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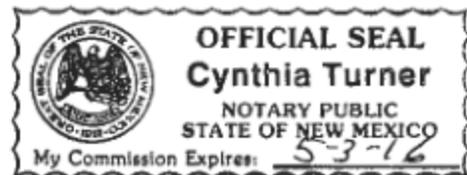
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/s/ V. Wright  
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Subscribed and sworn to before me on this 26th day of October, 2012

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**NOTICE**

NOTICE is hereby given that on October 2, 2012, Cypress, Inc., 49 Zorro Ranch Road, Stanley, NM 87056, filed with the STATE ENGINEER Application No. E-7871 for Permit to Change Location of Well in the Estancia Underground Water Basin. Permit E-7871-S-2 to Change Location of Well, approved by the State Engineer on January 20, 2006, allows Cypress, Inc. ("Applicant") to drill Well E-7871-S-2 to a total depth of approximately 2,500 feet in the SE1/4 NE1/4 SW1/4 of Section 28, Township 12 North, Range 9 East, NMPM. The well was not drilled. Applicant proposes to change the location of Well E-7871-S-2 to a point where X=1,726,330 feet and Y=1,540,520 feet, New Mexico State Plane Coordinate System, Central Zone, NAD83. The well has been constructed as E-7871-POD4 pursuant to Permit E-7871 to Drill an Exploratory Well, approved by the State Engineer on August 10, 2012. The well's total depth is 760 feet with screen from 390 to 750 feet in the Mancos shale. Well casing is 6.63 inches OD. The well is expected to produce 25 gallons per minute. The well will supplement water from well E-7871 constructed in the NW1/4 SE1/4 NE1/4 of Section 20, Township 12 North, Range 9 East, NMPM, to a total depth of 1,700 feet and screened from 1,420 feet to 1,700 feet within the driller-identified Mancos Shale and Dakota Sandstone. Applicant may divert and consumptively use 68 acre-feet of groundwater per annum, with up to 160 acre-feet per annum for irrigation on 24 acres of land described as follows: 4 acres in the SW1/4 SW1/4 NE1/4 of Section 15, Township 12 North, Range 9 East, NMPM, and 20 acres in the SE1/4 of Section 22, Township 12 North, Range 9 East, NMPM. Water is permitted to be used for domestic, livestock, irrigation, and ranch-related purposes which include wash down of facilities and equipment, dust suppression, and

mal/maintenance activities. All lands herein described are owned by Cypress, Inc. The lands are generally located on the west side of New Mexico Highway 41 approximately 7 miles north of the intersection of New Mexico Highway 41 with New Mexico Highway 472 near Stanley, in Santa Fe County, NM. Any person or other entity shall have standing to file an objection or protest if they object that the granting of the application will: (1) Be detrimental to the objector's water right; or (2) Be contrary to the conservation of water within the state or detrimental to the public welfare of the state, provided that the objector shows how they will be substantially and specifically affected by the granting of the application. A valid objection or protest shall set forth the grounds for asserting standing and shall be legible, signed, and include the complete mailing address of the objector. An objection or protest must be filed with the state engineer not later than 10 calendar days after the date of the last publication of this notice. An objection or protest may be mailed to the Office of the State Engineer, 5550 San Antonio Dr. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109-4127 or faxed to (505) 383-4030 provided the original is hand-delivered and postmarked within 24 hours after transmission of the fax. The State Engineer will take the application up for consideration in the most appropriate and timely manner practical. NOTE TO PUBLISHER: Immediately after last publication, publisher is requested to file affidavit of such publication with the Office of the State Engineer, 5550 San Antonio Dr. NE, Albuquerque, NM 87109-4127. Legal # 94049. Pub. Oct 9, 16, 23, 2012.

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