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

APPLICATION OF CIMAREX ENERGY CO. FOR APPROVAL OF A NON-STANDARD OIL SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 14,802

## AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE

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STATE OF N	) ss. IEW 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.
3. addresses of t	Applicant has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct he interest owners entitled to receive notice of the application filed herein.
4. by certified n Exhibit A.	Notice of the application was provided to the interest owner, at its correct address, nail. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipt are attached hereto as
5. 19.15.4.9 and	Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rules NMAC 19.15.4.12.C.  James Bruce
SUBS Bruce.	SCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me thisday of March, 2012 by James
My Commiss	Notary Public
	Oil Concernation Division

Exhibit No.

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## CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Dow Chemical Company Attention: Oil & Gas Division 2030 Dow Center Midland, Michigan 48674

Ladies and gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for a non-standard unit and compulsory pooling, filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Cimarex Energy Co., regarding Section 26, Township 20 South, Range 32 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico.

This matter is re-scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, March 1, 2012, in Porter Hall at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. 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, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting the matter at a later date.

A party appearing in a Division case is required by Division Rules to file a Pre-Hearing Statement no later than Thursday, February 23, 2012. This statement must be filed with the Division's Santa Fe office at the above address, and should include: The names of the party and its attorney; a concise statement of the case; the names of the witnesses the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate time the party will need to present its case; and identification of any procedural matters that need to be resolved prior to the hearing. The Pre-Hearing Statement must also be provided to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

James Bruce

Attorney for Cimarex Energy Co.

EXHIBIT A

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