

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF OCEAN ENERGY,  
INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 11,959

AFFIDAVIT REGARDING NOTICE

STATE OF NEW MEXICO       )  
COUNTY OF SANTA FE       ) ss.

James Bruce, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states:

1. I am over the age of 18, and have personal knowledge of the matters set forth herein.

2. I am an attorney for Applicant.

3. Applicant has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct addresses of the interest owners entitled to receive notice of the Application filed herein.

4. Notice of the Application was provided to the interest owners at their correct addresses by mailing each of them, by certified mail, a copy of the Application. Copies of the notice letters and certified return receipts are attached hereto as Exhibits W, X, Y, and Z.

5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rule 1207.

James Bruce  
James Bruce

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 11<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1998,  
by James Bruce.

Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

3/12/01

|                           |
|---------------------------|
| BEFORE EXAMINER STOGNER   |
| OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION |
| EXHIBIT NO. <u>8B</u>     |
| CASE NO. _____            |

**JAMES BRUCE**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW

POST OFFICE BOX 1056  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

SUITE B  
612 OLD SANTA FE TRAIL  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

(505) 982-2043  
(505) 982-2151 (FAX)

March 11, 1998

**CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Yates Petroleum Corporation  
Yates Drilling Company  
Abo Petroleum Corporation  
MYCO Industries, Inc.  
105 South Fourth Street  
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Amerind Oil Company, Ltd.  
Suite 500  
415 West Wall Street  
Midland, Texas 79701

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for compulsory pooling filed at the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by UMC Petroleum Corporation regarding the S $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. This application will be heard at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, April 2, 1998 at the Division's offices at 2040 South Pacheco Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. As an interest owner in the well unit, you have the right to appear at the hearing and participate in the case. Failure to appear at the hearing will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

Very truly yours,



James Bruce

Attorney for UMC  
Petroleum Corporation



**SENDER:**

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

Is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

- I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):
- ☐ Addressee's Address
  - ☐ Restricted Delivery
- Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:

Yates Petroleum Co., et al  
105 South Fourth St.  
Artesia, NM 88210

4a. Article Number  
Z 432 549 373

4b. Service Type  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Certified  
☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

7. Date of Delivery  
3-16-98

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name)

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

*X. Pennington*

PS Form 3811, December 1994

Domestic Return Receipt

102595-97-B-0179

US Postal Service

**Receipt for Certified Mail**

No Insurance Coverage Provided.

Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

|                                                             |        |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Sent to                                                     |        |
| Amerind Oil Company Ltd.                                    |        |
| Street & Number                                             |        |
| 415 West Wall Street #500                                   |        |
| Post Office, State, & ZIP Code                              |        |
| Midland, TX 79701                                           |        |
| Postage                                                     | \$ .32 |
| Certified Fee                                               | 1.35   |
| Special Delivery Fee                                        |        |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                     |        |
| Return Receipt Showing Whom & Date Delivered                | 1.10   |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, & Addressee's Address |        |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                        | 2.77   |
| Postmark or Date                                            |        |

PS Form 3800, April 1995

Z 432 549 374

**SENDER:**

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

- I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):
- ☐ Addressee's Address
  - ☐ Restricted Delivery
- Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:

Amerind Oil Company Ltd  
415 West Wall Street #500  
Midland, TX 79701

4a. Article Number  
Z 432 549 374

4b. Service Type  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Certified  
☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

7. Date of Delivery  
3-16-98

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name)

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

*X. Pennington*

PS Form 3811, December 1994

Domestic Return Receipt

102595-97-B-0179

US Postal Service

**Receipt for Certified Mail**

No Insurance Coverage Provided.

Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

|                                                             |        |
|-------------------------------------------------------------|--------|
| Sent to                                                     |        |
| Yates Petroleum Co., et al                                  |        |
| Street & Number                                             |        |
| 105 S. Fourth St.                                           |        |
| Post Office, State, & ZIP Code                              |        |
| Artesia, NM 88210                                           |        |
| Postage                                                     | \$ .32 |
| Certified Fee                                               | 1.35   |
| Special Delivery Fee                                        |        |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                     |        |
| Return Receipt Showing Whom & Date Delivered                | 1.10   |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, & Addressee's Address |        |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                        | 2.77   |
| Postmark or Date                                            |        |

PS Form 3800, April 1995

Z 432 549 373

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

**JAMES BRUCE**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW

POST OFFICE BOX 1056  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

SUITE B  
612 OLD SANTA FE TRAIL  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

(505) 982-2043  
(505) 982-2151 (FAX)

April 8, 1998

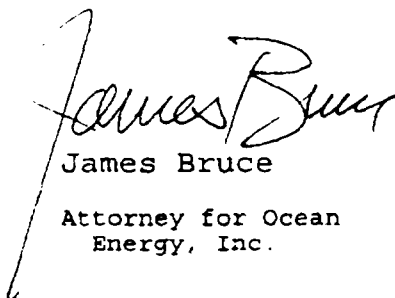
**CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

To: Persons on Exhibit A

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for compulsory pooling filed at the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by UMC Petroleum Corporation (**now known as Ocean Energy, Inc.**) regarding the S½ of Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. This application is scheduled to be heard at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, April 16, 1998 at the Division's offices at 2040 South Pacheco Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. **However, the applicant has requested that the case (No. 11959) be continued to the April 30, 1998 hearing.** As an interest owner in the well unit you have the right to appear at the hearing and participate in the case. Failure to appear at the hearing will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

Very truly yours,

  
James Bruce

Attorney for Ocean  
Energy, Inc.

