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**HAND DELIVERED**

Mr. Mark E. Fesmire, Director  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South Saint Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

*Case 13601*

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Re: Application of Fasken Oil and Ranch Ltd.  
for Approval of a Salt Water Disposal Wellbore  
Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Fesmire:

I represent Fasken Oil and Land Ltd. ("Fasken") By administrative application dated September 13, 2005, Fasken forward for filing to the Division its application for approval of one of three possible salt-water disposal wellbores, ("SWD"). On September 15, 2005, AmeriCo Energy Resources, LLC, an offsetting operator, received its copy of this application.

Contrary to Division Rule 19.15.9.701(c)(3), AmeriCo failed to file its objection within the 15-day objection period waiting until October 13, 2005 to forward its objection to the Division.

Without waiving its right to have the Division dismiss AmeriCo's untimely objection and in order to avail itself of the next available Examiner's hearing docket, Fasken requested that this matter be set for hearing on the December 15, 2005 docket. Enclosed is our proposed advertisement of this case for the NMOCD docket. I further request that the Division incorporate by reference Fasken's previously filed C-108

Very truly yours,



W. Thomas Kellahin

Notice for hearing for December 15, 2005 docket  
Submitted by W. Thomas Kellahin

CASE 13601. Application of Fasken Oil and Ranch, Ltd. for a salt water disposal wellbore, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order approving three possible salt water disposal wellbores ("SWDs") and authority to utilize only one among these three for actual injection: (a) the Denton Well No. 1 (API No. 30-025-05288) located 1980 feet FNL and 1988 feet FWL (Unit F) of Section 11, T15S, R37E; (b) the Denton Well No. 5 (API No. 30-025-05292) located 658 FNL and 662 feet FEL (Unit A) of Section 11, T15S, R37E, and (c) the Denton 11 (API No. 30-025-05298) located 660 feet FNL and 1815 feet FEL (Unit B) of Section 11, T15S, R37E, for disposal of produced water into the Pennsylvanian formation thorough perforations or open hole at a depth from approximately 9506 feet to 10950 feet. This hearing was set based upon an objection filed by AmeriCo Energy Resources, LLC on October 13, 2005. These proposed SWD wells are located approximately 18 miles southeast of Tatum, New Mexico.