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TO: Mark W. Ashley
OF: NMOCDREF: NMOCD Case 12068
Order No. R-11112
surface commingling case
Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mark:

I would appreciate you telling me how I should process Marathon's request to expand the centralized facility which you approved by the referenced order.

Attached is a copy of the first page of Division Order R-11112 which approved the surface commingling for a number of Marathon's leases. See Plat attached.

Marathon now wants to add the W/2 of Section 33 to this project. Can I do this by filing an administrative application or do you want me to set this up for an examiner's hearing? What type of notice is necessary?

Regards,


W. Thomas Kellahin

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Marathon Oil Company

W.B. Travis 15 State Lease
E 1/2, Sec. 15, T-18S, R-28E

James Garvin 22 State Lease
S 1/2, Sec. 22, T-18S, R-28E

David Crockett 27 State Lease
W 1/2, Sec. 27, T-18S, R-28E

George Pagan 26 State Lease
W 1/2, Sec. 26, T-18S, R-28E

James Buchanan 33 State Lease
E 1/2, Sec. 33, T-18S, R-28E

Samuel Burns 34 State Lease
N 1/2, Sec. 34, T-18S, R-28E

J. Guerrero 34 State Lease
S 1/2, Sec. 34, T-18S, R-28E

Henry Courtman 4 State Lease
N 1/2, Sec. 4, T-19S, R-28E

Edward Mitchusson 4 State Lease
S 1/2, Sec. 4, T-19 S, R-28 E

● Turkey Track North Morrow

● Turkey Track West

● Turkey Track East