

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF PRESTON  
EXPLORATION, L.L.C. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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CASE NO. 13236  
MAY 12 2004

Oil Conservation Division  
1220 S. St. Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, NM 87505

MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

Applicant, Preston Exploration, L.L.C., through its counsel, moves pursuant to the Division Director's June 17, 2002 Memorandum that the Examiner enter an order continuing the hearing on the Application in this matter to the May 27, 2004 examiner hearing docket. As grounds for this motion, Applicant states:

A continuance was sought by opponents, Chase Farms and Chase Oil Corporation, due to the unavailability of their witness on the May 13, 2004 hearing date. Applicant agreed to the opponents request for continuance.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing pleading was served by facsimile on this 17 day of May, 2004 to the following:

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