

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

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

APPLICATION OF ARCH PETROLEUM INC.  
FOR APPROVAL OF LEASE COMMINGLING,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 13151

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by applicant as required by  
the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

Arch Petroleum Inc.  
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Attention: Thomas R. Land  
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APPLICANT'S ATTORNEY

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OPPONENT

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant seeks approval of lease commingling of Teague Paddock-Blinebry Pool production from eleven existing wells located on three fee leases collectively covering the SW $\frac{1}{4}$  and W $\frac{1}{2}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of section 27, Township 23 South, Range 37 East, NMPM, without separately metering production from each well or lease.

OPPONENT

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES

Thomas R. Land  
(landman)

EST. TIME

10 min.

EXHIBITS

Three

WJB  
9/17/03

Rex Jasper  
(engineer)

10 min.

Two

OPPONENT

WITNESSES

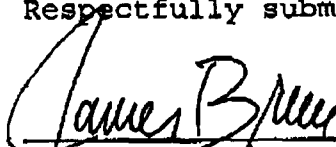
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EXHIBITS

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

-None-

Respectfully submitted,

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