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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR A NON-STANDARD SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 14598

AFFIDAVIT OF MAILING

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COUNTY OF EDDY)	

DAVID R. VANDIVER, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that the notice provisions of Rules 19315.4.9 and 19.15.4.12 NMAC have been complied with, that applicant has caused to be conducted a good-faith diligent effort to find the correct addresses of all interested persons entitled to receive notice with respect to applicant's Application for Compulsory Pooling, and that pursuant to Rules 19.15.4.9 and 19.15.4.12 NMAC, notice has been given at the correct addresses as provided by such rule.

In support hereof, affiant states that a true copy of the Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a Non-Standard Spacing and Proration Unit and Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico, was mailed in accordance with Rules 19.15.4.9 and 19.15.4.12 NMAC, to each known individual owning an interest in the mineral estate

consisting of an uncommitted leasehold interest, an unleased and uncommitted mineral interest, or royalty interest not subject to a pooling or unitization clause in any portion of the lands affected by such application, which interest must be committed and has not been voluntarily committed to the area proposed to be pooled or unitized, in a securely sealed, certified mail, return receipt requested, postage prepaid envelope, addressed to the following parties:

Tom R. Cone P.O. Box 400 Southwest City, Missouri 64863

Kenneth G. Cone P.O. Box 11310 Midland, Texas 79702

Kenneth G. Cone, Trustee of the Trusts created under the Will and Codicil of Kathleen Cone, deceased, f/b/o children of Kenneth G. Cone P.O. Box 11310
Midland, Texas 79702

Cathie Cone McCown P.O. Box 658 Dripping Spring, Texas 78620

Auvenshines's Children's Testamentary Trust Cathie Cone McCown, Trustee P.O. Box 507 Dripping Spring, Texas 78620

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Tulsa, Oklahoma 74101-1588

on the 27th day of January, 2011, as reflected by the copies of the letters transmitting such copies of the application and the return receipts executed on behalf of the addressees, attached hereto.

David R. Vandiver

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 16th day of February, 2011, by David Raw Vandiver.

My commission expires:

Notary Public

VANDIVER & BOWMAN, r. C.

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January 27, 2011

Via Certified Mail - Return Receipt Requested

Auvenshine's Children's Testamentary Trust Ms. Cathie Cone McCown, Trustee P.O. Box 507 Dripping Spring, Texas 78620

> Re: New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Case No. 14598, In the Matter of the Application of Yates Petroleum Corporation for a Non-Standard Spacing and Proration Unit and Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico.

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