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September 14, 1987

Ms. Florene Davidson  
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RE: Application of Howard Olsen To Reopen Case  
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Very truly yours,

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Post Office Box 10  
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Dear Mr. Hensley:

In reviewing our records we find that you are the attorney of record in two cases which have been continued indefinitely and have not had any action taken on them in over a year. Said cases are listed on the attached sheet.

If we do not receive word from you instructing us otherwise within 15 days from the date of this letter, we will set the cases for the next scheduled hearing at which time they will be dismissed.

Sincerely,

*Florene Davidson*

Florene Davidson  
OC Staff Specialist

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✓ Case 8668 - Examiner Hearing - October 7, 1987

Application of Howard Olsen to Reopen Case  
8668 to Reconsider the Provisions of Division  
Order No. R-8031, Lea County, New Mexico

Continued Indefinitely

Case 8769 - Examiner Hearing - October 7, 1987

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Order No. R-8091, Lea County, New Mexico

Continued Indefinitely

Cases 8668 and 8769 involved applications of Doyle  
Hartman for Compulsory Pooling.

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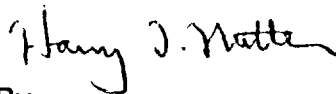
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**RESPONSE TO APPLICATION  
AND MOTION TO DISMISS**

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I certify that a copy of the foregoing Response was served on this 16th day of June, 1989, to all counsel of record.

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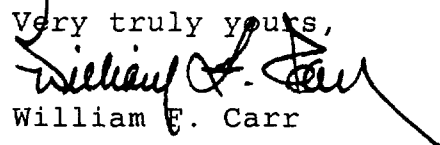
Case 8769: In the Matter of Case No. 8769 being reopened  
upon Application of Howard Olsen to Reconsider the  
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Dear Mr. LeMay:

Doyle Hartman requests that the above-referenced cases currently scheduled for hearing before a division examiner on July 26, 1989 be continued to the examiner hearing scheduled for August 9, 1989. Mr. Harold L. Hensley, Jr., attorney for Howard Olsen, concurs in this request for continuance.

Your attention to this matter is appreciated.

Very truly yours,

  
William F. Carr

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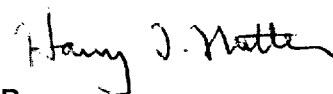
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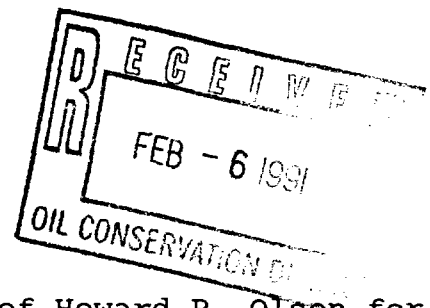
ATTENTION: Mr. Robert Stovall  
General Counsel

Re: Case No. 8688 (Reopened)  
Case No. 8769 (Reopened)

Dear Mr. Stovall:

Please find enclosed the request of Howard R. Olsen for stays of Order Nos. R-8031-A and R-8091-A pending the outcome of Mr. Hartman's Application for Hearing De Novo in each case.

Mr. Howard R. Olsen has elected to participate in the Carlson Federal No. 4 and Carlson Federal No. 5 wells, pursuant to the terms of the above referenced Orders, and by copy of this letter to Mr. Gene Gallegos, Doyle Hartman's attorney, we are confirming that election to participate. However, in light of Mr. Hartman's Applications for Rehearing before the full Commission, currently set for hearing on February 28, 1991, we are requesting stays of the Orders so that the 30 day time period within which we must evidence our election to participate by the payment to Mr. Hartman of our pro rata well costs, plus interest, will not expire. While we feel that the full Commission will not reverse the Hearing Examiner's Decision, Mr. Olsen would suffer extremely negative consequences if forced to pay Mr. Hartman in

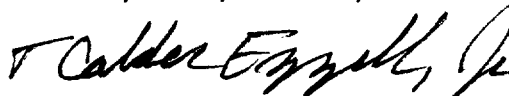


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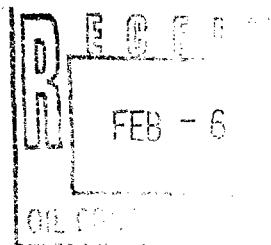
Yours very truly,