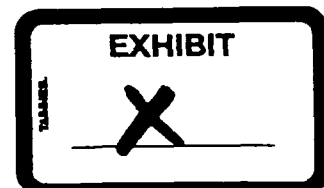


EXHIBIT A

Ameristate Oil & Gas, Inc.  
Ameristate Exploration L.L.C.  
1211 West Texas  
Midland, Texas 79701

John F. Herbig, Jr.  
Suite 280  
One Marienfeld Place  
Midland, Texas 79701

Fuel Products, Inc.  
P.O. Box 3098  
Midland, Texas 79702

Marilyn Cone, Trustee  
P.O. Box 64244  
Lubbock, Texas 79464

Lavena Howard, Trustee  
5221 Ira  
Ft. Worth, Texas 76117

Heirs of Lucretia E. Conlon  
c/o Charles M. Fuchtman  
P.O. Box 10109  
Huntsville, Alabama 35801

Flo Scott Brown  
8610 Miami Avenue  
Midland, Texas 79423

Heirs of Tom Schnaubert  
c/o Mary Irwinsey  
4404 Odessa Avenue  
Ft. Worth, Texas 76117

Constance Cobb Keen  
4915-D 94th Street  
Lubbock, Texas 79424

Dan and Mike Field  
20 Brentwood Circle  
Lubbock, Texas 79407

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**

**US Postal Service**  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
 No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
 Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

**3. Article Addressed to:**  
 Ameristate Oil & Gas, Inc.  
 Ameristate Exploration L.L.C.  
 1211 West Texas  
 Midland, Texas 79701

**4a. Article Number:** Z 432 546 214

**4b. Service Type:**  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

**5. Received By: (Print Name)**  
 X John F. Herbig, Jr.

**6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)**  
 X John F. Herbig, Jr.

**7. Date of Delivery:** 11/15/98

**8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)**

**102595-97-B-0179**

**PS Form 3811, December 1994**

**Domestic Return Receipt**

**Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.**

**US Postal Service**  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
 No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
 Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

**3. Article Addressed to:**  
 John F. Herbig, Jr.  
 Suite 280  
 One Marienfeld Place  
 Midland, Texas 79701

**4a. Article Number:** Z 432 546 214

**4b. Service Type:**  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

**5. Received By: (Print Name)**  
 X John F. Herbig, Jr.

**6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)**  
 X John F. Herbig, Jr.

**7. Date of Delivery:** 11/15/98

**8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)**

**102595-97-B-0179**

**PS Form 3811, December 1994**

**Domestic Return Receipt**

**Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.**

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**

**US Postal Service**  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
 No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
 Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

**3. Article Addressed to:**  
 John F. Herbig, Jr.  
 Suite 280  
 One Marienfeld Place  
 Midland, Texas 79701

**4a. Article Number:** Z 432 546 214

**4b. Service Type:**  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

**5. Received By: (Print Name)**  
 X John F. Herbig, Jr.

**6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)**  
 X John F. Herbig, Jr.

**7. Date of Delivery:** 11/15/98

**8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)**

**102595-97-B-0179**

**PS Form 3811, December 1994**

**Domestic Return Receipt**

**Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.**

**US Postal Service**  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
 No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
 Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

**3. Article Addressed to:**  
 Ameristate Oil & Gas, Inc.  
 Ameristate Exploration L.L.C.  
 1211 West Texas  
 Midland, Texas 79701

**4a. Article Number:** Z 432 546 214

**4b. Service Type:**  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

**5. Received By: (Print Name)**  
 X John F. Herbig, Jr.

**6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)**  
 X John F. Herbig, Jr.

**7. Date of Delivery:** 11/15/98

**8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)**

**102595-97-B-0179**

**PS Form 3811, December 1994**

**Domestic Return Receipt**

**Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.**

**SENDER:**

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

Is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |  |                                                                                    |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 3. Article Addressed to:<br><br>Fuel Products, Inc.<br>P.O. Box 3098<br>Midland, Texas 79702                                                                                                                                                                                     |  | 4a. Article Number<br><b>2432546213</b>                                            |
| 4b. Service Type<br><input type="checkbox"/> Registered<br><input type="checkbox"/> Express Mail<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt for Merchandise<br><input type="checkbox"/> Certified<br><input type="checkbox"/> Insured<br><input type="checkbox"/> COD |  | 7. Date of Delivery<br><b>APR 1 1995</b>                                           |
| 5. Received By: (Print Name)<br><b>James M. Zulu</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  | 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)<br><b>OWN TOWN STA.</b> |
| 6. Signature: (Address or Agent)<br><b>X</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |  |                                                                                    |

