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

APPLICATION OF RKI EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION TO RE-OPEN CASE NO. 15341 TO AMEND THE SPACING UNIT UNDER THE TERMS OF COMPULSORY POOLING ORDER R-14016, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO, 15341 (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 RKI Exploration and Production, the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that the abovereferenced Application has been provided under the notice letters and proof of receipts attached hereto.

Michael H. Feldewert

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 14th day of October 2015 by Michael H.

Feldewert.



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BEFORE THE OIL CONVERSATION DIVISION Santa Fe, New Mexico Exhibit No. 8 Submitted by: RKI EXPLORATION Hearing Date: October 15, 2015

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September 25, 2015

VIA CERTIFIED MAIL CERTIFIED RECEIPT REQUESTED

TO: ALL INTEREST OWNERS SUBJECT TO POOLING PROCEEDINGS

Re: Application of RKI Exploration And Production To Re-Open Case No. 15341 To Amend The Spacing Unit Under The Terms Of Compulsory Pooling Order R-14016, Eddy County, New Mexico.

Ladies & Gentlemen:

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This letter is to advise you that RKI Exploration and Production 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 October 15, 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 Sam McCurdy, at (405) 987-2226 or SMcCurdy@rkixp.com.

Sincerely,

Jordan L. Kessler RKI Exploration and Production

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TO: OFFSETTING LESSEES AND OPERATORS

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Ladies & Gentlemen:

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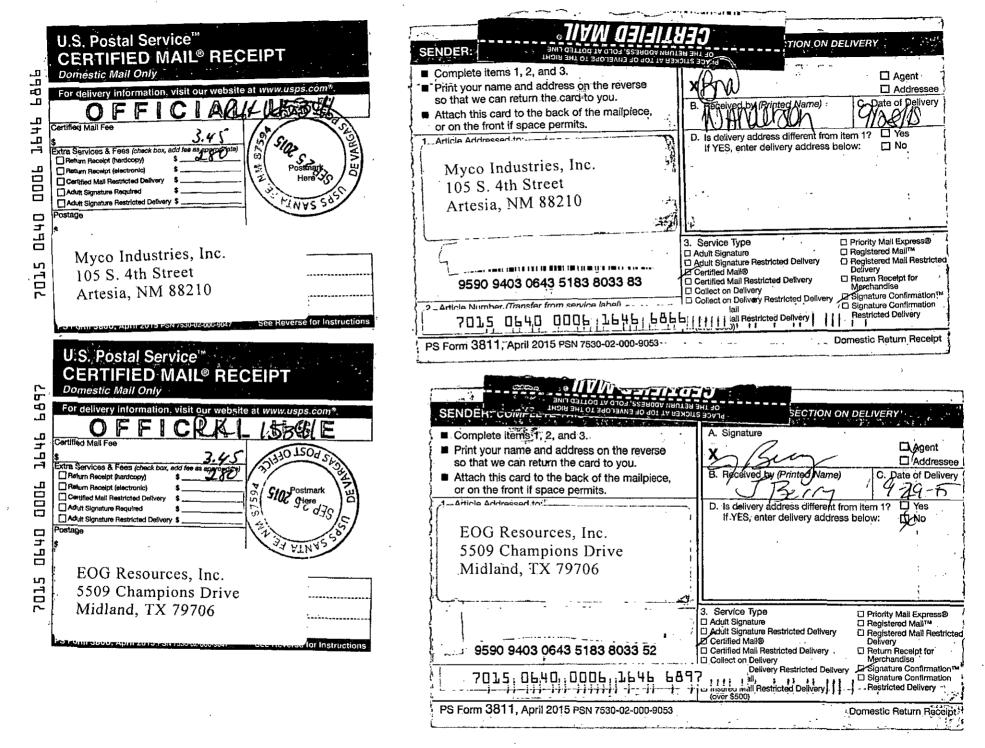
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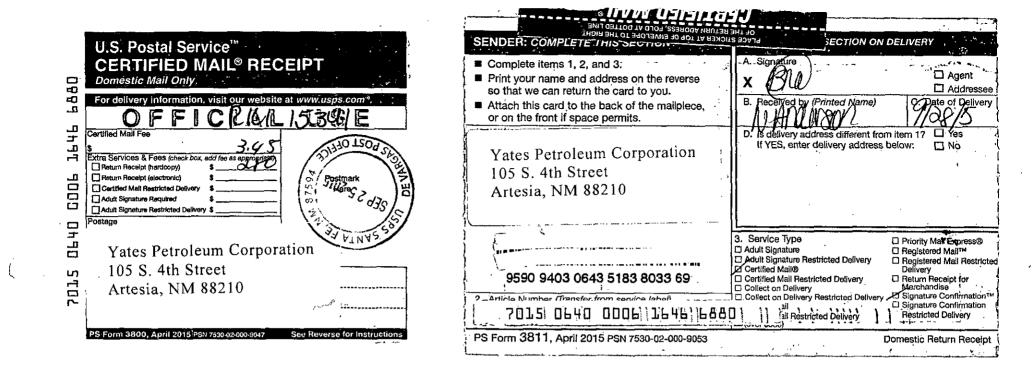
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