

**BEFORE THE
NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND
NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

ms.

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

CASE NO. 12815

**APPLICATION OF READ & STEVENS, INC. FOR
POOL CREATION AND SPECIAL POOL RULES,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

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ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

COMES NOW HOLLAND & HART LLP and hereby enters its appearance in the above referenced case on behalf of Northern Oil Company.

Respectfully submitted,

HOLLAND & HART LLP

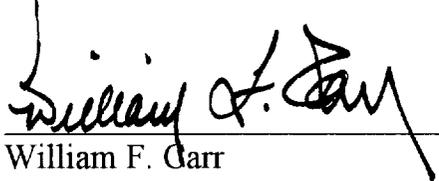
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 19th day of February 2002 I have caused to be fax-delivered a copy of our Entry of Appearance in the above-captioned case to the following named parties:

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