

## EXHIBIT A

Attached to and made a part of that certain Joint Operating Agreement dated, May 1, 2008, between Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP, as Operator, and ConocoPhillips Company, BP America Production Company, Kelly Living Trust, Kelly Family Trust, Laurence B. Kelly Living Trust and Laurence C. Kelly Trust, as Non-Operators.

## I. LANDS SUBJECT TO OPERATING AGREEMENT:

Township 31 North, Range 10 West, N.M.P.M., San Juan County, NM

Section 15: E/2

## II. RESTRICTIONS, IF ANY, AS TO DEPTHS OR FORMATIONS:

Limited to the Mesaverde and Dakota formations.

## III. <u>ADDRESSES AND PERCENTAGES OR FRACTIONAL INTERESTS OF</u> <u>PARTIES</u> <u>TO THIS AGREEMENT:</u>

**OPERATOR:** Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP PO Box 4289 Farmington, NM 87499-4289

Working Interest Owners	<u>Mesaverde</u>	<u>Dakota</u>	<b>Approved</b>
Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP PO Box 4289 Farmington, NM 87499-4289	37.500000%	49.890998%	Yes
BP America Production Company Attn: San Juan Land Manager P.O. Box 3092 Houston, TX 77253	37.500000%	37.634100%	Yes

ConocoPhillips Company PO Box 4289 Farmington, NM 87499-4289	0.000000%	12.474902%	Yes
Kelly Living Trust Rosalie H Kelly Trustee P.O. Box 383 Amherst, VA 24521	3.125000%	0.000000%	No
Kelly Family Trust Gregory Kelly Trustee 3526 Bay Berry Ln Malibu, CA 90265	3.125000%	0.000000%	No
Laurence B. Kelly Living Trust 839 Summit Rd Montecito Santa Barbara, CA 93108	6.2500000%	0.000000%	No
Laurence C. Kelly Trust Steve Coldwell Trustee Laurence C. Kelly Dec C/O Coldwell Sclafani & Co 3239 N Verdugo Rd Glendale, CA 91208-1633	12.500000%	0.000000%	Yes

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IV.OIL AND GAS LEASES SUBJECT TO THIS AGREEMENTCOP Lease Number:419813/000Lease Date:August 1, 1951Lease Term:5 years

Kelly A 3E Mesaverde & Dakota



Lessor: Present Lessee of Record: Description of Land Committed:

Number of Acres: Royalty Rate: Percent of ORRI Owners Name and Percent of Working Interest Owners: Agency Number:

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Agency Number:

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Lease Date:

Lessee Term:

USA SF-080517 Payne, Edith A. <u>Township 31 North, Range 10 West, N.M.P.M.</u> E/2 of Section 15 (NENE) 39.75 acres 12.50%

3.50%

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP – 100% NMSF-080517

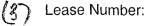
418138/000 May 1, 1950 5 years USA SF-01594 Kelly, Laurence C. <u>Township 31 North, Range 10 West, N.M.P.M.</u> E/2 of Section 15 (NWNE, NW5E, 5/2 SE) 159.11 acres 12.50% 5.50%

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP – 100% NMNM-01594

270662/000 May 1, 1950 5 years USA SF-01594 Kelly, Laurence C. Township 31 North, Range 10 West, N.M.P.M. E/2 of Section 15 (NW NE, NW SE, 5/25E) 159.11 acres 12.50% 5.50% ConocoPhillips Company – 25% Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP – 75% NMNM-01594 Fee lease owned by BP September 27, 1950

HBP

Katherine Reese Shepherd and W.B.Shepherd, her Lessor: husband **BP** America Production Company Present Lessee of Record: Description of Land Committed: SW4 NE4, Section 15, T31N-R10W, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico Number of acres: 40 acres **Royalty Rate:** 12.5% Name and Percent of ORI Owners: None Name and Percent of WI Owners: **BP America Production Company-100%** Recorded: Book 152, Page 154 N/A Agency Number: Fee lease owned by BP Lease Number: 12) Lease Date: September 27, 1950 HBP Lessee Term: Lessor: M. H. Ford and Pauline Ford, husband and wife Present Lessee of Record: **BP** America Production Company S2 NE4, Section 15, T31N-R10W, NMPM, San **Description of Land Committed:** Juan County, New Mexico Number of acres: 80 acres 12.5% **Royalty Rate:** Name and Percent of ORI Owners: None Name and Percent of WI Owners: **BP** America Production Company-100% Recorded: Book 152, Page 156 N/A Agency Number:



Fee lease owned by BP

	Lease Date:	September 27, 1950
	Lessee Term:	HBP
	Lessor:	O.L. Malone and Farrabell Malone, husband and wife
	Present Lessee of Record:	BP America Production Company
	Description of Land Committed:	S2 NE4, Section 15, T31N-R10W, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico
	Number of acres:	80 acres
	Royalty Rate:	12.5%
	Name and Percent of ORI Owners:	None
	Name and Percent of WI Owners:	BP America Production Company-100%
	Recorded:	Book 152, Page 152
	Agency Number:	N/A
(4)	Lease Number:	Fee lease owned by BP
	Lease Date:	September 27, 1950
	Lessee Term:	HBP
	Lessor:	A.F. Reese and Katie Lee Reese, husband and wife
	Present Lessee of Record:	BP America Production Company
	Description of Land Committed:	SE4 NE4, Section 15, T31N-R10W, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico
	Number of acres:	40 acres
	Royalty Rate:	12.5%
	Name and Percent of ORI Owners:	None
	Name and Percent of WI Owners:	BP America Production Company-100%
	Recorded:	Book 152, Page 150
	Agency Number: Lease Number:	N/A Fee lease owned by BP

	Lease Date:	September 27, 1950
	Lessee Term:	HBP
_	Lessor:	G. T. Lackey and Gwen Lackey, husband and wife
	Present Lessee of Record:	BP America Production Company
-	Description of Land Committed:	S2 NE4, Section 15, T31N-R10W, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico
	Number of acres:	80 acres
	Royalty Rate:	12.5%
	Name and Percent of ORI Owners:	None
	Name and Percent of WI Owners:	BP America Production Company-100%
	Recorded:	Book 152, Page 146
	Agency Number:	N/A
(6)	Lease Number:	Fee lease owned by BP
	Lease Date:	September 23, 1950
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	Lessor:	Gladys E. DeJarnette and Leland R. DeJarnette, her husband
	Present Lessee of Record:	BP America Production Company
	Description of Land Committed:	NE4 SE4, Section 15, T31N-R10W, NMPM, San Juan County, New Mexico
	Number of acres:	40 acres
	Royalty Rate:	12.5%
	Name and Percent of ORI Owners:	None
	Name and Percent of WI Owners:	BP America Production Company-100%
	Recorded:	Book 151, Page 573
	Agency Number:	N/A

Kelly A 3E Mesaverde & Dakota