibit C-2
Pooled Parties (including ownership type)	Exhibit C-2
Unlocatable Parties to be Pooled	N/A
Ownership Depth Severance (including percentage above & below)	N/A
Joinder	
Sample Copy of Proposal Letter	Exhibit C-3
List of Interest Owners (ie Exhibit A of JOA)	Exhibit C-2
Chronology of Contact with Non-Joined Working Interests	Exhibit C-4
Overhead Rates In Proposal Letter	Exhibit C-3

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Cost Estimate to Drill and Complete	Exhibit C-3
Cost Estimate to Equip Well	Exhibit C-3
Cost Estimate for Production Facilities	Exhibit C-3
Geology	
Summary (including special considerations)	Exhibit D
Spacing Unit Schematic	Exhibit D-1
Gunbarrel/Lateral Trajectory Schematic	N/A
Well Orientation (with rationale)	Exhibit D
Target Formation	Exhibit D-3
HSU Cross Section	Exhibit D-3
Depth Severance Discussion	N/A
Forms, Figures and Tables	
C-102	Exhibit C-1
Tracts	Exhibit C-2
Summary of Interests, Unit Recapitulation (Tracts)	Exhibit C-2
General Location Map (including basin)	Exhibit D-1
Well Bore Location Map	Exhibit D-1
Structure Contour Map - Subsea Depth	Exhibit D-2
Cross Section Location Map (including wells)	Exhibit D-2
Cross Section (including Landing Zone)	Exhibit D-3
Additional Information	
Special Provisions/Stipulations	N/A
CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the information pro	ovided in this checklist is complete and accurate.
Printed Name (Attorney or Party Representative):	Scott Woody
Signed Name (Attorney or Party Representative):	Scott Woom
Date:	8/15/2022

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EXHIBIT B

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

APPLICATION OF OXY USA INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO._____

APPLICATION

Oxy USA, Inc. ("Applicant"), OGRID No. 16696, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby makes an application to the Oil Conservation Division pursuant to the provisions of NMSA (1978), Section 70-2-17, for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation in a horizontal spacing unit underlying the W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 12, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. In support of its application, Applicant states as follows:

- 1. Applicant is an interest owner in the proposed horizontal spacing unit and has a right to drill a well thereon.
- Applicant seeks to dedicate the W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 2, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico to form a standard 480-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit.
- 3. Applicant proposes to drill the PAW SWAP 12-36 FED COM #11H well to a depth sufficient to test the Bone Spring formation. This well is a horizontal well with a surface location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 13, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, and an intended bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East,

NMPM, Lea County. A portion of the well location is within the potash development area.

- 4. This well is proposed to be drilled vertically to a depth of approximately 9,510' to the Bone Spring formation and laterally in a northerly direction within the formation to the referenced bottom hole location.
- This well will be located within the Red Tank; Bone Spring Pool (Pool Code 51683) and will comply with the Division's statewide setback requirements.
- 6. Applicant has in good faith sought, but has been unable to obtain, a voluntary agreement from all other interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed spacing unit to participate in the drilling of the well or to otherwise commit their interest to the well.
- 7. The creation of a horizontal spacing unit and the pooling of all interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on August 4, 2022, and after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter an order:

- Creating an approximately 480-acre horizontal spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation comprised of the W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 12, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico;
- B. Pooling all uncommitted mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation
 underlying a horizontal spacing unit within the W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 12,

Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico;

- C. Designating Applicant as the operator of this unit and the well to be drilled thereon;
- D. Authorizing Applicant to recover its costs of drilling, equipping and completing the well;
- E. Approving the actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rate pursuant to COPAS accounting procedures; and
- F. Setting a 200% charge for the risk in drilling and completing the well in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the well.

Respectfully Submitted,

GALLAGHER & KENNEDY, P.A.

By: <u>/s/ Dalva Moellenberg</u> Dalva L. Moellenberg <u>DLM@gknet.com</u> Christina Wisdom <u>Christina.Wisdom@gknet.com</u> Scott Woody <u>Scott.Woody@gknet.com</u> 1239 Paseo de Peralta Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501 (505) 982-9523 (Telephone) (505) 983-8160 (Fax)

[PROPOSED LEGAL NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION]

Case No._____: **Application of Oxy USA, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico**. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a standard 480-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 12, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks to dedicate the above-referenced horizontal spacing unit to the proposed Paw Swap 12-36 Fed Com #11H well, to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 13, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County. Lea County. The completed interval of the well will comply with statewide setback requirements for oil wells. Also, to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well, the allocation of Applicant as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling and completing said well. Said area is located approximately 28 miles west of Eunice, New Mexico.

