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William J. LeMay, Director **Oil Conservation Division** New Mexico Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources 2040 South Pacheco Street Santa Fe. New Mexico 87505

> Re: Application of PED Oil Corporation for Directional Drilling and an Unorthodox Bottomhole Location, Chaves County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed in triplicate is the Application of PED Oil Corporation in the above-referenced matter. Also enclosed is a draft of a legal advertisement for this case. PED Oil Corporation requests that this case be set for hearing before a Division Examiner on December 7, 1995.

It is our understanding that an application for administrative approval of the directional drilling and unorthodox bottomhole location has also been filed in this matter.

Your attention to this request is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. CARR PAUL R. OWEN WFC/PRO:mlh Enclosures Mr. John J. Strojek, P.E. (w/enclosures) cc: