

**DODD FEDERAL UNIT
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

CERTIFICATE OF EFFECTIVENESS

The Oil Conservation Division of the Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department, State of New Mexico, hereby certifies as follows:

1. In accordance with the provisions of the New Mexico Statutory Unitization Act [NMSA 1978, §§ 70-7-1 through 70-7-21 (1978)], the Oil Conservation Division entered Order No. R-12228, dated November 1, 2004, which granted the application of Marbob Energy Corporation for statutory unitization of the Dodd Federal Unit Area comprised of 2,400 acres, more or less, of Federal lands in the Grayburg-Jackson (Seven Rivers-Queen-Grayburg-San Andres) Pool, and the Glorieta and Yeso/Paddock formations, East Empire Yeso Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico.

2. Pursuant to the Statutory Unitization Act, the Dodd Federal Unit becomes effective when the plan of operations approved by the Division has been approved in writing by those persons who will be required initially to pay at least seventy-five percent (75%) of the costs of unit operations and also by the owners of at least seventy-five percent (75%) of the production proceeds therefrom that will be credited to interests free of costs. [NMSA 1978, § 70-7-8.A (1978)]

3. Order No. R-12228 provides that since the required statutory minimum percentage of interest in the Unit Area have approved in writing or ratified the Unit Agreement and the Unit Operating Agreement, the interests of all persons within the Unit Area are hereby unitized whether or not such persons have approved the Unit Agreement or the Unit Operating Agreement. [Order Paragraph (7)]

4. Accordingly, Division Order No. R-12228 is in full force and effect and the unit agreement and unit operating agreement for the Dodd Federal Unit became effective as of November 1, 2004 at 7:00 a.m. Mountain Standard Time for the area known as the Dodd Federal Unit Area.

TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 29 EAST, NMPM

Section 10: E/2, E/2 W/2
 Section 11: All
 Section 14: All
 Section 15: E/2
 Section 22: SE/4, SE/4 SW/4, E/2 NE/4,
 SW/4 NE/4

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, THIS CERTIFICATE IS EXECUTED THIS 30th DAY
OF AUGUST, 2005.

MARK E. FESMIRE, P.E.
DIRECTOR

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Notary Public

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