

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF ORYX ENERGY COMPANY FOR
COMPULSORY POOLING, NON-STANDARD
GAS PRORATION UNIT, AND AN
UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

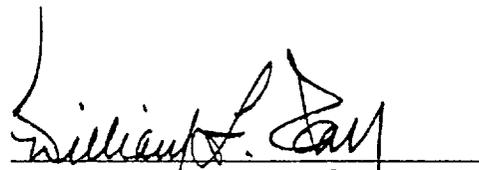
CASE NO. 10270

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO)
)ss.
COUNTY OF SANTA FE)

BEFORE EXAMINER STORNER OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
ORYX EXHIBIT NO. <u>5</u>
CASE NO. <u>10270</u>

WILLIAM F. CARR, attorney in fact and authorized representative of ORYX Energy Company, the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that the notice provisions of Rule 1207 of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division have been complied with, that Applicant has caused to be conducted a good faith diligent effort to find the correct addresses of all interested persons entitled to receive notice as shown by Exhibit "A" attached hereto, and that pursuant to Rule 1207, notice has been given at the correct addresses provided by such rule.


WILLIAM F. CARR

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 19th day of March, 1991.


Notary Public

My Commission Expires:
August 19, 1991

EXHIBIT A

Yates Petroleum Corp.
105 South Fourth Street
Artesia, New Mexico 88210

Conoco, Inc.
Conoco Plaza, 10 Desta Drive
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Marathon Oil Company
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Attn: Tom Lowry

Chevron U.S.A. Inc.
Post Office Box 1150
Midland, Texas 79702

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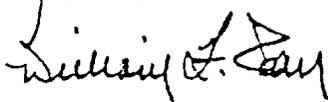
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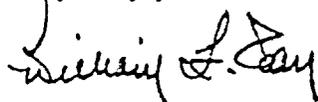
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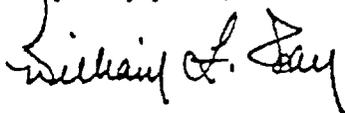
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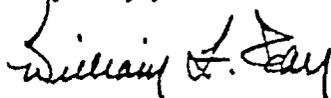
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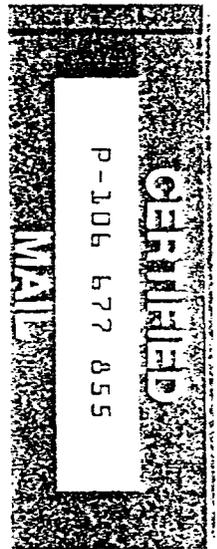
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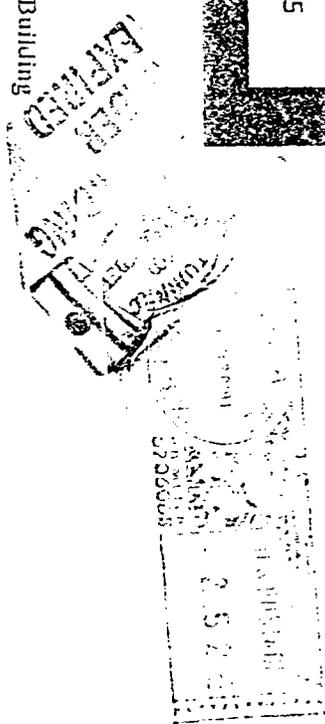
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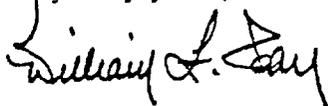
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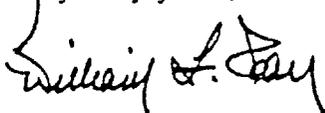
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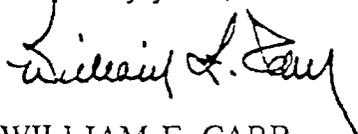
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Re: Application of ORYX Energy Company for Compulsory Pooling and an
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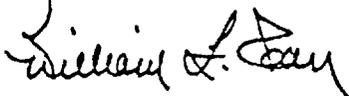
Gentlemen:

This letter is to advise you that ORYX Energy Company has filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking the force pooling of all mineral interests from the top of the Wolfcamp formation to the base of the Morrow formation in and under certain lands in Section 19, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. ORYX Energy Company proposes to dedicate the above-referenced pooled acreage to a well to be located at an unorthodox location 990 feet from the South and East lines of said Section 19.

This application has been set for hearing before a Division Examiner on March 21, 1991. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be subject to pooling, or affected by the proposed unorthodox location, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date.

Parties appearing in cases have been requested by the Division (Memorandum 2-90) to file a Prehearing Statement substantially in the form prescribed by the Division. Prehearing statements should be filed by 4:00 o'clock p.m. on the Friday before a scheduled hearing.

Very truly yours,



WILLIAM F. CARR
ATTORNEY FOR ORYX ENERGY COMPANY
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