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EXHIBIT C

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

APPLICATION OF OXY USA INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 22928

AFFIDAVIT OF AMBER DELACH

Amber Delach, of lawful age and being first duly sworn, states the following:

1. My name is Amber Delach and I am employed by OXY USA Inc. ("OXY") as a land negotiator.

2. I have previously testified before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as an expert witness in petroleum land matters. My credentials as a petroleum landman have been accepted by the Division and made a matter of record.

3. I am familiar with the application filed by OXY in this case and the status of the lands in the subject area.

4. The uncommitted parties in this case have not indicated that they will oppose this pooling case proceeding by affidavit and, therefore, I do not expect opposition at the hearing.

5. In Case No. 22928, OXY seeks an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation [Red Tank; Bone Spring Pool (Pool Code 51683)] underlying a standard 480-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing unit comprised of the W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 12, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

6. OXY seeks to initially dedicate the above-referenced horizontal spacing unit to the following proposed well:

PAW SWAP 12-36 FED COM #11H well to be drilled from a surface
 location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 13, Township 22 South, Range
 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, to a bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4
 (Unit D) of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea
 County. A portion of the well location is within the potash development area.

7. This well is proposed to be drilled vertically to a depth of approximately 9,510' to the Bone Spring formation and laterally in a northerly direction within the formation to the referenced bottom hole location. The well will comply with the Division's statewide setback requirements.

8. **OXY Exhibit C-1** contains Form C-102 for the proposed initial well in the standard spacing unit. This form demonstrates that the completed interval for the well will meet the standard setback requirements for horizontal oil wells.

The form also reflects that the well targeting the Bone Spring formation in Case
 No. 22928 will be assigned to Red Tank; Bone Spring Pool (Pool Code 51683).

10. No ownership depth severances exist within the Bone Spring formation underlying this acreage.

11. **OXY Exhibit C-2** identifies the tracts of land comprising the proposed horizontal spacing unit in this case, the working interest ownership in each tract, and the ownership interests across the horizontal spacing unit. There are no unleased mineral interest owners.

12. **OXY Exhibit C-2** also identifies the working interest owners that OXY is seeking to pool in this case highlighted in yellow.

13. **OXY Exhibit C-3** contains a sample of the well proposal letter and AFEs sent to the working interest owners. The costs reflected in these AFEs are consistent with what OXY

and other operators have incurred for drilling similar horizontal wells in the area in this formation.

14. **OXY Exhibit C-4** contains a general summary of the contacts with the working interest owners. In my opinion, OXY has undertaken good-faith, diligent efforts to reach an agreement with the working interest owners.

15. OXY requests that in any order that issues the overhead and administrative costs for drilling and producing the proposed wells be set at \$8,000 per month while drilling and \$800 per month while producing. These costs are consistent with what other operators are charging in this area for similar wells.

16. OXY has provided the law firm of Gallagher & Kennedy, P.A. with the names and addresses of the parties that OXY seeks to pool and instructed that they be notified of this hearing.

17. **OXY Exhibits C-1 through C-4** were either prepared by me or complied under my direction and supervision.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

AMBER DELACH

STATE OF TEXAS

COUNTY OF HARRIS

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me on this 12 day of August 2022 by Amber

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My Commission Expires:



State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505

Form C-102 Revised August 1, 2011 Submit one copy to appropriate District Office

AMENDED REPORT

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT ¹ API Number ² Pool Code ³ Pool Name ⁴ Property Code ⁵ Property Name ⁶ Well Number PAW SWAP 12 36 FED COM 11H **Operator Name** ⁹Elevation ⁷OGRID No. 16696 OXY USA INC. 3665 ¹⁰ Surface Location UL or lot no. Section Township Feet from the North/South line Feet from the East/West line Range Lot Idn County С 13 22S 32E 219 NORTH 1642 WEST LEA ¹¹ Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface UL or lot no. Lot Idn Feet from the North/South line Feet from the Section Township Range East/West line County D 36 21S 32E 20 NORTH 390 WEST LEA 12 Dedicated Acres ³ Joint or Infill ⁴ Consolidation Code Order No. 479.93

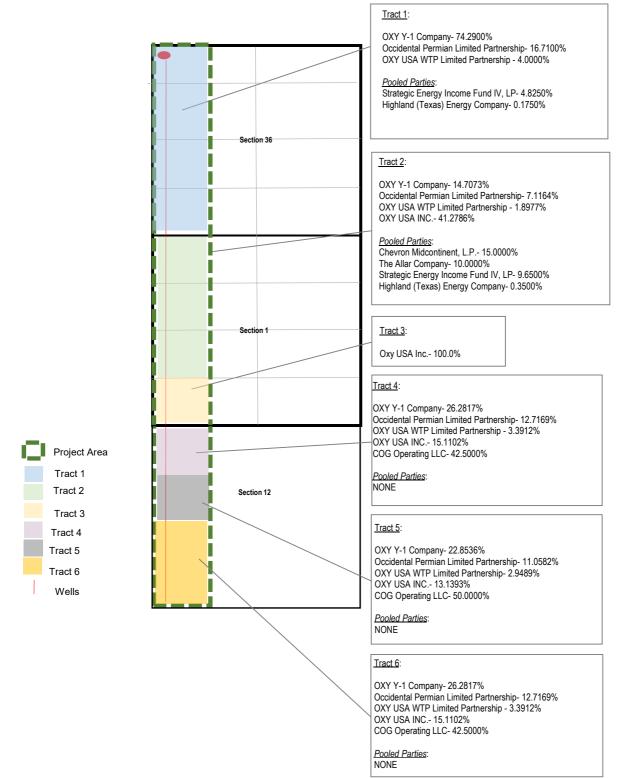
No allowable will be assigned to this completion until all interests have been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.

