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VIA FACSIMILE

Mr: Michael E. Stogner
Hearing Examiner
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: *NMOCD Case 12015*
NMOCD case 12017
Applications of Gruy Petroleum Management for
unorthodox gas well locations and simultaneous dedication,
Lea County, New Mexico.

Dear Mr. Stogner:

On behalf of Armstrong Energy Corporation, an adversely affected interest owner, please find enclosed our Entry of Appearance in the referenced case.

Very truly yours,

W. Thomas Kellahin

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Attorney for applicant
Gene Gallegos, Esq.
Attorney for Doyle Hartman
Armstrong Energy Corporation
Attn: Bob Armstrong

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
GRUY PETROLEUM CORPORATION FOR AN
UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION AND SIMULTANEOUS
DEDICATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

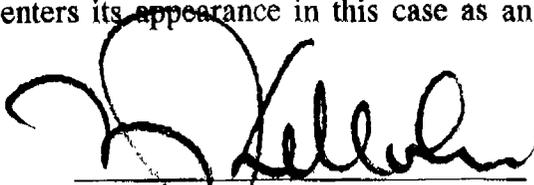
CASE 12015

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ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

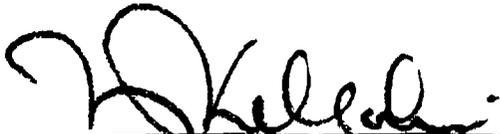
Comes now ARMSTRONG ENERGY CORPORATION, by its attorneys, Kellahin and Kellahin, and enters its appearance in this case as an interested party in opposition to the applicant.



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of this pleading was transmitted by facsimile to counsel of record this 31st day of July, 1998.



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