

STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS & 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. 11,460

APPLICATION OF SANTA FE ENERGY
RESOURCES, INC. FOR A UNIT
AGREEMENT, LEA COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO.

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(Oil Conservation Division)

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by Applicant as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCE OF PARTIES

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STATEMENT OF CASE

Applicant requests approval of the Tomcat Unit, covering all or parts of Sections 8, 15-17, 20-22, and 28 in Township 23 South, Range 32 East. Applicant proposes to drill an initial unit well to test the Morrow formation. Unitization will ensure orderly development of the Morrow and other prospective reservoirs in this area.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

Applicant:

<u>WITNESSES</u>	<u>ESTIMATED TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Joe Hammond (Landman)	10 minutes	(a) Land Plat (b) Unit Agreement (c) Land Commissioner & BLM approvals (d) AFE
Curt Anderson (Geologist)	10 minutes	(a) Structure Map (b) Cross-section

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