

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING
CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF
CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 12033

OIL CONSERVATION DIV.
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APPLICATION OF PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY
OF NEW MEXICO FOR REVIEW OF
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION DIRECTIVE
DATED MARCH 13, 1998 DIRECTING APPLICANT
TO PERFORM ADDITIONAL REMEDIATION
FOR HYDROCARBON CONTAMINATION,
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Campbell, Carr, Berge & Sheridan, P.A.,
as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

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OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

(Please make a concise statement of what is being sought with this application and the reasons therefore.)

OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

(Please make a concise statement of the basis for opposing this application or otherwise state the position of the party filing this statement.)

Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company will appear and present evidence in opposition to PNM's request that it be determined to not be a responsible party for contamination at the Hampton 4M Well site.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES
(Name and expertise)

EST. TIME

EXHIBITS

OPPOSITION

WITNESSES
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EXHIBITS

Ed Hasley,
Sr. Staff Environmental Representative

__ Minutes

Approximately __

Paul Rosasco, Geohydrologist

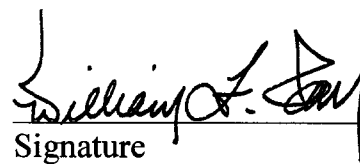
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Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company has not prepared exhibits as of this date. All exhibits will include data from the remediation which is currently underway at the Hampton 4M Well site.

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

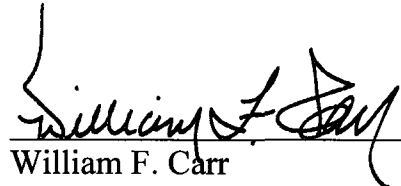
(Please identify any procedural matters which need to be resolved prior to hearing)


Signature

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that on this 13th day of November, 1998, I have caused to be mailed a copy of our Pre-Hearing Statement in the above-captioned cases to the following counsel of record:

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