HINKLE, COX, EATON, COFFIELD & HENSLEY

  
T. Calder Ezzell, Jr.

TCE/tw  
Enclosures

cc: Mr. J. E. Gallegos  
Mr. Howard Olsen



STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED  
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CONSIDER THE APPLICATION OF:

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DOYLE HARTMAN FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
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APPLICATION OF HOWARD OLSEN TO RECONSIDER  
THE PROVISIONS OF DIVISION ORDER NO. R-8031

REQUEST FOR STAY

Howard R. Olsen, a party of record affected by the decision of the Oil Conservation Division herein in the above referenced Order No. R-8031-A, hereby requests that the 30 day time period from the date of the Order within which Howard Olsen may elect to participate in the Carlson Federal No. 4 well and to pay his pro rata share of drilling, completion and operating costs of said well be stayed until the resolution of the Application filed by Doyle Hartman, Oil Operator, for a Hearing De Novo before the full Oil Conservation Commission.

Respectfully submitted,

HINKLE, COX, EATON, COFFIELD & HENSLEY

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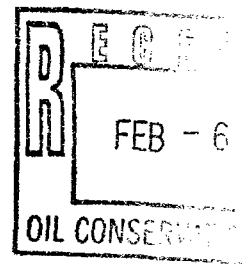
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ATTORNEYS FOR HOWARD R. OLSEN

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I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Request for Stay was hand delivered this 6th day of February, 1991, to the Gallegos Law Firm, Attention: J. E. Gallegos and Joanne Reuter, attorneys for Doyle Hartman, Oil Operator.

  
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John R. Kulseth, Jr.



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ORDER GRANTING STAY

BY THE DIVISION:

THIS MATTER came before the Division upon the Application of Howard R. Olsen to stay the time periods imposed by the Division in Order No. R-8031-A pending the outcome of a hearing De Novo before the full Commission of Case No. 8668 (Reopened) as requested by Doyle Hartman, Oil Operator.

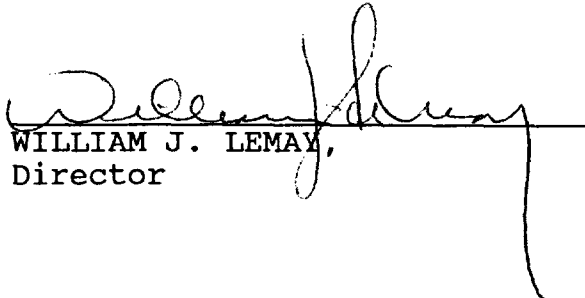
IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED that the 30 day time period from the date of Order No. R-8031-A within which Howard Olsen may elect to participate in the Carlson Federal No. 4 well by the payment of his pro rata share of drilling, completion and operating costs, plus interest, and the 30 day period from the date of such payment within which Doyle Hartman Oil Operator must account for and pay to Olsen proceeds from production attributable to Olsen's interest, with interest thereon, be and hereby are stayed pending the outcome of the hearing De Novo



before the full Commission as requested by Doyle Hartman Oil  
Operator.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico on this 6th day of  
February, 1991.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
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WILLIAM J. LEMAY,  
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I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing Pre-Hearing Statement was served via U.S. Mail, postage pre-paid to T. Calder Ezzell, Jr., Esq., Counsel for Howard Olsen, this 22nd day of February, 1991.

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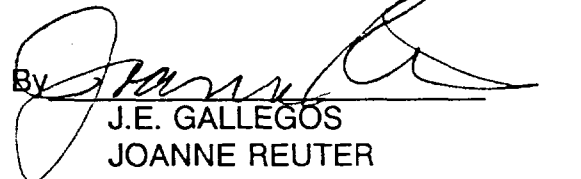
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ACCEPTANCE OF SERVICE

COMES NOW, ATWOOD, MALONE, MANN & TURNER (Robert H. Strand)  
and hereby accepts service of the Application on behalf of  
Defendant, Doyle Hartman.

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