

**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:

CASE NO. 11483

APPLICATION OF PENWELL ENERGY, INC
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING AND AN
UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

APPLICANT

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INTERESTED PARTY

ATTORNEY

STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

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

Penwell Energy, Inc., applicant in the above-styled cause, seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the N/2 of Section 33, Township 21 South, Range 33 East, for all formations developed on 320-acre spacing. Said unit is to be dedicated to the J.D. Federal 33 Well No. 1 to be drilled at an unorthodox location 660 feet from the North line and 2080 feet from the East line in the N/2 of Section 33. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for the risk involved in drilling said well.

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.)

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

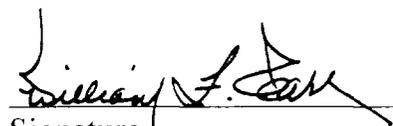
WITNESSES (Name and expertise)	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
Mark Wheeler, Land	15 Min.	Approximately 5
John Thoma, Geology	10 Min.	Approximately 4

OTHER PARTY

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

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



Signature