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Jami Bailey
Director
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Department of Energy,
Minerals and Natural Resources
1220 South Saint Francis Drive
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

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Re: Case No. 8352 (Reopened): Application of OXY USA, Inc. to reopen Case No. 8352 to contract the West Bravo Dome Carbon Dioxide Gas Area to exclude acreage in the Bravo Dome Carbon Dioxide Gas Unit and the adoption of permanent Special Pool Rules and Regulations for the Acreage excluded from the West Bravo Dome Carbon Dioxide Gas Area including provisions for 160-acre spacing units, Harding County, New Mexico.

Dear Ms. Bailey:

OXY USA, Inc. requests that the above referenced case, scheduled for hearing on January 5, 2012, be dismissed. I have provided a copy of this dismissal letter to counsel for all parties that have entered an appearance in this matter.

Sincerely,

Michael H. Feldewert

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cc: J.E. Gallegos, Esq.
Earl E. DeBrine, Esq.
Frank M. Bond, Esq.