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January 2, 2001

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Lori Wrotenbery, Director New Mexico Oil Conservation Division 2040 South Pacheco Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: NMOCD Case No. 12441; Application of LG&E Natural Pipeline LLC for Special Project Rules, Grama Ridge Morrow Gas Storage Unit, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Ms. Wrotenbery:

Pursuant to the request of the Division's counsel, Ms. Hebert, we are issuing new notice in the above case reflecting the change of name of the Unit Operator to Raptor Natural Pipeline LLC, f/k/a LG&E Natural Pipeline LLC. Raptor will proceed with the case pursuant to the Amended Application filed on behalf of LG&E on July 19, 2000.

Please have this matter set for hearing on the January 25, 2001 examiner hearing docket. Enclosed is a proposed draft advertisement reflecting the change of name for the Unit Operator/Applicant. An electronic version of the advertisement will be sent to Kathy Valdez as well.

Very truly yours,

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Proposed Advertisement

Application of Raptor Natural Pipeline, LLC, f/k/a LG&E Energy Corporation, for special rules for the Grama Ridge Morrow Gas Storage Unit, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order establishing special rules applicable to wells drilled and completed or recompleted in the Morrow formation within its Grama Ridge Morrow Gas Storage Unit and within each 320-acre spacing unit immediately adjacent to the Unit in the following described area:

Grama Ridge Morrow Gas Storage Agreement

Township 21-South, Range 34 East

Section 33: All Section 34: All

Township 22-South, Range 34 East

Section 3: All Section 4: All Section 10: All

Acreage Adjacent to Unit

Township 21-South. Range 34 East

Section 26: NW/4, S/2 Section 27:All Section 28: All Section 29: E/2, SW/4 Section 32: All Section 35: All

Township 22-South, Range 34 East

Section 2: All
Section 5: All
Section 8: N/2, SE/4
Section 9: All
Section 11: All
Section 14: N/2, SW/4
Section 15: All
Section 16: N/2, SE/4

The application requests the Division establish rules requiring operators of all newly drilled or recompleted wells in the Morrow formation to provide the operator of the Unit with information and data obtained during drilling, completion, and production to determine whether such wells are in communication with the unitized formation or would otherwise interfere with Unit operations. The special project rules would also include provisions requiring the operators of wells determined to be in communication with the Unitized Interval to demonstrate how such well may be produced without interfering with Unit operations or to take such other action determined to be appropriate. The Grama Ridge Morrow Gas Storage Unit is approximately 18 miles west of Eunice, New Mexico.