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

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

APPLICATION OF OCEAN ENERGY, INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

No. 13036

APPLICATION OF DAVID H. ARRINGTON OIL & GAS, INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

No. 13039

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

James Bruce enters his appearance in the above case on behalf of Nadel and Gussman Permian, L.L.C.

Nadel and Cussman Permian, T.L.C., an interest owner in the well unit, supports the location as proposed by Ocean Energy, Inc. In addition, it requests that the Division name Ocean Energy, Inc. as operator of the well unit.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that a copy of the foregoing pleading was served upon the following counsel of record this _______ day of March, 2003, via facsimile transmission:

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