## BEFORE THE OIL AND GAS CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF COLORADO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF WILLIAMS PRODUCTION RMT COMPANY FOR AN ORDER ESTABLISHING SPACING AND WELL LOCATION RULES FOR THE WILLIAMS FORK FORMATION OF THE MESAVERDE GROUP FOR CERTAIN DESCRIBED LANDS IN THE GRAND VALLEY FIELD AREA, GARFIELD COUNTY, COLORADO

CAUSE NO.

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## **APPLICATION**

COMES NOW Williams Production RMT Company ("Applicant"), a Delaware corporation, by its attorneys, Poulson, Odell and Peterson, LLC, and makes application to the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission of the State of Colorado for an order establishing spacing rules and well location rules applicable to the drilling and producing of wells from the Williams Fork Formation of the Mesaverde Group covering certain described lands in the Grand Valley Field area, Garfield County, Colorado and in support of its application states and alleges as follows:

- 1. That Applicant is a corporation duly authorized to conduct business in the State of Colorado.
- 2. That Applicant owns a leasehold interest in a substantial portion of the following described lands:

Township 7 South, Range 96 West

Section 26: SW/4SW/4

(hereinafter "Application Lands")

- 3. That the Application Lands are unspaced for the Williams Fork Formation and subject to the Commission's Rule 318.
- 4. That Applicant believes it is appropriate that the Commission establish a forty (40) acre drilling and spacing unit covering the unspaced Application Lands for the Williams Fork Formation of the Mesaverde Group.
- 5. That multiple wells have been drilled, tested and completed in the Williams Fork Formation of the Mesaverde Group upon lands in the immediate vicinity of the Application Lands.
- 6. That to promote efficient drainage within the Williams Fork Formation of the Mesaverde Group, the Commission should authorize the number of wells which can be optionally drilled into and produced from the Williams Fork Formation of the Application Lands to the equivalent of one Williams Fork well per ten (10) acres.

- 7. That as to all future Williams Fork wells to be drilled upon the Application Lands, the wells should be located downhole anywhere in the given drilling and spacing unit but no closer than 100 feet from the boundaries of the unit without exception being granted by the Director of the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission. It is provided however that in cases where the unit constituting the Application Lands abuts or corners lands in respect of which the Commission has not at the time of drilling permit application granted the right to drill 10 acre density Williams Fork Wells, the well should be located downhole no closer than 200 feet from the boundary or boundaries of the drilling unit so abutting or cornering such lands without exception being granted by the Director of the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission.
- 8. That, except as previously authorized by order of the Commission, wells to be drilled under this Application will be drilled from the surface either vertically or directionally from no more than one pad located on a given quarter quarter section (or lots or parcels approximately equivalent thereto) unless exception is granted by the Director of the Oil and Gas Conservation Commission pursuant to application made for such exception.
- 10. The granting of this application will not promote waste; will not violate correlative rights and will assure the greatest ultimate recovery of gas and associated hydrocarbon substances from the reservoir.
- 11. That the names and addresses of the interested parties according to the information and belief of the Applicant are set forth in Exhibit A attached hereto and made a part hereof.

WHEREFORE, Applicant respectfully requests that this matter be set for hearing in October, 2007, that notice be given as required by law and that upon such hearing this Commission enter its order consistent with Applicant's proposals as set forth above.

By:

Dated:	August	. 2007.
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### POULSON, ODELL AND PETERSON, LLC

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## **VERIFICATION**

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CITY AND COUNTY OF DENV	) ss. AND COUNTY OF DENVER )
foreg	Christopher M. Walsh, of lawful age, being first duly sworn upon oath, deposes and says he is a Senior Landman for Williams Production RMT Company and that he has read the oing Application and that the matters therein contained are true to the best of his knowledge mation and belief.
	Christopher M. Walsh
	Subscribed and sworn to before me this day of August, 2007.
	Witness my hand and official seal.
	My commission expires:
	Nistan Dublis
	Notary Public

#### **EXHIBIT A**

Yates Petroleum Corporation Yates Drilling Company ABO Petroleum Corporation Myco Industries Inc. 207 S Fourth St Artesia NM 88210

Bureau of Land Management Glenwood Springs Energy Office Attn: Steve Bennett 2425 S Grand Ave., Suite 101 Glenwood Springs, CO 81601

Bureau of Land Management Colorado State Office Attn: Duane Spencer 2850 Youngfield St. Lakewood, CO 80215

Board of County Commissioners Attn: John Martin 108 8th Street, Glenwood Springs, Colorado 81601

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Specialty Restaurants Corporation c/o Rocky Mountain Realtors Attn: Toby Guccini 820 Castle Valley Blvd., Suite #108 New Castle, CO 81647-9453

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STATE OF COLORADO )
) ss. CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER )
William A. Keefe of lawful age, and being first duly sworn upon his oath, states and declares:
That he is the attorney for Williams Production RMT Company, that on August, 2007, he caused a copy of the attached Application to be deposited in the United States Mail, postage prepaid, addressed to the parties listed on Exhibit A to the Application.
William A. Keefe
Subscribed and sworn to before me August, 2007.
Witness my hand and official seal.
My commission expires:
Notary Public
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