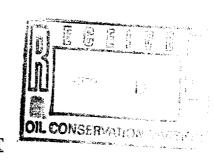
STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 10813

APPLICATION OF ARCO OIL & GAS COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF THE CONVERSION OF SIXTEEN WELLS IN THE EMPIRE ABO UNIT TO INJECTION, EDDY 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.

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

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OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY	ATTORNEY
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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

(Please make a concise statement of what is being sought with this application and the reasons therefore.)

ARCO Oil & Gas Company, applicant in the above-captioned cause, seeks approval to convert sixteen wells to injection in the Empire Abo Unit which is located in portions of Townships 17 and 18 South, Ranges 27, 28, and 29 East.

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)

Gary Smallwood, Petroleum Engineer

20 Min.

Approximately 3

OPPOSITION

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)

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EXHIBITS

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

(Please identify any procedural matters which need to be resolved prior to hearing)

Signature