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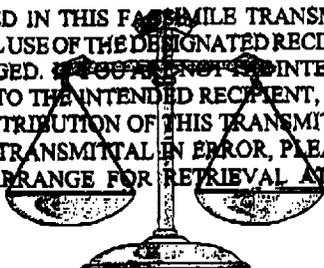
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**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

**APPLICATION OF THE NEW MEXICO
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION,
THROUGH THE ENVIRONMENTAL
BUREAU CHIEF, FOR AN ORDER
DETERMINING THE RESPONSIBLE
PARTY OR PARTIES AND ORDERING
THE RESPONSIBLE PARTY OR PARTIES
TO CONDUCT DIVISION-APPROVED
CORRECTIVE ACTION WITH RESPECT
TO A HYDROCARBON RELEASE; LEA
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 13004

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

MONTGOMERY & ANDREWS, P.A., Paul R. Owen, Esq., hereby enters its appearance in the above-captioned case on behalf of Samedan Oil Corporation ("Samedan"), as substitute counsel for Samedan.

Respectfully submitted,

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