

**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:**

**APPLICATION OF CHEVRON U.S.A. INC. FOR
SPECIAL POOL RULES, LEA COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO**

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CASE NO. 13174
Oil Conservation Division



PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Pre-Hearing Statement is submitted by Holland & Hart LLP, as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

APPLICANT

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OPPONENT

None.

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None.

APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE

Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks the promulgation of Special Pool Rules for the North-Lusk Strawn Pool located in portions of Sections 28, 29, 32 and 33 of Township 18 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, including the adoption of a special gas-oil ratio for the pool of 20,000 cubic feet of gas for each barrel of oil produced. Applicant is the only operator within the pool and there are no other operators of Strawn wells in the area that have not been assigned to another pool. Said area is located approximately 10.5 miles south of Maljamar, New Mexico.

APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE


WITNESSES (Name and Expertise)	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
David Crawford (Engineer)	Approx. 20 Minutes	Approx. 6

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Chevron U.S.A, Inc. has none at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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