PS Form 3811, December 1984 102595-97-B-0179 Domestic Return Receipt

US Postal Service  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

|                                                                                |               |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Sent to<br><br>Marilyn Cone, Trustee<br>P.O. Box 64244<br>Lubbock, Texas 79464 |               |
| Postage                                                                        | <b>\$0.55</b> |
| Certified Fee                                                                  | <b>1.35</b>   |
| Special Delivery Fee                                                           |               |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                                        |               |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered                                | <b>1.10</b>   |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, & Addressee's Address                    | <b>33</b>     |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                                           | <b>\$3.00</b> |
| Postmark or Date                                                               |               |

PS Form 3800, April 1995

Z 432 546 212

**SENDER:**

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |  |                                                                                    |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 3. Article Addressed to:<br><br>Marilyn Cone, Trustee<br>P.O. Box 64244<br>Lubbock, Texas 79464                                                                                                                                                                                  |  | 4a. Article Number<br><b>2432546212</b>                                            |
| 4b. Service Type<br><input type="checkbox"/> Registered<br><input type="checkbox"/> Express Mail<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt for Merchandise<br><input type="checkbox"/> Certified<br><input type="checkbox"/> Insured<br><input type="checkbox"/> COD |  | 7. Date of Delivery<br><b>APR 1 1995</b>                                           |
| 5. Received By: (Print Name)<br><b>Lamarra Wildo</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                             |  | 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)<br><b>OWN TOWN STA.</b> |
| 6. Signature: (Address or Agent)<br><b>X Lamarra Wildo</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  |                                                                                    |

PS Form 3811, December 1984 102595-97-B-0179 Domestic Return Receipt

Is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

US Postal Service  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

|                                                                             |               |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| Sent to<br><br>Fuel Products, Inc.<br>P.O. Box 3098<br>Midland, Texas 79702 |               |
| Postage                                                                     | <b>\$0.55</b> |
| Certified Fee                                                               | <b>1.35</b>   |
| Special Delivery Fee                                                        |               |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                                     |               |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered                             | <b>1.10</b>   |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, & Addressee's Address                 | <b>33</b>     |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                                        | <b>\$3.00</b> |
| Postmark or Date                                                            |               |

PS Form 3800, April 1995

Z 432 546 213

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**

**US Postal Service**  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
 No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
 Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

**3. Article Addressed to:**  
 Lavena Howard, Trustee  
 5221 Ira  
 Ft. Worth, Texas 76117

**4a. Article Number**  
 Z21155380

**4b. Service Type**  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Certified  
☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

**7. Date of Delivery**  
 4-14-98

**8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)**  
 Lavena Howard, Trustee  
 5221 Ira  
 Ft. Worth, Texas 76117

**5. Received By (Print Name)**  
 Lavena Howard

**6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)**  
 Lavena Howard

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**  
 102595-97-B-0179

**Domestic Return Receipt**

**Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.**

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**

**US Postal Service**  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
 No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
 Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

**3. Article Addressed to:**  
 Lavena Howard, Trustee  
 5221 Ira  
 Ft. Worth, Texas 76117

**4a. Article Number**  
 Z21155380

**4b. Service Type**  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Certified  
☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

**7. Date of Delivery**  
 4-14-98

**8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)**  
 Lavena Howard, Trustee  
 5221 Ira  
 Ft. Worth, Texas 76117

**5. Received By (Print Name)**  
 Lavena Howard

**6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)**  
 Lavena Howard

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**  
 102595-97-B-0179

**Domestic Return Receipt**

**Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.**

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**

**US Postal Service**  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
 No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
 Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

**3. Article Addressed to:**  
 Heirs of Lucretia E. Conlon  
 c/o Charles M. Fuchtmann  
 P.O. Box 10109  
 Huntsville, Alabama 35801

**4a. Article Number**  
 Z21155379

**4b. Service Type**  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Certified  
☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

**7. Date of Delivery**  
 4/14/98

**8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)**  
 Heirs of Lucretia E. Conlon  
 c/o Charles M. Fuchtmann  
 P.O. Box 10109  
 Huntsville, Alabama 35801

**5. Received By (Print Name)**  
 CHARLES FUCHTMAN

**6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)**  
 Charles M. Fuchtmann

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**  
 102595-97-B-0179

**Domestic Return Receipt**

**Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.**

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**

**US Postal Service**  
**Receipt for Certified Mail**  
 No Insurance Coverage Provided.  
 Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

**SENDER:**  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.  
 Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.  
 Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.  
 The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

**3. Article Addressed to:**  
 Heirs of Lucretia E. Conlon  
 c/o Charles M. Fuchtmann  
 P.O. Box 10109  
 Huntsville, Alabama 35801

**4a. Article Number**  
 Z21155379

**4b. Service Type**  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Certified  
☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

