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Florene Davidson
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Santa Fe, NM 87503

Oil Conservation Division

**Re: Application of Santa Fe Energy Resources, Inc. for Approval of
a Unit Agreement, Lea County, New Mexico**

Dear Florene:

Enclosed is an original and two copies of an Application for Approval of a Unit Agreement in Lea County, New Mexico on behalf of Santa Fe Energy Resources, Inc., along with a proposed advertisement. Please schedule this matter for the September 21, 1995 Examiner Hearing. Thank you for your help.

Very truly yours,

HINKLE, COX, EATON, COFFIELD
& HENSLEY, P.L.L.C., Ltd., Co.



James Bruce

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BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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APPLICATION OF SANTA FE ENERGY
RESOURCES, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF
A UNIT AGREEMENT, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO

Oil Conservation Division

NO. 11383

APPLICATION

Santa Fe Energy Resources, Inc. hereby applies for approval of a unit agreement for its proposed Kemosabe Unit, and in support thereof states:

1. Applicant requests approval of the Kemosabe Unit Agreement, an exploratory unit comprised of the following state lands:

Township 18 South, Range 34 East, N.M.P.M.

Section 13: All

Township 18 South, Range 35 East, N.M.P.M.

Section 18: Lots 1-4, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$, NE $\frac{1}{4}$

Comprising 1112.64 acres, more or less.

2. Applicant requests that it be designated operator of the unit.

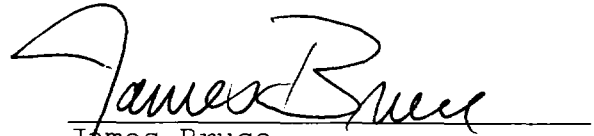
3. Preliminary approval of the unit is being obtained from the Commissioner of Public Lands.

4. The granting of this application is in the interests of conservation and the prevention of waste.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that the Kemosabe Unit Agreement be approved.

Respectfully submitted,

HINKLE, COX, EATON, COFFIELD
& HENSLEY, P.L.L.C., Ltd., Co.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "James Bruce". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, sweeping initial "J".

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PROPOSED ADVERTISEMENT

Case No. 11383: Application of Santa Fe Energy Resources, Inc. for a Unit Agreement, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval of the Kemosabe Unit Agreement for an area comprising 1112.64 acres, more or less, of State lands consisting of all of Section 13, Township 18 South, Range 34 East, and Lots 1-4, E $\frac{1}{2}$ W $\frac{1}{2}$, and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 18, Township 18 South, Range 35 East. Said unit area is centered approximately 4 miles South of Buckeye, New Mexico.

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