



Stephanie Garcia Richard, State Land Commissioner  
State of New Mexico

**SURVIVING SPOUSE AFFIDAVIT**

I, the undersigned, surviving spouse of \_\_\_\_\_,  
swear that the following statements are true to the best of my knowledge.

A. \_\_\_\_\_ (Name of Decedent) died on the \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_ / 20 \_\_\_\_\_.

B. At the time of his/ her death, the decedent was married to \_\_\_\_\_,  
the holder of State Grazing Lease No. \_\_\_\_\_. Therefore, the State Grazing Lease was  
considered community property, and will automatically be transferred to the Surviving Spouse.

C. (Please check one of the following as true). If you check No. 2, fill in the blanks:

- 1.  The Estate of the Decedent has never been probated.
- 2.  The Estate of the Decedent has been probated in the \_\_\_\_\_ County  
District/ Probate Court as Case No. \_\_\_\_\_. The Decedent's State Grazing Lease No.  
\_\_\_\_\_ was not included as an asset of the estate in that probate proceeding.

D. Surviving Spouse Contact Information:

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of Surviving Spouse

State of \_\_\_\_\_) County of \_\_\_\_\_)

The foregoing Surviving Spouse Affidavit was subscribed and sworn to before me this \_\_\_\_\_ day  
of \_\_\_\_\_, 20 \_\_\_\_\_, by \_\_\_\_\_.

(Notary must write the name of the Surviving Spouse)

My Commission Expires: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Notary Public

Notary Stamp          
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