February 5, 1997

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Case No. 11,717, Application of Amerind Oil Company, Ltd. for an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Strawn formation underlying Lots 7 and 10 of irregular Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Messrs. Carr and Kellahin:

Reference is made to the aforementioned case scheduled to be heard tomorrow, Thursday, February 6, 1997, at the Division hearing, which case file contains the following:

- Mr. Kellahin's original application dated January 13, 1997:
- The advertisement and call of this case as it appears on Docket No. 4-97;
- Mr. Kellahin's letter dated January 15, 1997, which discusses the orientation of 80-acre spacing and proration units within said irregular Section 2 in the West Lovington-Strawn Pool and rather they would be considered standard or non-standard:
 - Lots 10 and 15 would be standard:

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- (b) Lots 10 and 11 would be non-standard; and,
- (c) Lots 7 and 10 would also be non-standard;
- (4) Mr. Kellahin's request of February 3, 1997 to consolidate this case with Case No. 11716:
- (5) Mr. Carr's entry of appearance in this matter, dated February 3, 1997; and,
- (6) Mr. Carr's motion to dismiss, dated February 5, 1997.

Considering the fact that all of said irregular Section 2 is subject to the "Special Rules and Regulations for the West Lovington-Strawn Pool", as promulgated by Division Order No. R-9722, as amended, which includes a provision for 80-acre spacing, and that a request for a non-standard 80-acre oil spacing and proration unit to comprise Lots 7 and 10, that is the subject of the force pooling application, was not included in the call of Case 11, ""," or legal advertisement for said case, this matter is hereby dismissed.

Also, considering the above action in Case 11717, Amerind may wish to continue Case No. 11716 and re-advertise said application accordingly.

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Michael E. Stogner

Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer

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 Case File 11,717
 Case File 11,716
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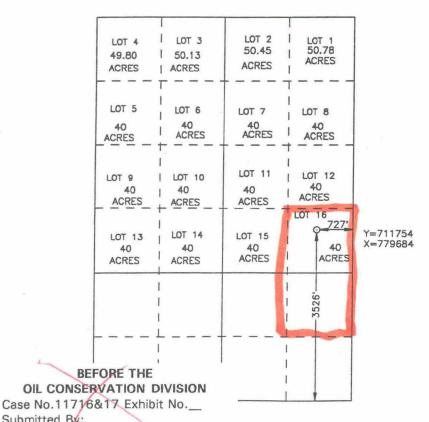
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WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

17 - 17 D	Number	713	Pool Code		il to	Strawn Pool Name			
Property Code 20032		Property Name TOWNSEND STATE						Well Number	
0GRID No. 23654		Operator Name UMC PETROLEUM CORPORATION						Elevation 3983	
					Surface Loca	ation			
L or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
P) 16	2	16 S	35 E	(P)	3526	SOUTH	727	EAST	LEA
			Bottom	Hole Lo	cation If Diffe	rent From Sur	face		
L or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
Dedicated Acre	Joint o	or Infill Co	nsolidation (Code Or	der No.				

OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION



OPERATOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify the the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Scott M. Webb

Printed Name

Regulatory Coordinator

Title

12/2/96

SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION

I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervison, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.

NOVEMBER 29, 1996

JLP

Date Surveyed, E/D Professional Surveyor N.

W.Q. Num 96-11-1577

Certificate No: SONN REWEST.

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Submitted By: Amerind Oil Company Hearing Date: February 6, 1997