**7. Date of Delivery**  
 4/14/98

**8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)**  
 Heirs of Lucretia E. Conlon  
 c/o Charles M. Fuchtmann  
 P.O. Box 10109  
 Huntsville, Alabama 35801

**5. Received By (Print Name)**  
 CHARLES FUCHTMAN

**6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)**  
 Charles M. Fuchtmann

**PS Form 3800, April 1995**  
 102595-97-B-0179

**Domestic Return Receipt**

**Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.**



**JAMES BRUCE**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW

POST OFFICE BOX 1056  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

**APR 20 1998**

1ST NOTICE  
2ND NOTICE  
RETURN

Fold at line over top of envelope to  
the right of the return address

**CERTIFIED**

KEEN915 794241061 IN 03 04/13/98  
RETURN TO SENDER

Z 211 1

NO FORWARD ORDER ON FILE  
UNABLE TO FORWARD  
RETURN TO SENDER

**MAIL**

Constance Cobb Keen

*Forward to:*

*2815 Bishop Dr.  
Bloomington, IN 47404*

Z 211 155 373

US Postal Service

**Receipt for Certified Mail**

No Insurance Coverage Provided.

Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

|                                                                   |         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| Sent to                                                           |         |
| Constance Cobb Keen<br>4915-D 94th Street<br>Lubbock, Texas 79424 |         |
| Postage                                                           | \$ 0.55 |
| Certified Fee                                                     | 1.35    |
| Special Delivery Fee                                              | 8       |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                           | 1.11    |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered                   | 3/18/98 |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, & Addressee's Address       |         |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                              | \$ 3.00 |
| Postmark or Date                                                  |         |

PS Form 3800, April 1995

**SENDER:**

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):

- ☐ Addressee's Address
- ☐ Restricted Delivery

Consult postmaster for fee.

3. Article Addressed to:

Dan and Mike Field  
20 Brentwood Circle  
Lubbock, Texas 79407

4a. Article Number

Z 21155374

4b. Service Type

- ☐ Registered
- ☐ Express Mail
- ☒ Certified
- ☐ Insured
- ☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise
- ☐ COD

7. Date of Delivery

APR 13 1998

5. Received By: (Print Name)

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

6. Signature: (Addressee's Signature)

X

PS Form 3800, April 1995

Domestic Return Receipt

102595-97-8-0179

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

Z 211 155 374

US Postal Service

**Receipt for Certified Mail**

No Insurance Coverage Provided.

Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

|                                                                   |         |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| Sent to                                                           |         |
| Dan and Mike Field<br>20 Brentwood Circle<br>Lubbock, Texas 79407 |         |
| Postage                                                           | \$ 0.95 |
| Certified Fee                                                     | 1.35    |
| Special Delivery Fee                                              |         |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                           |         |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered                   | 10      |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, & Addressee's Address       |         |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                              | \$ 3.00 |
| Postmark or Date                                                  |         |

PS Form 3800, April 1995

**JAMES BRUCE**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW

POST OFFICE BOX 1056  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

SUITE B  
612 OLD SANTA FE TRAIL  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

(505) 982-2043  
(505) 982-2151 (FAX)

April 10, 1998

**CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

To: Persons on Exhibit A

Dear Sirs:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for compulsory pooling filed at the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by UMC Petroleum Corporation (now known as Ocean Energy, Inc.) regarding the S½ of Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. This application is scheduled to be heard at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, April 16, 1998 at the Division's offices at 2040 South Pacheco Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. **However, the applicant has requested that the case (No. 11959) be continued to the May 14, 1998 hearing.** Recent title information indicates that you may own an interest in the proposed well unit. As an interest owner you have the right to appear at the hearing and participate in the case. Failure to appear at the hearing will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

Very truly yours,

  
James Bruce  
Attorney for Ocean  
Energy, Inc.



EXHIBIT A

Mark L. Shidler, Inc.  
1010 Lamar, Suite 500  
Houston, Texas 77002

Roy G. Barton, Jr., Trustee  
P. O. Box 978  
Hobbs, New Mexico 88241-0978

Bristol Resources Corporation  
6655 S. Lewis, Suite 200  
Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136

Clifford Cone  
P. O. Drawer 1629  
Lovington, New Mexico 88260-1629

Kenneth G. Cone  
P. O. Box 11310  
Midland, Texas 79702-8310

S. E. Cone, Jr.  
P. O. Box 10321  
Lubbock, Texas 79408-3321

A. L. Cone Partnership  
P. O. Box 3457  
Lubbock, Texas 79452-3457

Five States 1995-B, Ltd.  
4925 Greenville Avenue, Suite 1220  
Dallas, Texas 75206

Five States 1995-D, Ltd.  
4925 Greenville Avenue, Suite 1220  
Dallas, Texas 75206

Marjorie Cone Kastman  
P. O. Box 5930  
Lubbock, Texas 79408-5930

Katherine Cone Keck  
1801 Avenue of Stars, Suite 446  
Los Angeles, California 90067-5906

