

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

**APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC  
FOR HEARING *DE NOVO* OF CASE NOS. 23640-23645  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 23942**

**ENTRY OF APPEARANCE**

Hinkle Shanor LLP (Dana S. Hardy and Jaclyn M. McLean) hereby enters its appearance  
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