



**BEFORE THE  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**  
Santa Fe, New Mexico

Case No. 11540 Exhibit No. 1

Submitted by: Enron Oil & Gas Company

Hearing Date: May 30, 1996

# EXHIBIT 'A'

Attached to and made a part of that certain Operating Agreement dated April 1, 1996 between ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY, as Operator, and PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY, et al, as Non-Operator.

## 1. Identification of lands subject to this Agreement:

South Half (S/2) of Section 5, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico

## 2. Restrictions, if any as to depths, formation or substances:

All depths below the base of the Abo formation (as defined in the Empire Abo Unit Agreement dated October 1, 1972) to the Top of the Mississippian Chester Limestone

*Marathon down above 5,000 ft.*

## 3. Percentages of fractional interests of parties to this Agreement:

	Working Interest
✓ Enron Oil & Gas Company	37.50000%
Phillips Petroleum Company	19.54487%
Marathon Oil Company <i>Kelbahr</i>	11.95864%
Amoco Production Company	11.46603%
Devon Energy Corporation	6.17876%
Mewbourne Oil Company <i>Bruce</i>	4.90109%
✓ Ken Perkins Oil & Gas, Inc.	3.08611%
✓ Vilas P. Sheldon Trust	1.54807%
Yates Petroleum Corporation	2.23123%
Judy B. Gurley Oil & Gas	0.90461%
Mark L. Shidler, Inc.	0.20677%
✓ Read & Stevens, Inc.	0.06462%
T. T. Sanders Estate	0.06461%
Aston Family Limited Partnership	0.05743%
Aston Partnership	0.05743%
Lincoln Aston Estate	0.05743%
Charles A. Aston, III	0.03446%
Audrey Aston Bean	0.03446%
Valerie Aston Kobal	0.03446%
Ellen Hammond Paul	0.03446%
Sharon A. Olsen, Trustee of the Sharon Aston Olsen Trust	0.03446%

*(320 acres)*

*Most derived interest from lease on 200 acres*

100.00000%

## 4. Oil and Gas Leases subject to this Agreement:

Lease No.: State of New Mexico #703-27  
 Dated: December 20, 1922  
 Recorded: Not Recorded  
 Lessor: State of New Mexico  
 Original Lessee: Forest Levers, Trustee  
 Lands Covered: Insofar as said lease covers the SW/4 SW/4, E/2 SW/4, N/2 SE/4, Section 5, T18S, R28E, Eddy County, New Mexico

Lease No.: State of New Mexico #B-3823-9  
 Dated: February 11, 1935  
 Recorded: Not Recorded  
 Lessor: State of New Mexico  
 Original Lessee: Walter Solt  
 Lands Covered: Insofar as said lease covers the NW/4 SW/4, S/2 SE/4, Section 5, T18S, R28E, Eddy County, New Mexico

*160 acres:  
Enron 50%  
Rest 50%*

*80 acres:  
Enron 100%*

*40 acres:  
Enron 100%*

## 5. Names and addresses of the Parties:

ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY  
 P. O. Box 2267  
 Midland, Texas 79702  
 Attn: Patrick J. Tower

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Case No. 11540 Exhibit No. 2

Submitted by: Enron Oil & Gas Company

Hearing Date: May 30, 1996

*Committed*

# ENRON Oil & Gas Company

## Drilling AFE

AFE Type X Wildcat(31) Development(32)

X Drilling X Completion Re-Entry X Oil X Gas High Cost Gas

Lease & Well No	Prospect Name	Total Depth	Water Depth
Empire "5" State Corn No. 1	Empire South	10,550'	
Location & Survey	Sec-Twn-Rng	Producing Horizon	Spud Date
825' FSL & 1.98C' FEL	Sec. 5, T18S, R28E	Lower Morrow	
Operator	County & State	Regulatory Field	DD&A Field
Enron Oil & Gas Company	Eddy, New Mexico	Wildcat	
AFE Description			
Drill and complete a 10,550' Lower Morrow gas well.			

