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## Office of the Secretary of State

I, WILLIAM T. QUILLEN, SECRETARY OF STATE OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THE CERTIFICATE OF OWNERSHIP OF MURPHY EXPLORATION & PRODUCTION COMPANY, A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, MERGING MURPHY OIL USA, INC. A CORPORATION ORGANIZED AND EXISTING UNDER THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, PURSUANT TO SECTION 253 OF THE GENERAL CORPORATION LAW OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE, WAS RECEIVED AND FILED IN THIS OFFICE THE FOURTH DAY OF JANUARY, A.D. 1993. AT 4:29 O CLOCK P.M.

AND I DO HEREBY FURTHER CERTIEN THAT THE AFORESAID CORPORATION SHALL BE GOVERNED BY THE LAWS OF THE STATE OF DELAWARE.

A CERTIFIED COPY OF THIS CERTIFICATE HAS BEEN FORWARDED TO THE APPROPRIATE COUNTY RECORDER OF DEEDS FOR RECORDING.

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William T. Quillen, Secretary of State

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