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:

CASE NO. 12335

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APPLICATION OF PENWELL ENERGY, INC. FOR AN ORTHODOX WELL LOCATION, SANDOVAL COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

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OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant seeks authorization to drill its Eagle Springs "8" Federal Well No. 1 as a wildcat well to the Entrada formation, at an unorthodox well location 263 feet from the North line and 2548 feet from the East line of Section 8, Township 19 North, Range 4 West, N.M.P.M., Sandoval County, New Mexico. The NW/4 NE/4 of Section 8 is to be dedicated to said well. Said unit is located approximately 7 miles north-northwest of Torreon, New Mexico.

OPPOSITION OR 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 EST. TIME EXHIBITS

(Name and expertise)

Bill Pierce Approx. 15 min. Approx. 7

(Petroleum Geologist)

OPPOSITION

WITNESSES EST. TIME EXHIBITS

(Name and expertise)

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None at this time.

Signature