CODE	DESCRIPTION	DRILLING	COMPLETION	TOTAL
230-401	Access, Location & Roads	\$20,000	\$2,000	\$22,000
230-402	Rig Move	30,000		\$30,000
230-403	Footage Cost \$/Ft			\$0
230-404	Day Work Cost 25/2 days @ \$ 4800	120,000	9,600	\$129,600
230-405	Bits, Reamers & Stabilizers	40,000		\$40,000
230-406	Fuel	500		\$500
230-407	Water	17,000	3,000	\$20,000
230-408	Mud & Chemicals	20,000	3,000	\$23,000
230-409	Cementing & Service	22,000	16,000	\$38,000
230-410	Coning	13,000		\$13,000
230-411	OH Logging & Testing	10,000	5,000	\$15,000
230-412	Mud Logging			\$0
230-413	Perforating		25,000	\$25,000
230-414	Stimulation		23,000	\$23,000
230-415	Transportation	4,000	4,000	\$8,000
230-416	Drilling Overhead days @ \$	5,000		\$5,000
230-417	Equipment Rental	3,500	3,000	\$6,500
230-418	Completion Rig days @ \$		9,800	\$9,800
230-419	Other Drilling Expense	21,000	7,000	\$28,000
230-420	Fishing & Equip. lost in hole			\$0
230-421	Environmental & Safety Charges	4,000	5,000	\$9,000
230-422	Directional Drilling			\$0
230-423	Equipment Usage 30 x 450	13,500		\$13,500
230-424	Supervision	1,400	2,800	\$4,200
230-431	Communications			\$0
230-432	MWD Logging			\$0
TOTAL INTANGIBLES		\$344,900	\$118,200	\$463,100

	FEET	SIZE	GRADE	\$/FT			
230-101	40	20	Conductor Casing		\$3,500		\$3,500
230-102	650	11-3/4	Surface Casing	H-40	14.78	9,600	\$9,600
230-103	4500	8-5/8	Intermediate Casing	S-K	16	49,500	\$49,500
230-103			Intermediate Casing				\$0
230-104	10700	5-1/2	Production Casing	N-S	7.25		\$77,900
230-104			Production Liner				\$0
230-104			Tie-Back Casing				\$0
230-105	10600	2-7/8	Tubing	N	3.5		\$39,900
230-105			Tubing				\$0
230-107			Well Head Equipment and Tree		7,000	25,000	\$32,000
230-108			Tanks			25,000	\$25,000
230-109			Flow Lines			5,000	\$5,000
230-110			Valves & Fittings			7,500	\$7,500
230-111			Rods				\$0
230-112			Pumping Equipment - Surface				\$0
230-113			Production Equipment - Subsurface				\$0
230-114			Engines & Motors				\$0
230-115			Heater-Treater & Separators			25,000	\$25,000
230-116			Other Equipment				\$0
230-117			Buildings				\$0
230-118			Metering Equipment			3,000	\$3,000
230-119			Non-Controllable Equipment				\$0
230-120			Liner Equipment				\$0
230-122			Construction Cost			10,000	\$10,000
TOTAL TANGIBLES					\$69,600	\$218,300	\$287,900
TOTAL WELL COST					\$414,500	\$336,500	\$751,000

Examiner

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EXHIBIT NO. 3

### ENRON APPROVAL

Division	By	Date	By	Date	Headquarters	By	Date
	W.D. Smeltzer	01/23/96	By				
	By	23 Jan 96	By				
JOINT OPERATOR APPROVAL							
Firm	By	Title	Date				

# ENRON

## Oil & Gas Company

P. O. Box 2267 Midland, Texas 79702 (915) 686-3600

February 8, 1996

CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT

TO ALL WORKING INTEREST OWNERS:  
(See Attached Addressee List)

RE: Empire "5" State Com No. 1 Well  
825' FSL & 1980' FEL Section 5,  
S/2 Section 5 Spacing Unit  
Township 18 South, Range 28 East  
Eddy County, New Mexico  
EOG's Empire South Prospect  
AFE No. 100997

Gentlemen:

Enron Oil & Gas Company proposes to drill the Empire "5" State Com No. 1 well as a 10,550' Lower Morrow test at a location 825' FSL and 1980' FEL of Section 5, T18S, R28E, Eddy County, New Mexico. In this regard enclosed please find two (2) AFEs covering this test. Please execute and return one (1) copy of said AFE should you elect to participate.

In the event your company is not interested in participating Enron would entertain a Farmin under mutually agreeable terms.

Enron looks forward to a favorable response to our proposal. Should there be any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned at (915) 686-3758.