PS Form 3800, March 1993

**SENDER:**

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

3. Article Addressed to:

Mark L. Shidler, Inc.  
1010 Lamar, Suite 500  
Houston, Texas 77002

4a. Article Number: 7194 413 266

4b. Service Type:

☒ Registered ☒ Certified  
☐ Express Mail ☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise ☐ COD

7. Date of Delivery: 4-13-98

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name) C. Miller

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent) X C. Miller

Postage: \$ 0.55

Certified Fee: 1.35

Special Delivery Fee:

Restricted Delivery Fee:

Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered: 1-10

Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address:

TOTAL Postage & Fees: 3.00

Postmark or Date: APR 10 1998

Z 194 413 267



# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

## SENDER:

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

3. Article Addressed to:

Mark L. Shidler, Inc.  
1010 Lamar, Suite 500  
Houston, Texas 77002

4a. Article Number

7194 413 266

4b. Service Type

- ☒ Registered ☒ Certified  
☐ Express Mail ☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise ☐ COD

7. Date of Delivery

4-13-98

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name)

C. Miller

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

X C. Miller

PS Form 3811, December 1994

102595-97-B-0179

Domestic Return Receipt

## SENDER:

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

3. Article Addressed to:

Roy G. Barton, Jr., Trustee  
P. O. Box 978  
Hobbs, New Mexico 88241-0978

4a. Article Number

7194 413 267

4b. Service Type

- ☐ Registered ☒ Certified  
☐ Express Mail ☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise ☐ COD

7. Date of Delivery

4-14-98

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name)

J. ISBELL

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

J. ISBELL

PS Form 3811, December 1994

102595-97-B-0179

Domestic Return Receipt

PS Form 3800, March 1993

**SENDER:**

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

3. Article Addressed to:

Mark L. Shidler, Inc.  
1010 Lamar, Suite 500  
Houston, Texas 77002

4a. Article Number: 7194 413 266

4b. Service Type:

☒ Registered ☒ Certified  
☐ Express Mail ☐ Insured  
☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise ☐ COD

7. Date of Delivery: 4-13-98

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

5. Received By: (Print Name)

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

Postage: \$ 0.55

Certified Fee: 1.35

Special Delivery Fee:

Restricted Delivery Fee:

Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered: 1-10

Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address:

TOTAL Postage & Fees: 3.00

Postmark or Date: APR 10 1998



# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

Z 194 413 266

Sent to

Mark L. Shidler, Inc.  
1010 Lamar, Suite 500  
Houston, Texas 77002

Postage

\$ 0.55

Certified Fee

1.35

Special Delivery Fee

Restricted Delivery Fee

Return Receipt Showing to Whom &amp; Date Delivered

1-10

Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address

TOTAL Postage &amp; Fees

3.00

Postmark or Date

APR 10 1998

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

PS Form 3800, March 1993

**SENDER:**  
 I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):  
 1. ☐ Addressee's Address  
 2. ☐ Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

Sent to  
 Clifford Cone  
 P. O. Drawer 1629  
 Lovington, New Mexico 88260-1629

Postage \$ 0.55  
 Certified Fee 1.35  
 Special Delivery Fee  
 Restricted Delivery Fee

Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address  
 TOTAL Postage & Fees  
 Postmark or Date

4a. Article Number Z 194 413 269  
 4b. Service Type  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD  
 7. Date of Delivery

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
 X Clifford Cone

3. Article Addressed to:  
 Bristol Resources Corporation  
 6655 S. Lewis, Suite 200  
 Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)



# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
 Do not use for International Mail  
 (See Reverse)

Z 194 413 269

## SENDER:

I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):  
 1. ☐ Addressee's Address  
 2. ☐ Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

Sent to  
 Bristol Resources Corporation  
 6655 S. Lewis, Suite 200  
 Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136

Postage \$ 0.55  
 Certified Fee 1.35  
 Special Delivery Fee  
 Restricted Delivery Fee

Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address  
 TOTAL Postage & Fees  
 Postmark or Date

4a. Article Number Z 194 413 268  
 4b. Service Type  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD  
 7. Date of Delivery

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
 X Clifford Cone

3. Article Addressed to:  
 Bristol Resources Corporation  
 6655 S. Lewis, Suite 200  
 Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

PS Form 3800, March 1993

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

## SENDER:

I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):  
 1. ☐ Addressee's Address  
 2. ☐ Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

Sent to  
 Clifford Cone  
 P. O. Drawer 1629  
 Lovington, New Mexico 88260-1629

Postage \$ 0.55  
 Certified Fee 1.35  
 Special Delivery Fee  
 Restricted Delivery Fee

Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address  
 TOTAL Postage & Fees  
 Postmark or Date

4a. Article Number Z 194 413 269  
 4b. Service Type  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD  
 7. Date of Delivery

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
 X Clifford Cone

3. Article Addressed to:  
 Clifford Cone  
 P. O. Drawer 1629  
 Lovington, New Mexico 88260-1629

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

PS Form 3800, March 1993



# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
 Do not use for International Mail  
 (See Reverse)

