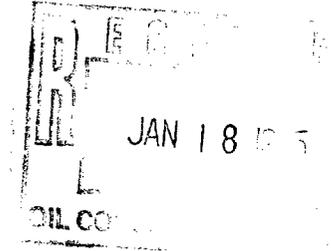


STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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



APPLICATION OF ORYX ENERGY COMPANY
FOR AN UNORTHODOX INFILL GAS WELL LOCATION,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

No. 11189

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Campbell, Carr, Berge & Sheridan, P.A.,
as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

(Please make a concise statement of what is being sought with this application and the reasons therefore.)

OTHER PARTY

(Please make a concise statement of the basis for opposing this application or otherwise state the position of the party filing this statement.)

Chevron will appear and request that the proposed ORYX well be penalized due to its unorthodox location and request that the penalty for the spacing unit be increased if ORYX produces more than a well on this spacing unit.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
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OTHER PARTY

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
David Rittersbacher, Geologist	15 Min.	Approximately 4
Brian Huzzy, Petroleum Engineer	10 Min.	Approximately 3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

(Please identify any procedural matters which need to be resolved prior to hearing)


Signature

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this 17th day of January, 1995, I have caused to be faxed and hand-delivered a copy of our Pre-Hearing Statement in the above-captioned case to the following named counsel:

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