Sincerely,

ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY



Patrick J. Tower  
Project Landman

PJT/ms  
attachments

cc: Rudy Mikulec-EOG Houston  
Ronnie Adams-EOG Houston  
G. L. Thomas/R. L. Ingle/WDS/TJA/LISA/WF  
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**BEFORE THE**  
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Santa Fe, New Mexico

Case No. 11540 Exhibit No. 4

Submitted by: Enron Oil & Gas Company

Hearing Date: May 30, 1996

WORKING INTEREST OWNERS ADDRESS LIST  
EMPIRE "5" STATE COM NO. 1 WELL

- Enron Oil & Gas Company  
Box 2267  
Midland, Texas 79701
- ✓ Phillips Petroleum Company  
4001 Penbrook  
Odessa, Texas 79710  
Attn: James S. Welin, Land Director
- ✓ Amoco Production Company  
501 Westlake Park Boulevard  
Houston, Texas 77079  
Attn: Jerry West
- ✓ Devon Energy Corporation  
20 North Broadway, Suite 1500  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102-8260  
Attn: Ken Gray, District Landman
- ✓ Melbourne Oil Company  
500 W. Texas, Suite 1020  
Midland, Texas 79701  
Attn: Steve Cobb, District Landman
- ✓ Sun Operating Limited Partnership  
c/o Oryx Energy Company  
P. O. Box 2880  
Dallas, Texas 52221-2880 *now Ken P. ...  
John ...*
- ✓ Vilas P. Sheldon Trust  
P. O. Box 2280  
South Padre Island, Texas 78597
- ✓ Marathon Oil Company  
P. O. Box 552  
Midland, Texas 79702-0552  
Attn: Randal P. Wilson, CPL/ESA
- ✓ Yates Petroleum Corporation  
105 South Fourth Street  
Artesia, New Mexico 88210  
Attn: Robert Bullock
- ✓ Judy B. Gurley Oil & Gas Account  
2005 Hemlock  
Borger, Texas 79007  
Attn: Roy Gurley
- ✓ Aston Family Limited Partnership  
✓ Charles A. Aston, III,  
✓ Valerie Aston Kobal,  
✓ Ellen Hammond Paull,  
✓ Audrey Aston Bean,  
NationsBank, Dallas, N.A., Agent  
Trust Oil & Gas  
P. O. Box 830308  
Dallas, Texas 75283-0308  
Attn: Jerry L. Bridgens, C.P.L.  
Assistant Vice President
- ✓ Sharon A. Olsen, Trustee  
P. O. Box 357  
Rimrock, Arizona 86335-0357
- ✓ Estate of Lincoln Astor  
Charles A. Aston III,  
Personal Representative  
704 Parkview Dr.  
P. O. Box 457  
Round Rock, Texas 78681
- ✓ Read & Stevens, Inc.  
P. O. Box 1518  
Roswell, New Mexico 88202  
Attn: Robert H. Watson, Land Manager
- ✓ Southland Royalty Company  
3300 N. "A", Building 6  
Midland, Texas 79705  
Attn: Leslyn Swierc, Senior Landman *now Mark L. Shidley, Inc.*
- OXY U.S.A. Inc.  
P. O. Box 50250  
Midland, Texas 79710  
Attn: T. Kent Woolley

WORKING INTEREST OWNERS ADDRESS LIST  
EMPIRE "5" STATE COM NO. 1 WELL  
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✓ Aston Partnership

The First National Bank of Chicago, Agent  
8150 N. Central Expressway, Suite 1211  
Dallas, Texas 75206  
Attn: Gail Cotton, Vice President

Carlsbad National Bank, Testamentary Trustee  
U/W/O Nelle G. Scheurich, deceased,  
f/b/o Carlos Joseph Hall, Carlos Joseph  
Hall, Jr. and Karla Hall Gutierrez  
Carlsbad, New Mexico 88221

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Lubbock, Texas 79646

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Midland, Texas 79705

Regents of the University of New Mexico,  
Carl A. Hatch Professorship of Law and  
Public Administration Fund  
251 Scholes Hall  
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Albuquerque, New Mexico 87131

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Roswell, New Mexico 88201-4754

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500 North Akard Street  
Dallas, Texas 75201-3394  
Attn: William E. Read

Ryan P. Hatch  
14140 Saddle River Drive  
Gaithersburg, Maryland 20878

J & B Enterprises  
(Address Unknown)

# ENRON

## Oil & Gas Company

P. O. Box 2267 Midland, Texas 79702 (915) 686-3600

April 11, 1996

TO ALL WORKING INTEREST OWNERS:  
(See Attached Addressee List)

RE ~~Empire "5" State Com No. 1 Well~~  
807' FSL & 1992' FEL Section 5,  
~~S/2 Section 5 Spacing Unit~~  
Township 18 South, Range 28 East  
Eddy County, New Mexico  
EOG's Empire South Prospect

Gentlemen:

In conjunction with Phillips Petroleum Company's letter dated March 12, 1996, enclosed please find a complete copy, along with an extra signature page, of Enron Oil & Gas Company's proposed Joint Operating Agreement for the Empire "5" State Com No. 1 well.

