## BEFORE THE

OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF NEW MEXICO

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ROBERTS, KOCH & CARTWRIGHT FOR APPROVAL OF A UNIT AGREEMENT, EDDY COUNTY NEW MEXICO

APPLICATION

COMES NOW Roberts, Koch & Cartwright, and apply to the Oil Conservation Commission of New Mexico for approval of a unit agreement, as an exploratory unit, Eddy County New Mexico, and in support thereof would show the Commission:

Applicant proposes to form its Deer Canyon Unit, consisting of 10,620.45 acres of which 9,091.75 acres or 85.6 per cent are federal lands, and 1,529.20 acres or 14.4 per cent are State of New Mexico Lands. No fee lands are included in the unit. Unitized lands lie in Townships 20 South, Range 21 East, N.M.P.M., Sections 1,2,3,4,9,10,11,12,13,14,15,16,21,22,23, and 24.

Applicant has obtained approval as to form of the Unit Agreement from the Commissioner of Public Lands, and from the Department of the Interior, United States Geological Survey.

Applicant proposes to commence a well within the unit on or before October 31, 1973, and said well, drilled as an exploratory well, to be located in the NW/4 of Section 14, Township 20 South, Range 21 East, N.M.P.M.

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WHEREFORE applicant prays that this application be set for hearing before the Commission or the Commission's duly appointed examiner, and that after notice and hearing as required by law the Commission enter its order approving the unit agreement.

Respectfully submitted,

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