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Florene Davidson Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Dear Florene:

Enclosed for filing, on behalf of Edge Petroleum Exploration Company, are an original and one copy of an application for a non-standard unit, together with a proposed advertisement. The advertisement has also been e-mailed to the Division. Please set this matter for the June 16, 2005 Examiner hearing. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

James Bruce Attorney for Edge Petroleum Exploration Company

## BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION AT 2 7 2005 LIVISION ATION **APPLICATION OF EDGE PETROLEUM EXPLORATION COMPANY FOR A NON-**STANDARD GAS SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 13506

## APPLICATION

Edge Petroleum Exploration Company applies for an order approving a non-standard gas spacing and proration unit in the Morrow formation comprising the S<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> of Section 28, Township 19 South, Range 32 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico, and in support thereof, states:

1. Applicant is a working interest owner in the  $S\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 28, and has the right to drill a well thereon.

2. Applicant proposes to drill its South Lusk 28 "H" Fed. Com. Well No. 1, at an orthodox location in the SW¼SW¼ of Section 28, to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation.

3. Section 28 is within the Lusk-Morrow Gas Pool. Under Order No. R-2373, as amended, the Lusk-Morrow Gas Pool is spaced on 640 acres, with one well allowed per quarter section, and wells to be located no closer than 660 feet to a quarter section line. Rule 4 of the special rules allows an interest owner to apply for a non-standard unit.

4. Applicant seeks to dedicate the  $S\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 28 to its well to form a nonstandard 320 acre gas spacing and proration unit in the Lusk-Morrow Gas Pool.

5. A non-standard unit covering the  $S\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 28 will prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division enter its order approving the non-standard unit.

Respectfully submitted,

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## PROPOSED ADVERTISEMENT

Case No. 13506 : Application of Edge Petroleum Exploration Company for a non-standard gas spacing and proration unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order approving a non-standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit in the Morrow formation (Lusk-Morrow Gas Pool) comprised of the S/2 of Section 28, Township 19 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. The unit is to be dedicated to applicant's proposed South Lusk 28 "H" Fed. Com. Well No. 1, to be drilled at an orthodox location in the SW/4SW/4 of Section 28. The unit is located approximately 6 miles north-northwest of Halfway, New Mexico.