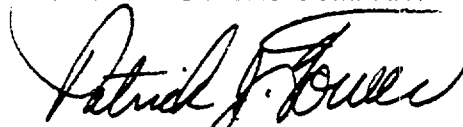
It should be noted that this Operating Agreement shall supersede and control over the terms of that certain Operating Agreement dated April 26, 1982 among Phillips Petroleum Company, as Operator and Marathon Oil Company et al, as Nonoperators. Please note that this Operating Agreement does not commit you to join in this well (See Article XV.L.). This simply moves your interest to a new Operating Agreement to facilitate the drilling of Enron's well.

Also as you will note Enron has moved its location slightly from its original proposal. This was necessary to avoid an existing shallow well at said location.

Please execute and return the enclosed signature page to the undersigned, retaining the copy of the JOA for your files. A copy of the fully executed Operating Agreement will be furnished to you upon receipt of all signatures. Should there be any questions, please feel free to contact the undersigned at (915) 686-3758.

Sincerely,

ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY



Patrick J. Tower  
Project Landman

P.T/ms  
enclosures



WORKING INTEREST OWNERS ADDRESS LIST  
EMPIRE "5" STATE COM NO. 1 WELL

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Odessa, Texas 79710  
Attn: James S. Welin, Land Director

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Midland, Texas 79702  
Attn: Randal P. Wilson

AMOCO PRODUCTION COMPANY  
P. C. Box 3092  
Houston, Texas 77253  
Attn: Jerry West

MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY  
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Midland, Texas 79701  
Attn: Steve Cobb, District Landman

DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION (NEVADA)  
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20 North Broadway  
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73102-8260  
Attn: Ken Gray

KEN PERKINS OIL & GAS INC.  
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Kingsville, Texas 78364

V. P. SHELDON TRUST  
c/o Philip V. Lee  
P. C. Box 1872  
Kingsland, Texas 78639

YATES PETROLEUM CORPORATION  
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Artesia, New Mexico 88211-1395  
Attn: Mecca Mauritsen

JUDY B. GURLEY OIL & GAS  
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Borger, Texas 79008-0710  
Attn: Roy Gurley

MARK L. SHIDLER, INC.  
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READ & STEVENS, INC.  
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ASTON PARTNERSHIP  
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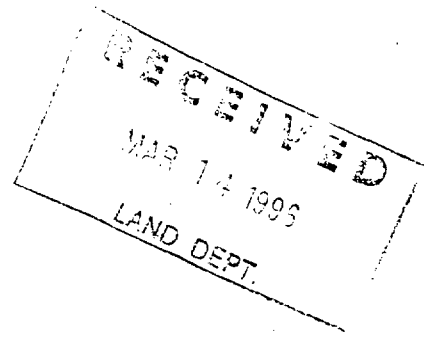
SHARON A. OLSEN, TRUSTEE  
OF THE SHARON ASTON OLSEN TRUST  
P. C. Box 357  
Rimrock, Arizona 86335-0357



# PHILLIPS PETROLEUM COMPANY

ODESSA, TEXAS 79762  
4001 PENBROOK

EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION GROUP  
Permian Basin Region



March 12, 1996

**RE: Illinois Camp-North Working Interest Unit**  
Sections 5 & 6-T18S-R28E, NMPM  
Eddy County, New Mexico  
GF 51001

**WORKING INTEREST OWNERS**  
(SEE ATTACHED LIST)

Ladies and Gentlemen:

Reference is made to Enron Oil & Gas Company's recent proposal to drill the Empire "5" State Com No. 1 well as a 10,500' Morrow gas test in the S½ Section 5-T18S-R28E, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. Enron has reviewed our existing operating agreement for the captioned unit and has elected not to join due to several "onerous" provisions contained therein.