Z 194 413 268

PS Form 3800, March 1993

Sent to  
 Bristol Resources Corporation  
 6655 S. Lewis, Suite 200  
 Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136

Postage \$ 0.55  
 Certified Fee 1.35  
 Special Delivery Fee  
 Restricted Delivery Fee

Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address  
 TOTAL Postage & Fees  
 Postmark or Date

4a. Article Number Z 194 413 268  
 4b. Service Type  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD  
 7. Date of Delivery

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
 6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
 X Clifford Cone

3. Article Addressed to:  
 Bristol Resources Corporation  
 6655 S. Lewis, Suite 200  
 Tulsa, Oklahoma 74136

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

PS Form 3811, December 1994

PS Form 3800, March 1993



# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

|                                                                 |             |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| S. B. Cone, Jr.<br>P. O. Box 10321<br>Lubbock, Texas 79408-3321 |             |
| Postage                                                         | \$ 0.55     |
| Certified Fee                                                   | 1.35        |
| Special Delivery Fee                                            |             |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                         |             |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered                 |             |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address   |             |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                            | \$ 3.30     |
| Postmark or Date                                                | APR 10 1998 |

2 194 413 271

Is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

## SENDER:

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

### 3. Article Addressed to:

Kenneth G. Cone  
P. O. Box 11310  
Midland, Texas 79702-8310

### 4a. Article Number

2194 413 270

### 4b. Service Type

- ☐ Registered ☒ Certified  
☐ Express Mail ☐ Insured  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise ☐ COD

### 7. Date of Delivery

4-14-98

### 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

### 5. Received By: (Print Name)

K. Shapiro  
K. Shapiro

### 6. Signature (Addressee or Agent)

K. Shapiro

PS Form 3811, December 1994

102595-97-B-0179 Domestic Return Receipt

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

## SENDER:

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

### 3. Article Addressed to:

S. B. Cone, Jr.  
P. O. Box 10321  
Lubbock, Texas 79408-3321

### 4a. Article Number

2194 413 271

### 4b. Service Type

- ☐ Registered ☒ Certified  
☐ Express Mail ☐ Insured  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise ☐ COD

### 7. Date of Delivery

APR 15 1998

### 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)

### 5. Received By: (Print Name)

- I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):

1. ☐ Addressee's Address  
2. ☐ Restricted Delivery  
Consult postmaster for fee.

PS Form 3800, March 1993

|                                                                            |             |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------|
| Sent to<br>Kenneth G. Cone<br>P. O. Box 11310<br>Midland, Texas 79702-8310 |             |
| Postage                                                                    | \$ 0.55     |
| Certified Fee                                                              | 1.35        |
| Special Delivery Fee                                                       |             |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                                    |             |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered                            | 1.10        |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address              |             |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                                       | \$ 3.00     |
| Postmark or Date                                                           | APR 10 1998 |

# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

2 194 413 270



Is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

PS Form 3811, December 1994

PS

PS Form 3800, March 1993



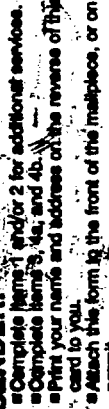
# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |  |                                                                                                    |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| SENDER:<br><input type="checkbox"/> Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.<br><input type="checkbox"/> The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered. |  | 4a. Article Number<br><b>7 194 413 273</b>                                                         |
| 4b. Service Type<br><input type="checkbox"/> Registered<br><input type="checkbox"/> Express Mail<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt for Merchandise                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  | 5. Received By: (Print Name)<br><b>Betty Petree</b>                                                |
| 6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)<br><b>X Betty Petree</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                  |  | 7. Date of Delivery<br><b>APR 10 1998</b>                                                          |
| 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)<br>Five States 1995-B, Ltd.<br>4925 Greenville Avenue, Suite 1220<br>Dallas, Texas 75206                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  | 9. Article Addressed to:<br>A. L. Cone Partnership<br>P. O. Box 34576<br>Lubbock, Texas 79452-3457 |
| Postage<br><b>\$0.55</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |  | Certified Fee<br><b>1.35</b>                                                                       |
| Special Delivery Fee                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |  | Restricted Delivery Fee                                                                            |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered<br><b>1.10</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  | Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address                                      |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees<br><b>2.00</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  | Postmark or Date<br><b>APR 10 1998</b>                                                             |

