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February 12, 2010

Puckett Land Company
5460 South Quebec Street, Suite 250
Greenwood Village, CO 80111-1917

Attn: Ray Anderson

Re: 30 Day Notice Requirement (Rule 305)
Pad 697-26A
Wells 697-26A-12, 697-26A-14, 697-26A-16, 697-26A-18,
697-26A-21, 697-26A-23, 697-26A-25, 697-26A-27
Garfield County, Colorado

Gentlemen:

Please be advised that Marathon Oil Company ("Marathon") will be filing permits with the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission for the above referenced wells to be drilled off of Pad 697-26A.

The enclosed notification, pursuant to Rule 305, is required as part of the filing process. Please contact the undersigned if you have any questions. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Peggy A. Gilbert'.

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SURFACE OWNER CONSULTATION (RULE 306)

Marathon Oil Company confirms that the surface owner
Operator Name

consultation requirements of Rule 306 have been completed or waived for the following proposed well pad containing the wells listed below:

Pad #697-26A NW ¼ Sec. 26 Twp 6S Rng. 97W 6th P.M.
Pad Number Legal Description

Garfield Colorado
County State

WELLS INCLUDED ON THIS PAD

#697-26A-12
#697-26A-14
#697-26A-16
#697-26A-18
#697-26A-21
#697-26A-23
#697-26A-25
#697-26A-27

Road Description: Existing roadway use and new construction as may be required. To be agreed upon by surface owner and operator.

Anna Walls
Name

Regulatory Compliance Tech
Title

Anna Walls
Signature

Date

NOTICE REQUIREMENTS (RULE 305)

Re: Well Name: **Pad #697-26A**
Wells Included on this Pad
#697-26A-12
#697-26A-14
#697-26A-16
#697-26A-18
#697-26A-21
#697-26A-23
#697-26A-25
#697-26A-27

In accordance with the Colorado Oil and Gas Conservation Commission for Notices of Oil and Gas Operations, Rule 303, the following information is required to be provided:

• Operations on the Pad #697-26A are estimated to commence on 4-15-2010
Well Name Date

• The Operator will be: Marathon Oil Company
Operator
5555 San Felipe
Address

Houston, TX 77056
City State Zip Code

• If you have any questions regarding this notice, you may contact:
Frank Krugh at (713)296-3546
Representative Phone No.

• The legal description of the surface lands upon which operations will be conducted are:
~ NE ~4 Sec. 26 Twp. 6S Rng. 97W 6th P.M.
Garfield County, **Colorado.**
County

- The surface owner has the responsibility for notifying any affected tenant of the proposed operations.
- In lieu of including a return addressed, postage prepaid postcard upon which you may request your preference with respect to consultation requirements, please call the phone number recited above to schedule an appointment.
- A brochure describing surface owner rights and copy of onsite inspection policy are enclosed.

By signing below, the surface owner waives the above notification requirements of Rule 305. (List below any Rule 305 notice requirements excluded from this waiver)

Surface Owner Signature

Date

Puckett Land Company
5460 South Quebec Street, Suite 250
Greenwood Village, CO 80111-1917

By: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____