

# BEFORE THE CORPORATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF OKLAHOMA

APPLICANT: NEWFIELD EXPLORATION MID-

CONTINENT INC.

RELIEF SOUGHT: POOLING (PART OF A MULTIUNIT

HORIZONTAL WELL)

LEGAL DESCRIPTION: SECTION 4, TOWNSHIP 14 NORTH, RANGE 8 WEST, CANADIAN COUNTY, OKLAHOMA CAUSE CD NO.

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**APPLICATION** 

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COMES NOW Applicant and shows the Honorable Corporation Commission as

follows:

1. <u>Parties</u>: Applicant is Newfield Exploration Mid-Continent Inc., One Williams Center, Suite 1900, Tulsa, Oklahoma, 74172, who is the owner of the right to drill a well to the common sources of supply named below underlying the lands described in the caption hereof by virtue of valid and subsisting oil and gas leases owned by Applicant covering portions of said land. The name of each party being made a respondent to this Application is as shown on Exhibit "A", attached hereto and made a part hereof.

#### 2. Allegation of Facts:

- a. The land described in the caption hereof constitutes a "drilling and spacing unit", as defined by Title 52, Section 87.1, O.S., and as heretofore established by the Commission by **Order No. 625910** for the common sources of supply also named below; within said "drilling and spacing unit", there are two or more separately owned tracts or there are undivided interests separately owned for which the owners have not agreed to pool their oil and gas interests and to drill and develop the "drilling and spacing unit" and common sources of supply as a unit.
- b. Applicant has conducted a diligent and meaningful search of the local county assessor's records, county treasurer's records, and county deed records regarding the property involved for return addresses on recorded instruments, county probate records and city and county telephone directories and other sources of such information to locate each respondent and has made a bona fide effort to reach an agreement as to the development of the property involved for return addresses on recorded instruments, county probate records and city and county telephone directories and other sources of such information to locate each respondent and has made a bona fide effort to reach an agreement as to the development of the property involved for return addresses on recorded instruments, county probate records and city and county telephone directories and other sources of such information to locate each respondent and has made a bona fide effort to reach an agreement as to the development of the property involved for return addresses on recorded instruments, county probate records and city and county telephone directories and other sources of such information to locate each respondent located by such search.
- c. Applicant has drilled or proposes to drill a well on said "drilling and spacing unit" to test the common sources of supply named below and the avoiding of the drilling of unnecessary well, the prevention of waste, and the protection of correlative rights require that the Commission order all owners to pool their interests and to drill and develop the "drilling and spacing unit" and common sources of supply as a unit.

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- 3. <u>Legal Authority</u>: Title 52, Section 87.1, O.S.
- 4. Relief Sought: Applicant requests that the Commission pool the interests and adjudicate the rights and equities of oil and gas owners in the Mississippian and Woodford common sources of supply underlying the 640-acre horizontal drilling and spacing unit described as Section 4, Township 14 North, Range 8 West, Canadian County, Oklahoma all to be upon such terms and conditions as are just and reasonable and which will afford all of such owners the opportunity to recover or receive without unnecessary expense their just and fair share of all hydrocarbon substances produced therefrom; that the Commission make definite provisions for the payment of all actual costs and expenses, not to exceed reasonable costs and expenses of drilling and development, including a reasonable charge for supervision and designate Applicant or some other party as operator of the proposed well and all subsequent wells drilled in the unit; and that the Applicant be given one year to commence operations for the drilling or other operations with respect to the unit covered hereby.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that, after notice and hearing as required by law, all oil and gas interests be pooled and the rights and equities of all oil and gas owners be adjudicated.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF MAILING/CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

The undersigned, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon path, states: I am the Attorney for the above-named Applicant. I certify that on or before the <u>ll</u> day of September, 2015 I mailed by Certified Mail United States mail, proper postage prepaid thereon, a copy of the Notice of Hearing on file in this Cause and this Application to the respondents named on the Exhibit "A" attached to this Application, at their respective mailing addresses.

That Applicant has, with due diligence and after inquiry of every possible source for information, attempted to locate the names and addresses of all respondents that should be receiving notice of this hearing before the Corporation Commission. For respondents that Applicant does not know and cannot ascertain whether an individual respondent(s) are living or deceased, or respondent(s) with a last known address that are no longer deliverable, or whether a corporation(s) or other business entities respondent(s) are existing, Applicant desires to obtain service by publication upon said respondents whose addresses are unknown or are undeliverable.

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#### **EXHIBIT A**

- 1. Marathon Oil Company P.O. Box 68 Houston, TX 77001
- Payrock Energy
   13909 Quail Pointe Dr.
   Oklahoma City, OK 73134
- 3. Felix Energy LLC 1530 16th Street, Suite 500 Denver, CO 80202
- Devon Energy Production Company LP
   333 W. Sheridan Ave.
   Oklahoma City, OK 73102
- 5. Cimarex Energy Co 202 S. Cheyenne Avenue, Suite 1000 Tulsa, OK 74103
- Schonwald Land Inc.
   9434 Cedar Lake Avenue
   Oklahoma City, OK 73114
- 7. Ferrell Oil Co LLC P.O. Box 1177 Oklahoma City, OK 73101
- 8. Baustert Farms LLC P.O. Box 549 Okarche, OK 73762
- St. Peter and St. Paul Catholic Church
   312 S. 6th Street Kingfisher, OK 73750
- 10. Ernst Clay Loosen 620 N. Prouty Avenue Watonga, OK 73772

- 11. Christine Loosen Richardson Route 1, Box 178 Watonga, OK 73772
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## ADDRESS UNKNOWN

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### **CURATIVE**

- 13. Clayton Williams Energy, Inc 700 Rockmead, Suite 159 Kingwood, TX 77339
- Sunray Capital, LPP.O. Box 170Gainesville, TX 76241

#### **CURATIVE ADDRESS UNKNOWN**

None

If Any Named Person Is Deceased, Then The Known Or Unknown Heirs, Executors, Administrators, Trustees, Devisees, And Assigns, Immediate And Remote Of Such Decedent, Are Made Respondents To This Application. If Any Named Respondent Is A Corporation Which Does Not Continue To Have Legal Existence, Then The Known Or Unknown Successors, Trustees Or Assigns, If Any Of Such Entity, Are Made Respondents To This Application

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# EXHIBIT "A"

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