May 27, 2015

Laura Hover Parkes 1344 Rossmoyne Avenue Giendale, CA 91207

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RE: Ratification of Communitization Agreement Sneed 9 Fed Com 23H S2N2 of Section 9 and SWNW of Section 10, T17S-R32E Lea County, New Mexico

Ms. Hover:

In accordance with the drilling of the captioned well, enclosed herewith is a copy of the Communitization Agreement which has been executed by COG Operating LLC as Operator. This agreement communitizes United States Lease NMNM 0315712 and numerous Fee leases, insofar as they cover the S2N2 of Section 9, and the SWNW of Section 10, T17S-R32E, as to the top of the Yeso formation to the base of the Blinebry Formation.

Also enclosed herewith are two (2) Ratification and Joinder of Communitization Agreement(s) which have been prepared for execution by you, as an overriding royalty interest owner.

Please secure execution of both originals of this ratification and return one (1) to our office for further handling. A recorded copy of the ratification will be forwarded to you when available.

Should you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at 432-818-2358. Your prompt attention to this request is greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,

COG Operating LLC

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Ashley Roush Landman

BEFORE THE OIL CONVERSATION COMMISSION Santa Fe, New Mexico Exhibit No, 8 Submitted by: COG OPERATING INC. Hearing Date: November 5, 2015

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