





NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS  
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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
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Gentlemen:

In accordance with the provisions of Division Order No. R-10848 entered on July 31, 1997, the Oil Conservation Division is reopening Case No. 11750 in order to give all operators in the Northeast Shoe Bar-Strawn Pool, Lea County, New Mexico, the opportunity to appear and show cause why the temporary special pool rules for the Northeast Shoe Bar-Strawn Pool should not be rescinded and said pool not be developed either on statewide 40-acre spacing or with an optional second well on each 80-acre unit.

This case will appear on the docket for the Examiner Hearing to be held on February 18, 1999, at the Oil Conservation Division Hearing Room, 2040 S. Pacheco, Santa Fe, New Mexico, at 8:15 a.m. A copy of the advertisement for this hearing is enclosed.

Sincerely,

*Florene Davidson*

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OC Staff Specialist

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