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

IN THE MATTER OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE COMMISSION'S RULES ON FINANCIAL ASSURANCE AND PLUGGING AND ABANDONMENT OF WELLS, 19.15.2, 19.15.8, AND 19.15.25 NMAC

Case No. 16078

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

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