SECTION 26 N A SECTION 25 SEC. 35 390' SECTION 36 LAST TAKE	SECTION 30 SECTION 31		¹⁷ OPERATOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling
M E B T215 R32E L C SECTION 36 T225 R32E SECTION 1	SECTION 31 T215 R33E	BOTTOM HOLE LOCATION 20' FNL 390' FWL, SECTION 36 NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST X:756561.07' / Y:525433.28' LAT:32.44254891N / LON:103.63567259W NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST	order heretofore entered by the division. Signature Date
K C 25800 K C 25800 K C 2757 K C 2750 K C 275	CORNER COORDINATES NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST A - X: 757490.24' / Y: 525463.01' B - X: 757506.38' / Y: 522822.89' C - X: 757522.77' / Y: 520182.40' D - X: 757539.91' / Y: 517543.26'	X:715379.08' / Y:525372.23' LAT:32.44242599N / LON:103.63518453W LAST TAKE POINT 100' FNL 390' FWL, SECTION 36 NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST X:756561.54' / Y:525353.28' LAT:32.44232902N / LON:103.63567276W NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST	Printed Name E-mail Address
SECTION 1 SECTION 11 J	E - X: 757558.03' / Y: 514902.13' F - X: 757577.51' / Y: 512264.61' G - X: 757597.51' / Y: 509626.70' H - X: 756275.91' / Y: 509612.69' I - X: 756256.10' / Y: 512251.00' J - X: 756256.10' / Y: 512487.83' K - X: 75628.96' / Y: 517529.05' L - X: 756186.48' / Y: 522088.71'	Initial Initial <thinitial< th=""> <thinitial< th=""> <thi< td=""><td>¹⁸SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the</td></thi<></thinitial<></thinitial<>	¹⁸ SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the
FIRST TAKE	N - X: 756170.97' / Y: 525449.20' CORNER COORDINATES NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST A - X: 716308.25' / Y: 525401.96' B - X: 716324.31' / Y: 522761.91' C - X: 716340.63' / Y: 520121.49' D - X: 716357.71' / Y: 517482.42' E - X: 716375.76' / Y: 514841.37'	X:715482.74' / Y:509656.21' LAT:32.39922545N / LON:103.63518132W KICK OFF POINT 300' FNL 390' FWL, SECTION 13 NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST X:756688.14' / Y:509316.83' LAT:32.39824904N / LON:103.63566657W NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST X:715485.74' / Y:509256.23'	same is true and correct to the best of my belief JUNE 24, 2022 Date of Survey Signature and Seal of Professional Surveyor: 11403
390' KOP SHEET 1 OF 3 SHEET 1 OF 3 JOB No. R4206_002_6515 REV 1 JCS 6/24/2022	F - X: 716395.17' / Y: 512203.92' G - X: 716415.11' / Y: 509566.09' H - X: 715093.52' / Y: 509552.08' I - X: 715073.77' / Y: 512190.32' J - X: 715056.09' / Y: 514827.07' K - X: 715036.77' / Y: 517468.22' L - X: 715020.36' / Y: 520107.52' M - X: 715004.42' / Y: 522747.73' N - X: 714988.98' / Y: 525388.14'	LAT:32.39812596N / LON:103.63518008W SURFACE HOLE LOCATION 219' FNL 1642' FWL, SECTION 13 NAD 83, SPCS NM EAST X:757919.29' / Y:509410.90' LAT:32.39848510N / LON:103.63161115W NAD 27, SPCS NM EAST X:716736.88' / Y:509350.29' LAT:32.39836200N / LON:103.63112477W	Certificate Number DAVID W. MYERS 11403

Distances/areas relative to NAD 83 Combined Scale Factor: 0.99979289 Convergence Angle: 00°22'40.270008"

W/2W/2 Section 36, T21S-R32E and W/2W/2 Section 1 and 12, T22S-R32E,

Lea County, New Mexico, containing 479.93 acres



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OXY, USA, INC. Case No. 22928

