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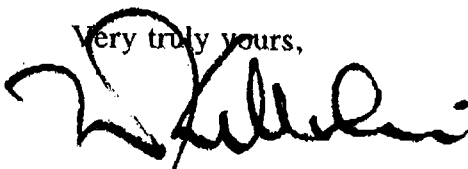
Mr. Michael E. Stogner  
Hearing Examiner  
Oil Conservation Division  
2040 South Pacheco  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: *NMOCD Case 12048*  
*Application of Penwell Energy, Inc*  
*for compulsory pooling,*  
*E/2 Sec 28, T19S, R33E,*  
*Lea County, New Mexico.*

Dear Mr. Stogner:

On behalf of Matador Petroleum 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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*ccx: Matador Petroleum Corporation*  
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STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
PENWELL ENERGY, INC. FOR  
COMPULSORY POOLING  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE 12048

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Comes now MATADOR PETROLEUM 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 MAILING

I certify that a copy of this pleading was transmitted by facsimile to counsel  
for applicant this 9th day of September, 1998.



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