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NAME: RANGER 40 OPERATING, LLC

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CERTIFICATE OF GOOD STANDING

CONTACT PERSON: Susie Knight -- EXT# 2956

EXAMINER:

APPLICATION BY FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY FOR AUTHORIZATION TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN FLORIDA

IN COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 608503, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE FOLLOWING IS SUBMITTED TO REGISTER A FOREIGN LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY TO TRANSACT BUSINESS IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA

| 1. RANGER 40 OPERATING, LLC (Name of Foreign Limited Liability Company; must include " | Limited Liability Company," "L.L.C.," or "LLC.") |
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| , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , | |
| (If name unavailable, enter alternate name adopted for the purpose of consent of the managers or managing members adopting the alternate Company," "L.L.C.," "LLC.") | transacting business in Florida and attach a copy of the written name. The alternate name must include "Limited Liability |
| 2. DELAWARE | 26-2894238 |
| (Jurisdiction under the law of which foreign limited liability company is organized) | (FEI number, if applicable) |
| 4. 06/24/2008 5. 2 | 2009 |
| | (Duration: Year limited liability company will cease to exist or "perpetual") |
| 6. 08/01/2008 | |
| (Date first transacted business in Florida (See sections 608.501 & 608.502 F.S. to d | , if prior to registration.) etermine penalty liability) |
| 7. 1004 Collier Center Way #206 Naples, FL 341 | |
| | |
| (Street Address of Pr | rincipal Office) |
| 8. If limited liability company is a manager-managed con | |
| 9. The name and usual business addresses of the managin | g members or managers are as follows |
| Richard A. Counts | |
| 1004 Collier Center Way #206 | |
| Naples, FL 34110 | |
| 10. Attached is an original certificate of existence, no more than 90 days of the jurisdiction under the law of which it is organized. (A photocopy is no translation of the certificate under oath of the translator must be submitted | ot acceptable. If the certificate is in a foreign language, a |
| 11. Nature of business or purposes to be conducted or pro | moted in Florida: |
| Corporate office located in FL for oil & gas exp | ploration |
| Signature of a member or an author | |
| (In accordance with section 608.408(3), F.S., the an affirmation under the penalties of perjury the section for the penalties of perjury the section of the penalties of perjury the section of the secti | |
| Richard A. Counts | |
| Typed or printed nar | ne of signee |

CERTIFICATE OF DESIGNATION OF REGISTERED AGENT/REGISTERED OFFICE

PURSUANT TO THE PROVISIONS OF SECTION 608.415 or 608.507, FLORIDA STATUTES, THE UNDERSIGNED LIMITED LIABILITY COMPANY SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING STATEMENT TO DESIGNATE A REGISTERED OFFICE AND REGISTERED AGENT IN THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

| If name unavaila | ble, the alternate name t | o be used in the state of Florida is: | |
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| 2. The name an | d the Florida street addre | ess of the registered agent and office are: | |
| | Corporation Service | Company | |
| | | (Name) | |
| | 1201 Hays Street | | |
| | Florida Street / | Address (P.O. Box NOT ACCEPTABLE) | |
| | Tallahassee | FL 32301 | |
| | | City/State/Zip | |

Having been named as registered agent and to accept service of process for the above stated limited liability company at the place designated in this certificate, I hereby accept the appointment as registered agent and agree to act in this capacity. I further agree to comply with the provisions of all statutes relating to the proper and complete performance of my duties, and I am familiar with and accept the obligations of my position as registered agent as provided for in Chapter 608, Florida Statutes.

Corporation Service Company
BY:

Sue G. Knight
as its agent

\$ 100.00 Filing Fee for Application
\$ 25.00 Designation of Registered Agent
\$ 30.00 Certified Copy (optional)
\$ 5.00 Certificate of Status (optional)

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I, HARRIET SMITH WINDSOR, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY "RANGER 40 OPERATING, LLC" IS DULY FORMED UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE AND IS IN GOOD STANDING AND HAS A LEGAL EXISTENCE SO FAR AS THE RECORDS OF THIS OFFICE SHOW, AS OF THE TENTH DAY OF JULY, A.D. 2008.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE ANNUAL TAXES HAVE NOT BEEN ASSESSED TO DATE.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIFY THAT THE SAID "RANGER 40 OPERATING, LLC" WAS FORMED ON THE TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF JUNE, A.D. 2008.

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Harriet Smith Windsor, Secretary of State **AUTHENTICATION:** 6717371

DATE: 07-10-08

You may verify this certificate online at corp.delaware.gov/authver.shtml