479	Total Acres in proposed spacing unit:		
		W/2W/2 of Section 36	act 1
	Acres contributed to proposed spacing unit:		74.0000000
		9% OXY Y-1 Company 9% Occidental Permian Limited Partnership	
		% OCCUPITAL Perman Limited Partnership	
		% Strategic Energy Income Fund IV, LP	
		1% Highland (Texas) Energy Company	
			100.000000%
95.00000		Total Committed Interest	
5.00000		Total Uncommitted Interest	
		Lot 4, SW/4NW/4, NW/4SW/4 of Section 1	act 2
119	Acres contributed to proposed spacing unit:		
		0% OXY Y-1 Company	14.707300%
		0% Occidental Permian Limited Partnership	7.116400%
		0% OXY USA WTP Limited Partnership	1.897700%
		0% OXY USA INC.	41.278600%
		0% Chevron Midcontinent, L.P.	15.000000%
		1% The Allar Company	
		0% Strategic Energy Income Fund IV, LP	
		Highland (Texas) Energy Company	
			100.000000%
65.00000		Total Committed Interest	
35.00000		Total Uncommitted Interest	
		SW/4SW/4 OF Section 1	act 3
	Acres contributed to proposed spacing unit:		
)% OXY USA Inc.	
			100.000000%
100.00000		Total Committed Interest	
0.00000		Total Uncommitted Interest	
		NW/4NW/4 of Section 12	act 4
	Acres contributed to proposed spacing unit:		
		0% OXY Y-1 Company	26.220000%
		0% Occidental Permian Limited Partnership	12.769700%
		0% OXY USA WTP Limited Partnership	
		0% OXY USA INC.	
		% COG Operating, LLC	
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100.00000 0.00000		Total Uncommitted Interest	
0.00000			
		SW/4NW/4 of Section 12	act 5
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		% OXY Y-1 Company	
		% Occidental Permian Limited Partnership	
		% OXY USA WTP Limited Partnership % OXY USA INC.	
		% COG Operating, LLC	
			100.000000%
100.00000		Total Committed Interest	
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OXY USA WTP Limited Partnership A subsidiary of Occidental Petroleum Corporation

June 14, 2022

CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

WORKING INTEREST PARTIES (see attached list)

Re: Paw Swap 12-36 Fed Com #11H Township 22 South, Range 32 East Sections 1 and 12 Township 21 South, Range 32 East Section 36 Lea County, New Mexico

Dear WI Owner,

OXY USA Inc. ("OXY") hereby proposes the drilling of the Paw Swap 12-36 Fed Com #11H well at the following location:

- Paw Swap 12-36 Fed Com 11H- Avalon
 - SHL: 219' FNL, 1642' FWL (Section 13)
 - BLH: 20' FNL, 390' FWL (Section 36)
 - Approximate TVD: 9,510'

The proposed operations include drilling and completing the well at the above stated locations, subject to modification, as an approximate 15,000' lateral in the Avalon formation. A detailed description of the total estimated cost to drill and complete the well, as well as the facilities costs is provided in the enclosed AFE.

Simultaneously with this letter, OXY is proposing to drill these wells under the terms of a modified 1989 AAPL form of Operating Agreement, enclosed herewith and dated June 1, 2022 with OXY USA Inc., as Operator, covering the all of Sections 1 and 12, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and all of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico. This proposed Operating Agreement will supersede any and all existing Operating Agreements as to all depths below the Delaware formation on all horizontal wells drilled after the effective date of the Operating Agreement.

If we do not reach an agreement within 30 days of the date of this letter, OXY will apply to the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division for compulsory pooling of your interest into a spacing unit for the proposed wells.

Please indicate your elections to participate in the drilling, completing, and equipping of the proposed wells by executing and returning one copy of this letter and the enclosed AFEs in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided.

In the event you do not wish to participate in this development, OXY is willing to discuss a deal to either trade for, or purchase your interest in the proposed development area.

If you have any questions, or would like to discuss this proposal in greater detail, please don't hesitate to call or email.

OXY USA Inc. Vehak

Amber Delach 713.552.8502 Amber_delach@oxy.com

Enclosures

OXY, USA, INC. CASE NO. 22928 EXHIBIT C-3

WIO el	lects to:
	participate in the drilling of the Paw Swap 12-36 Fed Com 11
	non-consent the drilling of the Paw Swap 12-36 Fed Com 11
	Ву:
	Name:
	Title:
	Date:

Working Interest Owners

OXY USA INC. 5 Greenway Plaza, Suite 110 Houston, Texas 77046 Attn: Permian Land Manager

OXY Y-1 COMPANY 5 Greenway Plaza, Suite 110 Houston, Texas 77046 Attn: Permian Land Manager

OXY USA WTP LIMITED PARTNERSHIP 5 Greenway Plaza, Suite 110 Houston, Texas 77046 Attn: Permian Land Manager

Chevron Midcontinent, LP 1400 Smith St. Houston, Texas 77002

COG Operating LLC 600 W. Illinois Ave. Midland, Texas 79701

Concho Oil & Gas LLC 600 W. Illinois Ave. Midland, Texas 79701

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EXHIBIT D

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

APPLICATION OF OXY USA INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 22928

AFFIDAVIT OF DANIEL BURNETT

Daniel Burnett, of lawful age and being first duly sworn, states the following:

1. My name is Daniel Burnett and I am employed by OXY USA Inc. ("OXY") as a geologist.

2. I have previously testified before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division as an expert witness in petroleum geology. My credentials as a petroleum geologist have been accepted by the Division and made a matter of record.

