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

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

APPLICATION OF CHESAPEAKE EXPLORATION, L.L.C. FOR STATUTORY UNITIZATION OF THE QUAIL-QUEEN UNIT AREA, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 14,001

APPLICATION OF CHEASAPEAKE EXPLORATION, L.L.C. FOR APPROVAL OF A WATERFLOOD PROJECT AND QUALIFICATION OF THE PROJECT AREA OF THE QUAIL-QUEEN UNIT AREA FOR THE RECOVERED OIL TAX RATE PURSUANT TO THE ENHANCED OIL RECOVERY ACT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 14,002

Order No. R-12952

APPLICATION FOR HEARING DE NOVO

Pintail Production Company, Inc., a party of record adversely affected by the above Order, requests that these matters be heard *de novo* before the Oil Conservation Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing pleading was served upon the following counsel of record this __/5 +___ day of July, 2008 by facsimile transmission:

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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 Pintail Production Company, Inc., are an original and one copy of (1) an entry of appearance, (2) an application for hearing *de novo*, and (3) proposed ads for the cases. The advertisements have also been e-mailed to the Division. Please set this matter for the next available Commission hearing. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

James Bruce

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ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

James Bruce enters his appearance in the above cases on behalf of Pintail Production Company, Inc.

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PROPOSED ADVERTISEMENT

Case No. 14001: Application of Chesapeake Exploration, LLC for statutory unitization of the Quail Queen Unit Area, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order unitizing all mineral interests in the Queen formation underlying parts of Sections 11, 13, and 14, Township 19 South, Range 34 East, N.M.P.M., comprising 840 acres of land for its proposed Quail Queen Unit. Among the matters to be considered at hearing, pursuant to the New Mexico Statutory Unitization Act, NMSA 1978 §§70-7-1 et seq., will be: The necessity of unit operations; the determination of horizontal and vertical limits of the unit area; the determination of the fair, reasonable, and equitable allocation of production and costs of production, including capital investments, to each of the tracts in the unit area; the determination of credits and charges to be made among the various owners in the unit area for their investment in wells and equipment; and such other matters as may be necessary and appropriate. The unit area is centered approximately 15-1/2 miles west-northwest of Monument, New Mexico. Upon the application of Pintail Production Company, Inc., this matter will be heard de novo by the Commission.