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Case 8499

Mr. Richard L. Stamets
Oil Conservation Division
P. O. Box 2088
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

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Re: Pennzoil Company

Unorthodox gas well location

Section 36, T16S, R34E

Dear Mr. Stamets:

Please set the enclosed application for hearing at the next available examiner hearing now scheduled for February 27, 1985.

Very ruly your

W. Thomas Kellahi

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cc: Mr. Lonny Whitfield
Pennzoil Company
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Midland, Texas 79702

## STATE OF NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND MINERALS OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PENNZOIL COMPANY FOR UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE: 8499

## APPLICATION

Comes now Pennzoil Company, by and through its attorneys, Kellahin & Kellahin, and applies to the Oil Conservation Division of New Mexico for an order approving an unorthodox gas well location 990 FSL and 660 FWL in the Wolfcamp Pennsylvanian formations underling the W/2 of Section 36, Township 16 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, and in support thereof would show:

- Applicant is the owner and operator in the W/2 of Section 36, Township 16 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.
- 2. Applicant desires to drill a well at an unorthodox gas well location to test various formations from the top of the Wolfcamp to the base of the Pennsylvanian formations.
- 3. Applicant proposes to drill at a location 990 feet FSL and 660 feet FWL of said Section 36.
- 4. The proposed location is the optimum location from which to test for deep gas in the W/2 of Section 36.

Wherefore, applicant requests that this application be set for hearing before the Division's examiner and that after notice and hearing, the application be granted as requested.

Respectfully submitted:

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