7 194 413 273

PS Form 3800, March 1993



# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

|                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                              |  |                                                                                                    |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| SENDER:<br><input type="checkbox"/> Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.<br><input type="checkbox"/> Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.<br><input type="checkbox"/> The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered. |  | 4a. Article Number<br><b>7 194 413 273</b>                                                         |
| 4b. Service Type<br><input type="checkbox"/> Registered<br><input type="checkbox"/> Express Mail<br><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Return Receipt for Merchandise                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |  | 5. Received By: (Print Name)<br><b>B. Hanson</b>                                                   |
| 6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)<br><b>X B. Hanson</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |  | 7. Date of Delivery<br><b>APR 10 1998</b>                                                          |
| 8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)<br>Five States 1995-B, Ltd.<br>4925 Greenville Avenue, Suite 1220<br>Dallas, Texas 75206                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  | 9. Article Addressed to:<br>A. L. Cone Partnership<br>P. O. Box 34576<br>Lubbock, Texas 79452-3457 |
| Postage<br><b>\$0.55</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                     |  | Certified Fee<br><b>1.35</b>                                                                       |
| Special Delivery Fee                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                         |  | Restricted Delivery Fee                                                                            |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered<br><b>1.10</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                               |  | Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address                                      |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees<br><b>2.00</b>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |  | Postmark or Date<br><b>APR 10 1998</b>                                                             |

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):  
 1. ☐ Addressee's Address  
 2. ☐ Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

4a. Article Number  
**7 194 413 273**

4b. Service Type  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
**B. Hanson**

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
**X B. Hanson**

7. Date of Delivery  
**APR 10 1998**

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)  
 Five States 1995-B, Ltd.  
 4925 Greenville Avenue, Suite 1220  
 Dallas, Texas 75206

9. Article Addressed to:  
 A. L. Cone Partnership  
 P. O. Box 34576  
 Lubbock, Texas 79452-3457

Postage  
**\$0.55**

Certified Fee  
**1.35**

Special Delivery Fee  
 Restricted Delivery Fee  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered  
**1.10**  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address  
 TOTAL Postage & Fees  
**2.00**  
 Postmark or Date  
**APR 10 1998**

PS Form 3800, March 1993



# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

|                                                                                                    |                    |
|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| A. L. Cone Partnership<br>P. O. Box 34576<br>Lubbock, Texas 79452-3457<br>F.U., State and ZIP Code |                    |
| Postage                                                                                            | <b>\$0.55</b>      |
| Certified Fee                                                                                      | <b>1.35</b>        |
| Special Delivery Fee                                                                               |                    |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                                                            |                    |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered                                                    | <b>1.10</b>        |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address                                      |                    |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                                                               | <b>2.00</b>        |
| Postmark or Date                                                                                   | <b>APR 10 1998</b> |

7 194 413 272

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):  
 1. ☐ Addressee's Address  
 2. ☐ Restricted Delivery  
 Consult postmaster for fee.

4a. Article Number  
**7 194 413 272**

4b. Service Type  
☐ Registered  
☐ Express Mail  
☒ Return Receipt for Merchandise  
☐ COD

5. Received By: (Print Name)  
**Betty Petree**

6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)  
**X Betty Petree**

7. Date of Delivery  
**APR 10 1998**

8. Addressee's Address (Only if requested and fee is paid)  
 A. L. Cone Partnership  
 P. O. Box 34576  
 Lubbock, Texas 79452-3457

9. Article Addressed to:  
 A. L. Cone Partnership  
 P. O. Box 34576  
 Lubbock, Texas 79452-3457

Postage  
**\$0.55**

Certified Fee  
**1.35**

Special Delivery Fee  
 Restricted Delivery Fee  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered  
**1.10**  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Addressee's Address  
 TOTAL Postage & Fees  
**2.00**  
 Postmark or Date  
**APR 10 1998**

Domestic Return Receipt

102595-97-B-0179

PS Form 3811, December 1994

Domestic Return Receipt

102595-97-B-0179

PS Form 3811, December 1994

PS Form 3800, March 1993

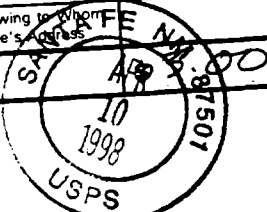


# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

Marjorie Cone Kastman  
P. O. Box 5930  
Lubbock, Texas 79408-5930  
P.O., State and ZIP Code

|                                                              |          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| Postage                                                      | \$0.55   |
| Certified Fee                                                | 1.35     |
| Special Delivery Fee                                         |          |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                      |          |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered              | 1.10     |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom Date, and Addressee's Address |          |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                         | 10578.00 |
| Postmark or Date                                             | 10 1998  |



## SENDER:

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

Is your RETURN ADDRESS completed on the reverse side?

## 3. Article Addressed to:

Five States 1995-D, Ltd.  
4925 Greenville Avenue, Suite 1220  
Dallas, Texas 75206

## 4a. Article Number

194 413 274

## 4b. Service Type

- ☐ Registered
- ☐ Express Mail
- ☒ Certified
- ☐ Insured
- ☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise
- ☐ COD

## 7. Date of Delivery

4/13/98

## 5. Received By: (Print Name)

## 6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

X Stephen Hanson

PS Form 3811, December 1984

102595-97-B-0179

Domestic Return Receipt

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

Thank you for using Return Receipt Service.

## SENDER:

- Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.
- Complete items 3, 4a, and 4b.
- Print your name and address on the reverse of this form so that we can return this card to you.
- Attach this form to the front of the mailpiece, or on the back if space does not permit.
- Write "Return Receipt Requested" on the mailpiece below the article number.
- The Return Receipt will show to whom the article was delivered and the date delivered.

