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January 9, 1996

**VIA TELECOPY**

Michael Stogner  
Chief Hearing Officer/Engineer  
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2040 South Pacheco Street  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87501

Re: Case No. 11434; Application of Meridian Oil Inc. for Compulsory Pooling  
and an Unorthodox Gas Well Location, San Juan County, New Mexico,  
Proposed Seymour No. 7A Well

Dear Mr. Stogner:

This letter will advise you that we received Meridian's Response to our Motion to Dismiss at 11:30 on January 8, 1996, although the Division received its copy on January 5. We intend to file a Reply in Support of the Motion to Dismiss, and will have that to you prior to the scheduled hearing on January 11, 1996.

Very truly yours,

GALLEGOS LAW FIRM, P.C.

By   
MICHAEL J. CONDON

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