Article XV of the working interest unit operating agreement contains farmout provisions which control when a party elects not to participate in a subsequent well. Any farmout interest must be offered to the parties participating in the cost of drilling a subsequent well on a proportionate basis. Upon completion of a well capable of production in paying quantities, the participating parties shall earn rights equal to (a) the entire present right of the farmor in the largest proration unit assigned by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division to the well, and (b) an undivided one-half (½) of the present interest of the farmor in the contract area outside the proration unit. In Phillips Petroleum Company's opinion, Enron's well proposal cannot justify a 50% backin after payout given today's current market conditions.

In lieu of attempting to negotiate with twenty separate working interest owners to amend/revise the current Illinois Camp-North working interest unit operating agreement to the degree necessary for obtaining Enron's joinder, Phillips recommends the working interest owners agree to revise the contract area for the Illinois Camp-North working interest unit operating agreement to withdraw the 200 acres located in the S½ Section 5-T18S-R28E and agree to enter into a separate operating agreement with Enron for the Empire "5" State Com No. 1 well utilizing each party's interests set forth in column 7 & 8 of Exhibit "A-3" (revised 03-05-96), proportionately reduced.

Attached hereto you will find a schedule setting out each working interest owner's interest in Enron's proposed well, proportionately reduced by 37.5%. Enron has advised they will be

Illinois Camp - North Working Interest Unit

March 12, 1996

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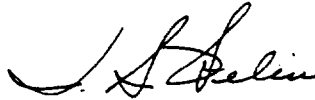
proposing an operating agreement covering the Empire "5" State Com No. 1 well sometime in the near future.

After Enron has furnished all parties with a copy of their proposed operating agreement, Phillips will ballot the working interest owners with regards to amending the contract area for the Illinois Camp-North working interest unit operating agreement.

If you have any questions, or would like to discuss this matter in greater detail, please contact the undersigned at (915) 368-1373.

Sincerely,

**Phillips Petroleum Company**



James S. Welin  
Land Director

cc: J. L. Mathis - Bartlesville w/a  
Patrick J. Tower - Enron w/a ✓

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## Illinois Camp Working Interest Owners Address List

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Marathon Oil Company  
P. O. Box 552  
Midland, TX 79702  
Attn: Wayne Ransbottom

Amoco Production Company  
P. O. Box 3092  
Houston, TX 77253  
Attn: Bill Dukes

Mewbourne Oil Company  
500 West Texas; Suite 1020  
Midland, TX 79701

Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada)  
1500 Mid-America Tower  
20 North Broadway  
Oklahoma City, OK 73102-8260

Ken Perkins Oil & Gas, Inc.  
P. O. Box 1237  
Kingsville, TX 78364

V. P. Sheldon Trust  
San Benito Bank & Trust Co., Trustee  
Drawer 1911  
San Benito, TX 78586-1911

Yates Petroleum Company  
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Artesia, NM 88211-1395  
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Aston Partnership  
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Sharon A. Olsen, Trustee of  
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Rimrock, AZ 86335-0357



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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY FOR  
COMPULSORY POOLING,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

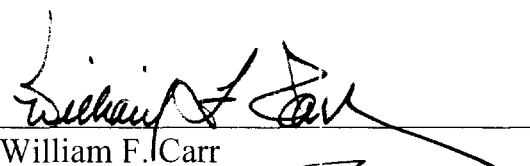
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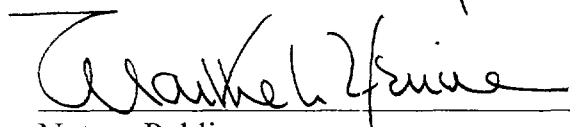
STATE OF NEW MEXICO       )  
  ) ss.  
COUNTY OF SANTA FE       )

William F. Carr, attorney in fact and authorized representative of Enron Oil & Gas Company, the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that in accordance with the notice provisions of Rule 1207 of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division the Applicant has attempted to find the correct addresses of all interested persons entitled to receive notice of this application and that notice has been given at the addresses shown on Exhibit "A" attached hereto as provided in Rule 1207.

Examiner	_____
Case No.	11540
EXHIBIT NO.	5

  
William F. Carr

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 28th day of May, 1996.

