

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

APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC TO RE-OPEN CASE NO. 15075 TO POOL THE INTEREST OF ADDITIONAL MINERAL AND LEASEHOLD OWNERS UNDER THE TERMS OF COMPULSORY POOLING ORDER R-13791, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 15075 (Re-Opened)

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
) ss.
COUNTY OF SANTA FE)

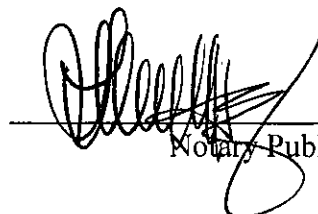
Michael H. Feldewert, attorney in fact and authorized representative of COG Operating LLC the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that the above-referenced Application has been provided under the notice letters and proof of receipts attached hereto.


Michael H. Feldewert

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 1st day of April 2015 by Michael H. Feldewert.



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LISAMARIE ORTIZ
NOTARY PUBLIC-STATE OF NEW MEXICO
My commission expires 04/14/19



Notary Public

**BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION**
Santa Fe, New Mexico
Exhibit No. 8
Submitted by: COG Operating LLC
Hearing Date: April 2, 2015

**COG OPERATING LLC
LEE 3 1H**

Yates Brothers, a Partnership
105 South 4th Street
Artesia, NM 88210
Attn: Jim Ball

Sharbro Energy LLC
104 South 4th Street
Artesia, NM 88210-2177
Attn: Hannah Palomin

Abo Petroleum Corporation
105 South 4th Street
Artesia, NM 88210-2177
Attn: Janet Richardson

MYCO Industries Inc
105 South 4th Street
Artesia, NM 88210-2177
Attn: Janet Richardson

OXY Y-1 Company
5 Greenway Plaza, Suite 110
Houston, TX 77046-0521
Attn: Permian Land Manager

New State Gas LLC
1213 West Third Street
Roswell, NM 88201
Attn Rolla R. Hinkle, III

Yates Industries, LLC
104 South 4th Street
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FLP Trafalgar II, L.P.
4000 E. Third Ave., Suite 600
Foster City, CA 94404-4801

Yates Petroleum Corporation
105 South 4th Street
Artesia, NM 88210-2177

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March 13, 2015

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL
CERTIFIED RECEIPT REQUESTED

TO: PARTIES SUBJECT TO POOLING PROCEEDINGS

**Re: Application of COG Operating LLC To Re-Open Case No. 15075 To Pool
The Interests Of Additional Mineral and Leasehold Owners Under The
Terms Of Compulsory Pooling Order R-13791, Eddy County, New
Mexico.
Lee 3 Fee No. 1H Well**

Ladies & Gentlemen:

This letter is to advise you that COG Operating LLC has filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division. This application will be set for hearing before a Division Examiner at 8:15 a.m. on April 2, 2015. The hearing will be held in Porter Hall in the Oil Conservation Division's Santa Fe Offices 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, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date.

Parties appearing in cases are required by Division Rule 19.15.4.13.B to file a Pre-hearing Statement four days in advance of a scheduled hearing. This statement must be filed at the Division's Santa Fe office at the above specified address and should include: the names of the parties and their attorneys; a concise statement of the case; the names of all 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 are to be resolved prior to the hearing.

If you have any questions about this matter please contact Stuart Dirks, at (432) 685-4354 or sdirks@concho.com.

Sincerely,

for Jordan L. Kessler
ATTORNEY FOR COG OPERATING LLC

Holland & Hart LLP

Phone [505] 988-4421 **Fax** [505] 983-6043 **www.hollandhart.com**

110 North Guadalupe Suite 1 Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501 **Mailing Address** P.O. Box 2208 Santa Fe, NM 87504-2208

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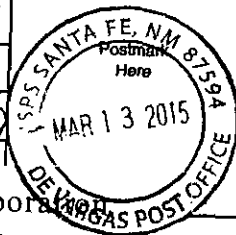
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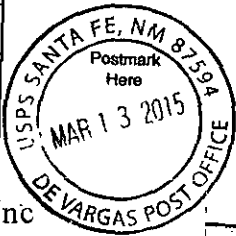
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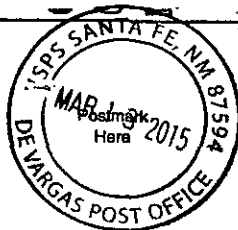
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 Attn: Permian Land Manager

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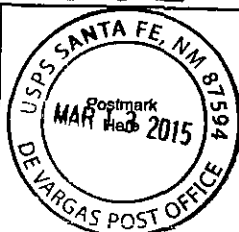
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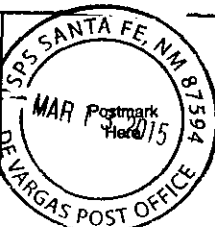
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