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VIA CERTIFIED MAIL

Steve Smith Mewbourne Oil Company 500 West Texas, Suite 1020 Midland, Texas 79707

Re: COG Operating LLC NMOCD Application

Dear Mr. Smith:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for approval of a non-standard spacing and proration unit ("project area") and compulsory pooling that COG Operating LLC ("COG") has filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division ("the Division"). The proposed non-standard spacing and proration unit is comprised of the W/2 NE/4 of Section 33, Township 26 South, Range 28 East and the W/2 E/2 of Section 28, Township 26 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. The location of the proposed project area is orthodox. Mewbourne Oil Company's ("Mewbourne's") interests are not being pooled, but as the operator of an offsetting tract, Mewbourne is entitled to receive notice of COG's application.

COG's application (Division Case No. 15291) is scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, April 30, 2015, in Porter Hall at the Division's offices located at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. Mewbourne is not required to attend the hearing, but as an offset operator, Mewbourne has the right to appear at the hearing and present testimony. If Mewbourne does not appear at the hearing it will be precluded from contesting this matter at a later date.

A party appearing in the case is required by the Division's Rules to file a Pre-Hearing Statement no later than Thursday April 23, 2015. The Pre-Hearing Statement must be filed with the Division's Santa Fe office at the address above, and should include: the name of the party and the party's attorney; a concise statement of the case; the name(s) of the witness(es) the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate amount of time the party will need to present the party's case; and an identification of any procedural matters that need to be resolved prior to the hearing. The Pre-Hearing Statement must also be provided to me.



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Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

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