



AFFIDAVIT OF HEIRSHIP

I, _____ (“Affiant”), being of lawful age and competent to testify, hereby declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the following statements are true and correct:

I. Affiant Identity and Competency: Affiant is over the age of eighteen (18), is of sound mind, and is competent to make this declaration; Affiant has personal knowledge of the family history, marital history, and heirship lineage of the Decedent named herein and is competent to testify to such matters.

II. Decedent Information: The Decedent is:

Full Legal Name: _____

Date of Birth: _____

Date of Death: _____

County and State of Death: _____

At the time of death, the Decedent was domiciled in the County and State listed above.

III. Marital History: The Decedent’s marital history is as follows:

Spouse Name: _____

Spouse Name: _____

Date of Marriage: _____

Date of Marriage: _____

Date of Termination (death/divorce): _____

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No other marriages existed except as stated above.

IV. Children and Descendants: The Decedent had the following children, whether natural, adopted, or legally recognized:

Full Name

Date of Birth

Living/Deceased

If Deceased, Descendants

No other children were born to or adopted by the Decedent.

V. Estate Status: To Affiant’s knowledge, the Decedent did not leave a probated will, trust instrument, or recorded estate conveyance transferring the mineral and royalty interests described herein.

No probate proceedings were commenced, or if commenced, were closed without formal conveyance of the mineral and royalty interests.

VI. Mineral and Royalty Interest Continuity: The Decedent owned mineral, royalty, overriding royalty, production payment, or other hydrocarbon revenue interests arising from oil, gas, and land assets situated in one or more producing jurisdictions.



Upon the Decedent's death, said interests passed by operation of law to the lawful heirs identified herein, subject to applicable intestacy statutes.

The persons listed in the table above constitute the complete and exclusive line of lawful heirs and successors-in-interest to the Decedent's mineral and royalty interests.

VII. Purpose and Reliance: This Declaration is executed for the express purpose of establishing heirship continuity, curing title defects, correcting operator suspense classifications, and authorizing the lawful release, payment, and distribution of oil, gas, mineral, and hydrocarbon royalty proceeds.

Oil and gas operators, purchasers, pipeline companies, marketing affiliates, title examiners, and regulatory agencies are expressly authorized to rely upon this Declaration in releasing suspended funds and correcting ownership records.

VIII. Declaration: I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct.

(Printed Name)

(Signature)

(Date)