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CONSOLIDATED OIL & GAS, INC.

Exhibit 9

Midway State 1 Salt Water Disposal Well Section 8, Tl7S,R37E, NMPM Lea County, New Mexico

Affirmative Statement

Consolidated Oil & Gas, Inc. has examined available geological and engineering data and finds no evidence of open faults or any other hydrologic connection between the disposal zone and any underground source of drinking water.