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BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CULBERTSON & IRWIN INC. TO DUALLY COMPLETE A WELL FOR OIL AND GAS PRODUCTION IN LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

TO THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION:

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Respectfully submitted

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