3. I am familiar with the application filed by OXY in this case and have conducted a geologic study of lands in the subject area.

4. In **Case No. 22928**, OXY is targeting the Bone Spring Formation.

5. **OXY Exhibit D-1** is a locator map depicting OXY's proposed spacing unit in this case. Existing producing wells in the Bone Spring formation are also depicted. The approximate wellbore path for the proposed initial well is shown with dashed lines.

6. **OXY Exhibit D-2** shows a subsea structure map that I prepared for the top of the Bone Spring formation (**Exhibit D-2a**). The contour intervals are at 50-foot intervals. The approximate wellbore path for the proposed initial well is depicted with dashed lines. This map shows that the Bone Spring formation gently dips from West to East. I do not observe any

faulting, pinchouts, or other geologic impediments to developing the targeted intervals with horizontal wells in the area of the proposed spacing unit.

7. **OXY Exhibit D-3** overlays a cross-section line consisting of 4 wells penetrating the Bone Spring formation (**Exhibit D-3a**) that I used to construct a structural cross section from A to A'. I chose the logs from these wells to create the cross section because they penetrate the targeted intervals, are of good quality, and are representative of the geology in the subject area.

8. **OXY Exhibit D-4** is a stratigraphic cross-section using the representative wells depicted in the previous exhibit. Each well in the cross-section contains gamma ray and resistivity logs. The proposed target interval within the Bone Spring formation is labeled on the exhibit. The cross-section demonstrates that the targeted interval is continuous and consistent in thickness across the proposed spacing units.

9. Based on my geologic study of the area, I have not identified any geologic impediments to drilling horizontal wells in the area of the proposed spacing unit. Horizontal drilling will be the most efficient method to develop this acreage to prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells and will result in the greatest ultimate recovery.

10. In my opinion, the orientation of the proposed well is the preferred orientation for horizontal well development in the area and is appropriate to efficiently and effectively develop the subject acreage.

11. Based on my geologic study, the targeted interval underlying the subject area is suitable for development by horizontal wells, and the acreage comprising the proposed spacing unit will contribute more-or-less equally to production from wellbores.

12. Approving OXY's application will be in the best interest of conservation, the prevention of waste, and protection of correlative rights.

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13. OXY Exhibits D-1 through D-4 were either prepared by me or compiled under my direction and supervision.

FURTHER AFFIANT SAYETH NOT.

