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Case 9325

William J. LeMay, Director
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New Mexico Department of
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources
State Land Office Building
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

Re: In the Matter of the Application of Enron Oil and Gas Company for Amendment of the Special Pool Rules for the Cinta Roja-Morrow Gas Pool, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed is the Application of Enron Oil & Gas Company in the above-referenced case. Enron Oil & Gas Company respectfully requests that this matter be placed on the docket for the Examiner hearings scheduled on March 2, 1988.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. CARR

WFC/mlh Enclosure

cc w/enclosure: Mr. Bill Lewis

Enron Oil & Gas Company

#### BEFORE THE

## OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

# NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS,

### AND NATURAL RESOURCES

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY FOR AMENDMENT OF THE SPECIAL POOL RULES FOR THE CINTA ROJA-MORROW GAS POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 9325

## APPLICATION

ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY, by and through its undersigned attorneys, hereby makes application to the Oil Conservation Division for an order amending the Special Pool Rules for the Cinta Roja-Morrow Gas Pool as promulgated by Division Order No. R-3161 dated December 6, 1966 to provide for the optional drilling of an infill well on each 640-acre spacing unit in said pool, or within one (1) mile of said pool and in support thereof would show the Division:

- l. Applicant is the operator of certain properties within the Cinta Roja-Morrow Gas Pool which pursuant to the Special Pool. Rules for this pool is developed with one well to each 640-acre spacing unit.
- 2. That infill drilling is necessary to effectively and efficiently drain a 640-acres spacing or proration unit in this pool.

- 3. Authorization of the development of this pool by permitting the operators therein, at their option, to drill an additional well on each 640-acre spacing unit, said wells being authorized to produce only one 640-acre allowable out of either well at any proportion, will increase production from the pool and will result in the recovery of hydrocarbons that will otherwise not be recovered from the pool.
- 4. Granting this application will be in the best interests of conservation, the prevention of waste and the protection of correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Enron Oil & Gas Company requests that this matter be set for hearing before a duly appointed Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on March 2, 1988, and that after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order granting this application and providing such other and further relief as is deems appropriate.

Respectfully submitted,

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