I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):

- ☐ Addressee's Address
- ☐ Restricted Delivery
- Consult postmaster for fee.

## 3. Article Addressed to:

Marjorie Cone Kastman  
P. O. Box 5930  
Lubbock, Texas 79408-5930

## 4a. Article Number

194 413 275

## 4b. Service Type

- ☐ Registered
- ☐ Express Mail
- ☒ Certified
- ☐ Insured
- ☐ Return Receipt for Merchandise
- ☐ COD

## 7. Date of Delivery

## 5. Received By: (Print Name)

## 6. Signature: (Addressee or Agent)

X Marjorie Cone Kastman

PS Form 3811, December 1984

102595-97-B-0179

Domestic Return Receipt



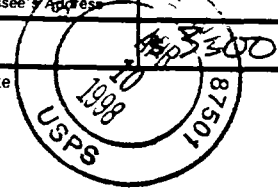
# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
Do not use for International Mail  
(See Reverse)

Five States 1995-D, Ltd.  
4925 Greenville Avenue, Suite 1220  
Dallas, Texas 75206

PS Form 3800, March 1993

|                                                              |          |
|--------------------------------------------------------------|----------|
| P.O., State and ZIP Code                                     |          |
| Postage                                                      | \$0.55   |
| Certified Fee                                                | 1.35     |
| Special Delivery Fee                                         |          |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                      |          |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered              | 1.10     |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom Date, and Addressee's Address |          |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                         | 10578.00 |
| Postmark or Date                                             | 10 1998  |



2 194 413 274

ENDER...  
 Complete items 1 and/or 2 for additional services.  
 Complete items 3 and 4a & b.  
 Attach your name and address on the reverse of this form to the return  
 postage card to you.  
 Attach this form to the front of the package.  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered  
 Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Address of Addressee

1. I also wish to receive the following services (for an extra fee):  
 Restricted Delivery  
 Certified Mail (for fee)  
 Return Receipt for Merchandise

2. Addressee's Address  
 Katherine Cone Keck  
 1801 Avenue of Stars, Suite 446  
 Los Angeles, California 90067-5906

3. Return Receipt for Merchandise (Only if required)  
 7-11-1998 APR 19 1998

4. Addressee's Address (Only if required)  
 Katherine Cone Keck  
 1801 Avenue of Stars, Suite 446  
 Los Angeles, California 90067-5906

Z 194 413 276



# Receipt for Certified Mail

No Insurance Coverage Provided  
 Do not use for International Mail  
 (See Reverse)

PS Form 3800, March 1993

|                                                                                                                          |                     |
|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------------|
| Katherine Cone Keck<br>1801 Avenue of Stars, Suite 446<br>Los Angeles, California 90067-5906<br>P.O., State and ZIP Code |                     |
| Postage                                                                                                                  | \$0.55              |
| Certified Fee                                                                                                            | 1.35                |
| Special Delivery Fee                                                                                                     |                     |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                                                                                  |                     |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered                                                                          | 1.10                |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, and Address of Addressee                                                           |                     |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                                                                                     | \$3.00              |
| Postmark or Date                                                                                                         | APR 10 1998<br>USPS |

**JAMES BRUCE**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW

POST OFFICE BOX 1056  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

SUITE B  
612 OLD SANTA FE TRAIL  
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87501

(505) 982-2043  
(505) 982-2151 (FAX)

May 11, 1998

**CERTIFIED MAIL**  
**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Constance Cobb Keen  
2815 Bishop Drive  
Bloomington, Indiana 47404

Dear Ms. Keen:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for compulsory pooling filed at the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by UMC Petroleum Corporation (**now known as Ocean Energy, Inc.**) regarding the S½ of Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. This application is scheduled to be heard at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, May 14, 1998 at the Division's offices at 2040 South Pacheco Street, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. Recent title information indicates that you may own an interest in the proposed well unit. As an interest owner you have the right to appear at the hearing and participate in the case. Failure to appear at the hearing will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

Very truly yours,



James Bruce

Attorney for Ocean  
Energy, Inc.



Z 434 586 906

US Postal Service

**Receipt for Certified Mail**

No Insurance Coverage Provided.

Do not use for International Mail (See reverse)

|                                                           |         |
|-----------------------------------------------------------|---------|
| Sent to<br>Constance Cobb Keen                            |         |
| Street & Number<br>2815 Bishop Drive                      |         |
| Post Office, State, & ZIP Code<br>Indianapolis, IN 47404  |         |
| Postage                                                   | \$ 0.55 |
| Certified Fee                                             | 1.35    |
| Special Delivery Fee                                      |         |
| Restricted Delivery Fee                                   |         |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom & Date Delivered           | 4/10    |
| Return Receipt Showing to Whom, Date, & Addressed Address | 1 098   |
| TOTAL Postage & Fees                                      | \$ 3.00 |
| Postmark of Date<br>SPS - 87501                           |         |

PS Form 3800, April 1995