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April 4, 1997

TO: ALL INTERESTED PARTIES ENTITLED TO NOTICE  
OF THE HEARING OF THE FOLLOWING NEW MEXICO  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION CASE:

*Re: Application of Marathon Oil Company  
for Compulsory Pooling and an Unorthodox  
Gas Well Location, Eddy County, New Mexico*

On behalf of Marathon Oil Company, please find enclosed our application for an compulsory pooling and an unorthodox gas well location for its Jim Bowie "11" Federal Well No. 1 which has been set for hearing on the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division Examiner's docket now scheduled for May 1, 1997. The hearing will be held at the Division hearing room located in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

As an interest owner who may be affected by this application, we are notifying you of your right to appear at the hearing and participate in this case, including the right to present evidence either in support of or in opposition to the application. Failure to appear at the hearing may preclude you from any involvement in this case at a later date.

Pursuant to the Division's Memorandum 2-90, you are further notified that if you desire to appear in this case, then you are requested to file a Pre-Hearing Statement with the Division not later than 4:00 PM on Friday, April 25, 1997, with a copy delivered to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,



W. Thomas Kellahin

**cc: BY CERTIFIED MAIL-RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED**  
to all parties listed in application

## **EXHIBIT "A"**

Atlantic Richfield Company ("ARCO")  
P. O. Box 1610  
Midland, Texas 79702-1610  
Attn: Lee Scarborough

Yates Petroleum Corporation  
105 South Fourth Street  
Artesia, NM 88210  
Attn: Janet Richardson

Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp.  
14000 Quail Springs Prkwy, Ste 600  
Oklahoma City, OK 73134  
Attn: Rusty Waters

## **EXHIBIT "B"**

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Midland, Texas 79702-1610  
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Louis Dreyfus Natural Gas Corp.  
14000 Quail Springs Prkwy, Ste 600  
Oklahoma City, OK 73134  
Attn: Rusty Waters

Enron Oil & Gas Co.  
P. O. Box 2267  
Midland, Texas 79702

Read & Stevens, Inc.  
P. O. Box 1518  
Roswell, New Mexico 88202

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☒ 14000 Quail Springs Pkwy  
☒ Suite 600  
☒ Oklahoma City, OK 73134  
☒ Attn: Rusty Waters

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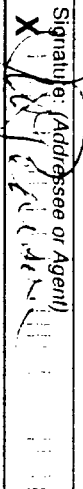
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