DANIEL BURNETT

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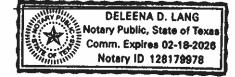
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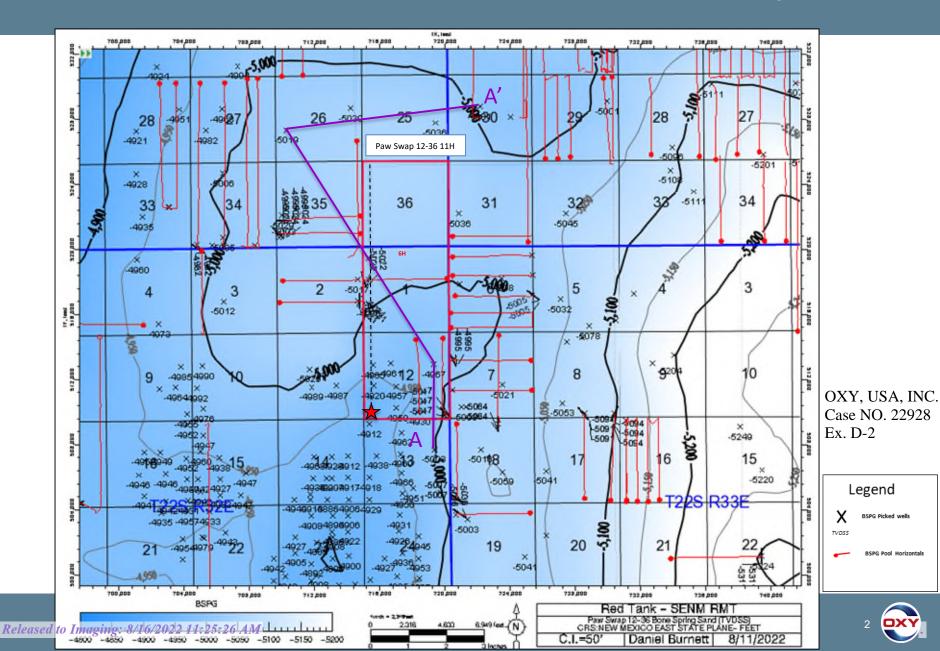
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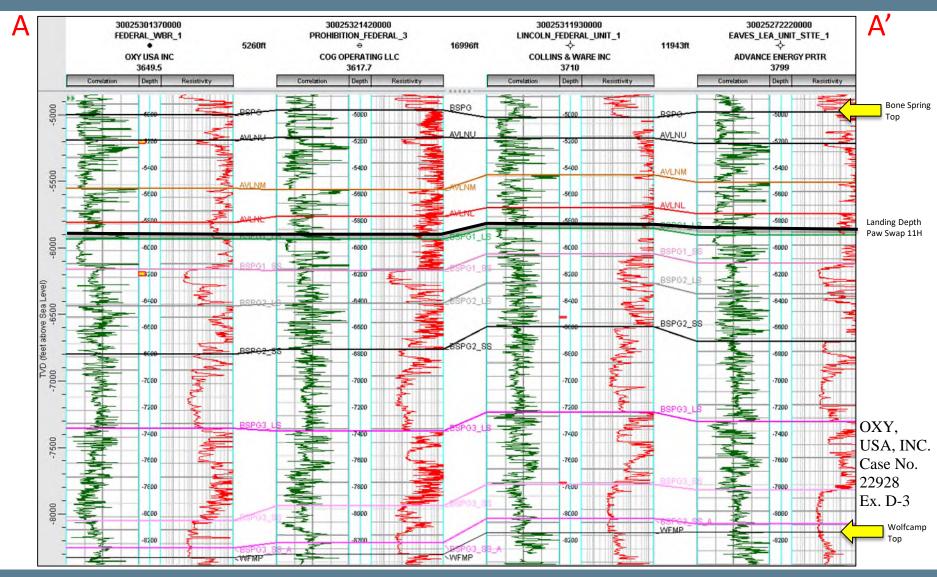
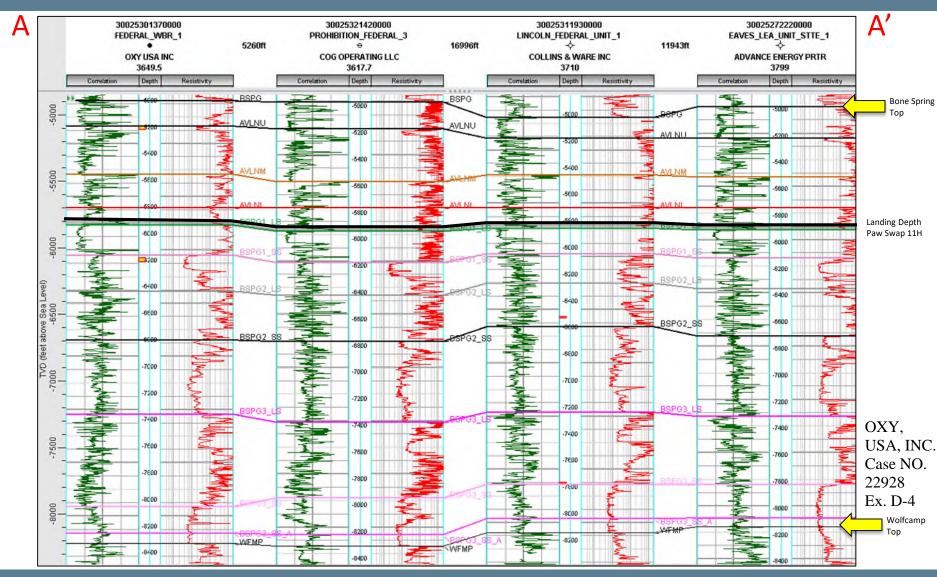




Exhibit D-4: Avalon Flattened Stratigraphic Cross I Section Paw Swap 12-36





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CASE NO. 22928

AFFIDAVIT

STATE OF NEW MEXICO

COUNTY OF SANTA FE)

Scott Woody, attorney in fact and authorized representative of the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states:

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1. The above-referenced application and notice of the hearing on this application was sent by certified mail to the affected parties on the date set forth in the letters attached hereto.

2. The spreadsheet attached hereto contains the names of the parties to whom notice was provided.

3. The spreadsheet attached hereto contains the information provided by the United States Postal Service on the status of the delivery of this notice as of August 11, 2022.

4. I caused a notice to be published to all parties subject to these compulsory pooling on July 12, 2022. An affidavit of publication from the publication's legal clerk with a copy of the notice publication is attached as Exhibit F.

scott Woody

SUBSCRIBED and SWORN to before me on this 15^{+n} day of August 2022 by Scott

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My Commission Expires:



Scott Woody Attorney Direct: (505) 982-9523

July 6, 2022

VIA U.S. CERTIFIED MAIL; RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

COG Operating, LLC 600 W. Illinois Ave. Midland, TX 79701-4882

Re: Application of Oxy USA, Inc. for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico; Case No. 22928

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If you have any questions about this matter, please contact Amber Delach at (713) 552-8502 or at Amber_delach@oxy.com.

