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

APPLICATION OF STEWARD ENERGY II, LLC, TO EXTEND TIME TO COMMENCE DRILLING OPERATIONS, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 25210 ORDER NO. R-23144

NOTICE OF WITHDRAWAL AND SUBSTITUTION OF COUNSEL

Hinkle Shanor LLP hereby withdraws its entry of appearance in this matter on behalf of Steward Energy II, LLC, and Hardy McLean LLC (Dana S. Hardy and Jaclyn M. McLean) hereby enters its appearance.

Respectfully submitted,

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