

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

**APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 23246

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

Hinkle Shanor LLP (Dana S. Hardy, Jaclyn McLean and Yarithza Peña) hereby enters its appearance on behalf of V-F Petroleum Inc. in the above-referenced matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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