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

APPLICATION OF RICHARDSON OPERATING COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING AND AN UNORTHODOX COAL-GAS WELL LOCATION SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

**CASE NO. 13322** 

### CERTIFICATE OF MAILING AND COMPLIANCE WITH ORDER R-8054

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COUNTY OF SANTA FE )

W. Thomas Kellahin, being first duly sworn, hereby certifies that he is an attorney for the Applicant and responsible for notification in this matter and that the notice provisions of Division Rule 1207 (Order R-8054) have been complied with, that Applicant has caused to be conducted a good faith diligent effort to find the correct addresses of all interested parties entitled to receive notice, that on July 28, 2004, he caused to be mailed by certified mail return-receipt requested the attached notice of this hearing and a copy of the application for the above referenced case, at least twenty days prior to the hearing of this case set for September 16, 2004 to the parties shown in said application and as evidenced by the attached copies of return receipt cards and/or receipts of certified mailing, and that pursuant to Division Rule 1207, notice has been given at the correct addresses provided by such rule.

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 15th day of September, 2004, by W. Thomas Kellahin.

Lynda Kellahin, Notary Public

My Commission Expires: June 18, 2008

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BEFORE THE DIVISION OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Case No. 13322

Exhibit # By:Richardson 16, 2004

Submitted By:September 16, 2004

Hearing Date:September 16

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July 28, 2004

### CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURNED RECEIPT REQUESTED

TO: NOTICE OF THE HEARING OF THE FOLLOWING NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION CASE:

Re: Application of Richardson Operating Company

to amend Division Order R-10656-A for compulsory pooling and unorthodox

coal-gas well location, San Juan County, New Mexico

On behalf of Richardson Operating Company, please find enclosed our application to amend Division Order R-10656-A to provide for an optional infill well, at an unorthodox coal-gas well location in the E/2 of Section 15, T29N, R13W which has been set for hearing on the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Examiner's docket now scheduled for August 19, 2004. The hearing will be held at the Division hearing room located at 1220 South Saint Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505.

You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by this application, we are notifying you of your right to appear at the hearing and participate in this case, including the right to present evidence either in support of or in opposition to the application. Failure to appear at the hearing may preclude you from any involvement in this case at a later date.

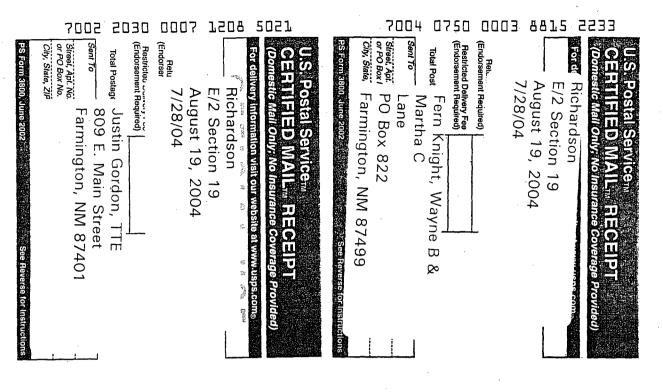
Pursuant Division Rule 1208.B, parties appearing in cases are required to file a Pre-Hearing Statement with the Division not later than 5:00 PM on Friday, August 13, 2004, with a copy delivered to the undersigned. This statement must include: the names of all witnesses the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate time of the party will need to present its case, and identification of any procedural matters that are to be resolved prior the hearing. In addition, the Division will impose a 200% risk charge unless you declare in this Pre-Hearing Statement you intention to oppose it. Please note that the burden of proof as to this issue will be yours.

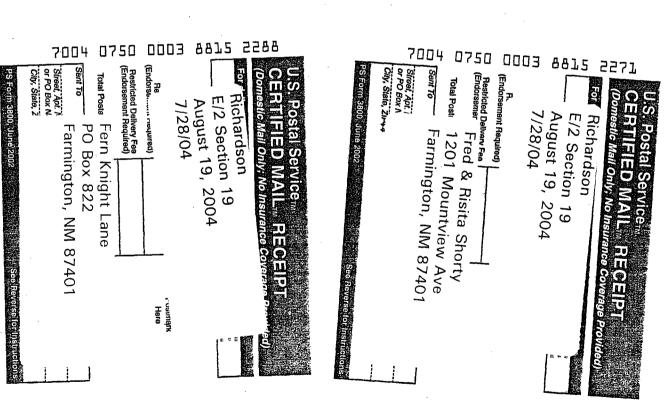
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