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 QUAY VALLEY, INC. FOR AMENDMENT OF DIVISION ORDER NO. R-4629 TO AUTHORIZE A TERTIARY RECOVERY PROJECT BY THE INJECTION OF CARBON DIOXIDE IN ITS NORTH EL MAR-DELAWARE UNIT WATERFLOOD PROJECT AREA. AND TO QUALIFY THIS PROJECT FOR THE RECOVERED OIL TAX RATE PURSUANT TO THE ENHANCED OIL RECOVERY ACT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

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PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Campbell, Carr, Berge & Sheridan, P.A., as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

(Please make a concise statement of what is being sought with this application and the reasons therefore.)

Quay Valley, Inc., applicant in the above-styled cause, seeks approval to institute a tertiary recovery project in its North El Mar Unit Waterflood Project Area by the injection of carbon dioxide into the Delaware formation in the El Mar-Delaware Pool. The El Mar-Delaware Unit Waterflood Project Area encompasses portions of Sections 24, 25, 26, 27, 34, 35 and 36 of Township 26 South, Range 32 East; and Sections 19, 30 and 31 of Township 26 South, Range 33 East. Applicant also seeks to increase the approved surface injection pressure for carbon dioxide injection in this project area to 1160 pounds. Applicant further seeks to qualify the project area for the recovered oil tax rate pursuant to the "New Mexico Enhanced Oil Recovery Act" (Laws 1992, Chapter 38, Sections 1 through 5).

OTHER PARTY

(Please make a concise statement of the basis for opposing this application or otherwise state the position of the party filing this statement.)

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
Stella Swanson, Landman	15 Min.	Approximately 3
William G. Watson, Geologist	20 Min.	Approximately 5
Robert M. Orr, Petroleum Engineer	30 Min.	Approximately 4

OTHER PARTY

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

(Please identify any procedural matters which need to be resolved prior to hearing)

Signature