Very truly yours,

GALLAGHER & KENNEDY, P.A.

By: <u>/s/ Scott Woody</u> Dalva Moellenberg <u>DLM@gknet.com</u> Christina Wisdom <u>Christina.Wisdom@gknet.com</u> Scott Woody <u>Scott.Woody@gknet.com</u> Attorneys for Oxy USA, Inc.

Oxy USA, Inc.'s Application for Compulsory Pooling in Lea County, NM

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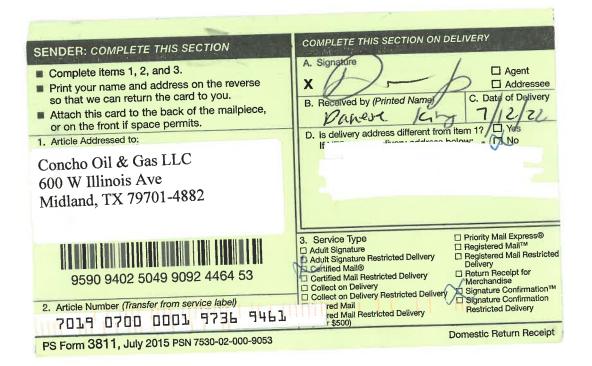
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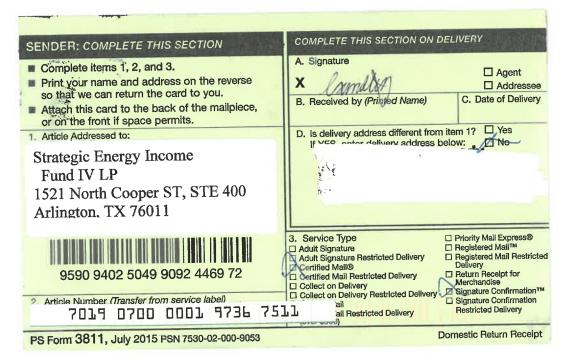
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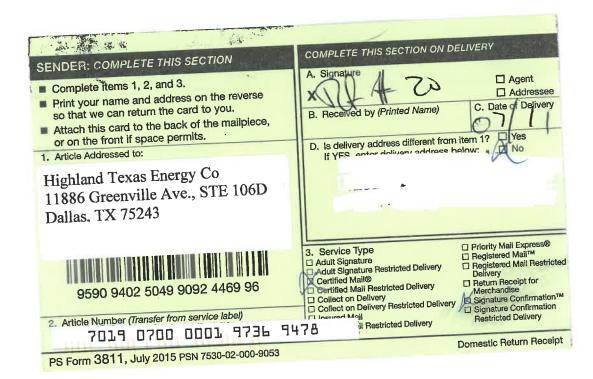
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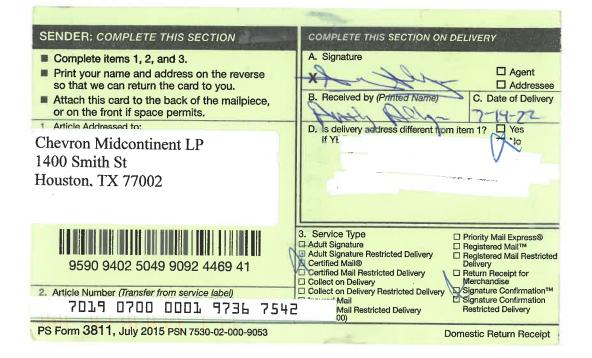


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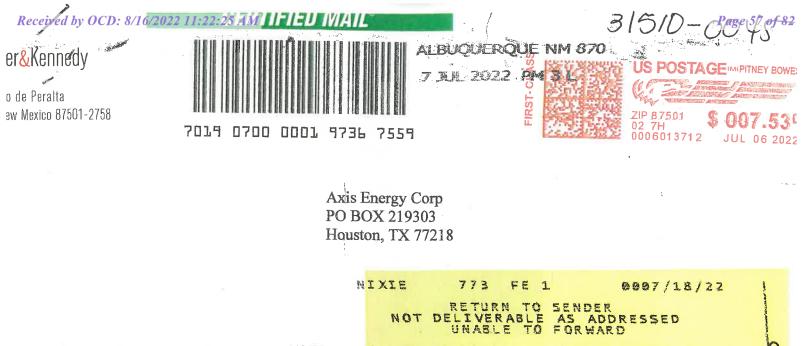
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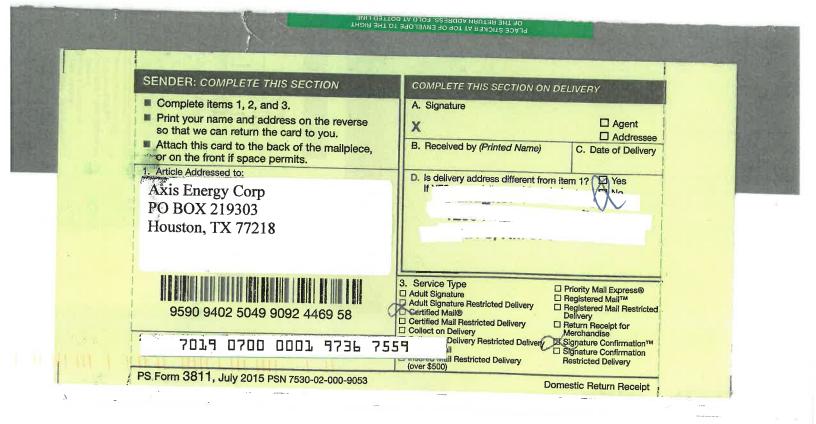
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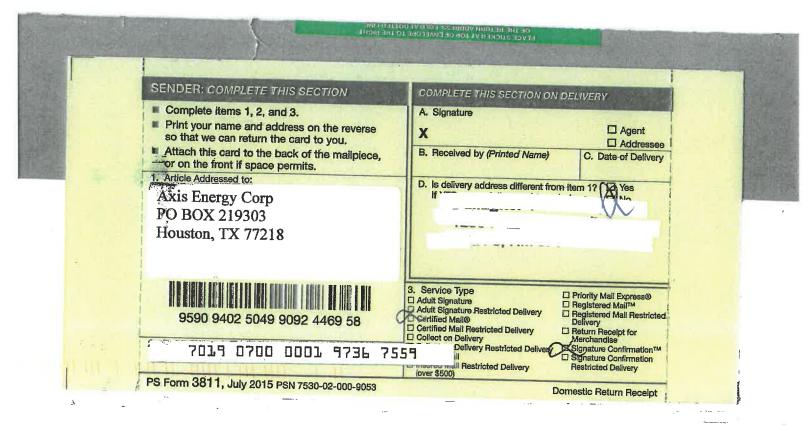
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APPLICATION OF OXY USA INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 22928

APPLICATION

Oxy USA, Inc. ("Applicant"), OGRID No. 16696, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby makes an application to the Oil Conservation Division pursuant to the provisions of NMSA (1978), Section 70-2-17, for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation in a horizontal spacing unit underlying the W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 12, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. In support of its application, Applicant states as follows:

- 1. Applicant is an interest owner in the proposed horizontal spacing unit and has a right to drill a well thereon.
- Applicant seeks to dedicate the W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 2, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico to form a standard 480-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit.
- 3. Applicant proposes to drill the PAW SWAP 12-36 FED COM #11H well to a depth sufficient to test the Bone Spring formation. This well is a horizontal well with a surface location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 13, Township 22 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, and an intended bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East,

NMPM, Lea County. A portion of the well location is within the potash development area.

- 4. This well is proposed to be drilled vertically to a depth of approximately 9,510' to the Bone Spring formation and laterally in a northerly direction within the formation to the referenced bottom hole location.
- 5. This well will be located within the Red Tank; Bone Spring Pool (Pool Code 51683) and will comply with the Division's statewide setback requirements.
- 6. Applicant has in good faith sought, but has been unable to obtain, a voluntary agreement from all other interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed spacing unit to participate in the drilling of the well or to otherwise commit their interest to the well.
- 7. The creation of a horizontal spacing unit and the pooling of all interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on August 4, 2022, and after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter an order:

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 underlying a horizontal spacing unit within the W/2 W/2 of Sections 1 and 12,

Township 22 South, Range 32 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section 36, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico;

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- D. Authorizing Applicant to recover its costs of drilling, equipping and completing the well;
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- F. Setting a 200% charge for the risk in drilling and completing the well in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the well.

Respectfully Submitted,

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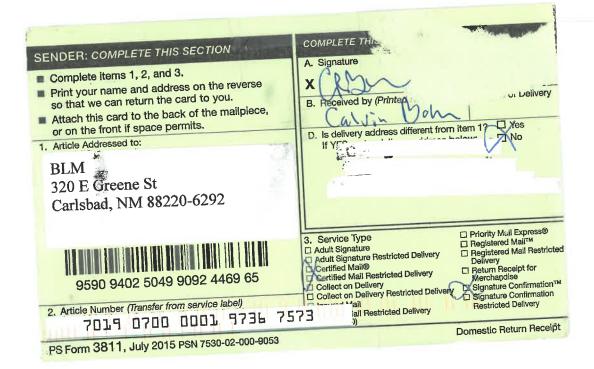
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