  
Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

August 19, 1999

## **EXHIBIT A**

Phillips Petroleum Company  
4001 Penbrook  
Odessa, TX 79710  
Attn: James S. Welin

Marathon Oil Company  
Post Office Box 552  
Midland, TX 79702  
Attn: Randal P. Wilson

Amoco Production Company  
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Attn: Jerry West

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Houston, TX 77002

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Midland, TX 79705  
Attn: Leslyn Swierc

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500 W. Texas, Suite 1020  
Midland, TX 79701  
Attn: Steve Cobb

Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada)  
1500 Mid-America Tower  
20 North Broadway  
Oklahoma City, OK 73102-8260  
Attn: Ken Gray

Vilas P. Shelton Trust  
c/o Philip V. Lee  
Post Office Box 1872  
Kingsland, TX 78639

Yates Petroleum Corporation  
Post Office Box 1395  
Artesia, NM 88211-1395  
Attn: Mecca Mauritsen

Judy B. Gurley Oil & Gas  
2005 Hemlock  
Borger, TX 79008-0710  
Attn: Roy Gurley

Aston Family Limited Partnership  
c/o NationsBank of Texas, NA, Agent  
Post Office Box 830308  
Dallas, TX 75283-0308  
Attn: Jerry Bridgens

Aston Partnership  
c/o The First National Bank of  
Chicago, Agent  
8150 North Central Expressway  
Suite 1211  
Dallas, TX 75206  
Attn: Gail Cotton

Lincoln Aston Estate  
Post Office Box 457  
Round Rock, TX 78680-0457

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May 9, 1996

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**RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**

Phillips Petroleum Company  
4001 Penbrook  
Odessa, TX 79710  
Attn: James S. Welin

Re: Application of Enron Oil & Gas Company for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy  
County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Welin:

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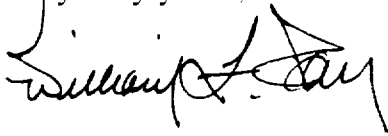
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Marathon Oil Company  
Post Office Box 552  
Midland, TX 79702  
Attn: Randal P. Wilson

Re: Application of Enron Oil & Gas Company for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy  
County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Wilson:

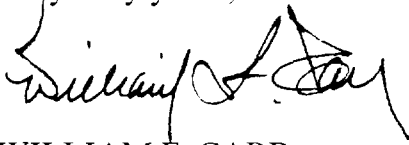
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Amoco Production Company  
Post Office Box 3092  
Houston, TX 77253  
Attn: Jerry West

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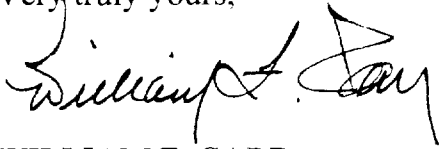
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Mark L. Shidler, Inc.  
1010 Lamar, Suite 500  
Houston, TX 77002

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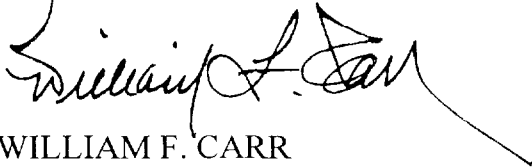
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T.T. Sanders Estate  
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Post Office Box 550  
Roswell, NM 88202-0550

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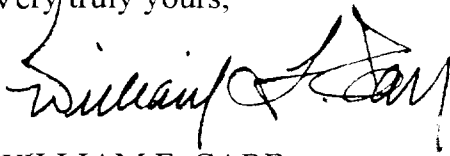
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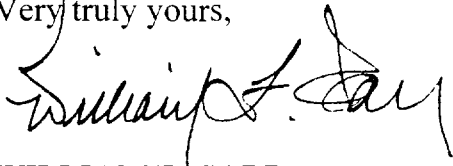
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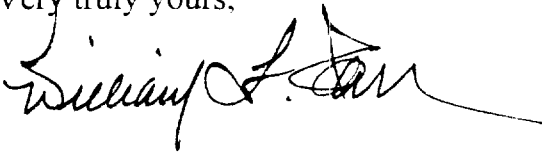
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Southland Royalty Company  
Meridian Oil Inc.  
3300 N. "A" Building 6  
Midland, TX 79705  
Attn: Leslyn Swierc

Re: Application of Enron Oil & Gas Company for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy  
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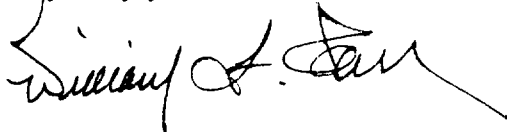
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Mewbourne Oil Company  
500 W. Texas, Suite 1020  
Midland, TX 79701  
Attn: Steve Cobb

