STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOUL JES DEPARTMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION ARTESIA DISTRICT OFFICE

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February 11, 1997

Oxy USA Inc. P.O. Box 50250 Midland, Tx. 79710-0250

Re:

Well Placed In Pool

Gentlemen:

As the result of Division Order R-10724 the following described well has been placed in the pool shown below. This change in nomenclature has been made in our files. Please change your records to reflect the proper pool name. All subsequent reports must show this nomenclature until further notice.

> Carlsbad; Strawn, South Gas Pool Bear #1 Unit J, Section 17, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, NMPM Poolcode: 74120

Transporters are advised, by copy of this letter, to change their records to reflect the pool name as established by this order, effective February 1, 1996..

Sincerely,

Bryan Arrant District Geologist

El Paso Nartural Gas cc:

Navajo Refining Company

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