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County, New Mexico

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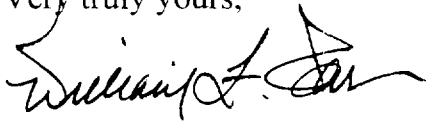
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1500 Mid-America Tower  
20 North Broadway  
Oklahoma City, OK 73102-8260  
Attn: Ken Gray

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c/o Philip V. Lee  
Post Office Box 1872  
Kingsland, TX 78639

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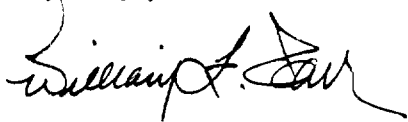
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Post Office Box 1395  
Artesia, NM 88211-1395  
Attn: Mecca Mauritsen

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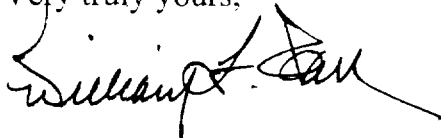
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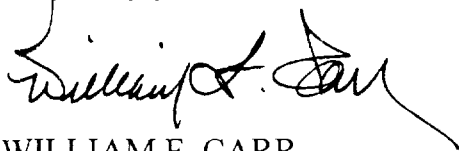
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Dallas, TX 75206  
Attn: Gail Cotton

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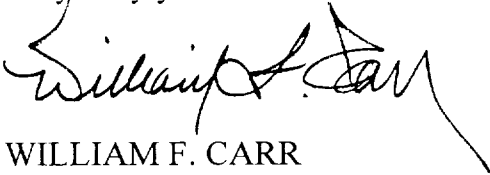
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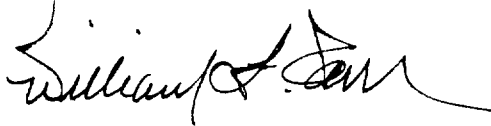
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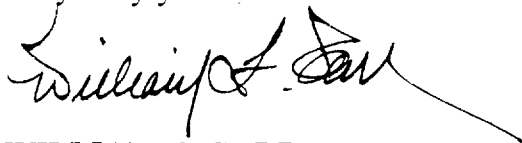
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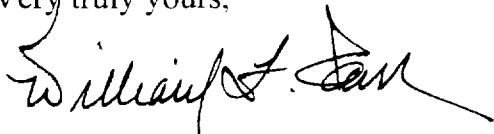


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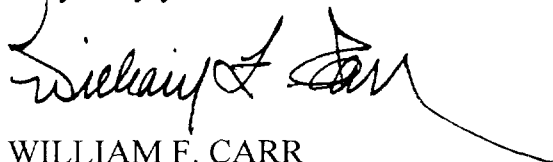
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Re: Application of Enron Oil & Gas Company for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy  
County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Bridgens:

This letter is to advise you that Enron Oil & Gas Company has filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking the force pooling of certain mineral interests in all formations from 5000 feet to the base of the Morrow formation, in and under the S/2 of Section 5, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. Enron Oil & Gas Company proposes to dedicate the referenced pooled unit to its Empire 5 State Com No. 1 Well to be drilled at a standard location in the S/2 of Section 5.

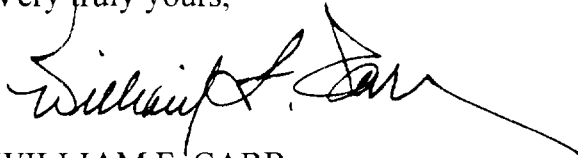
This application has been set for hearing before a Division Examiner on May 30, 1996. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be subject to pooling, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date.

Ellen Hammond Paull  
c/o NationsBank of Texas, NA, Agent  
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It is understood that you may be close to a voluntary agreement with Enron or simply lack the necessary paperwork be signed, Enron's intent is to dismiss this force pooling application as to your interest once the necessary paperwork is executed.

Parties appearing in cases have been requested by the Division (Memorandum 2-90) to file a Prehearing Statement substantially in the form prescribed by the Division. Prehearing statements should be filed by 4:00 o'clock p.m. on the Friday before a scheduled hearing.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "William F. Carr", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

WILLIAM F. CARR  
ATTORNEY FOR ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY

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