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<u>Hand Delivered</u>

Florene Davidson Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

> Case No. 13240 Re:

Dear Florene:

Enclosed for filing, on behalf of Edge Petroleum Exploration Company, are an original and one copy of an <u>amended</u> application for compulsory pooling, together with a proposed advertisement. Please set this matter for the April 29, 2004 Examiner hearing. (The original application, set for April 1st, was continued to April 29th.)

The parties being pooled are listed on Exhibit A.

The proposed advertisement is also on the enclosed disk.

Very truly yours,

James Bruce

Attorney for Edge Petroleum Exploration Company

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EXHIBIT A

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Jerome M. Westheimer Trustee of the Westheimer Property Trust Dated 4/13/88, as amended P.O. Box 42B Ardmore, OK 73402

RECEIVEL APR 6 2004 BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION Oil Conservation Division 1220 S. St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, NM 87505 APPLICATION OF EDGE PETROLEUM EXPLORATION COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO. CASE NO. 13240

AMENDED APPLICATION

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Edge Petroleum Exploration Company applies for an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation underlying the N¹/₂ of Section 28, Township 16 South, Range 34 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico, and in support thereof, states:

1. Applicant is a working interest owner in the $N\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 28, and has the right to drill a well thereon.

2. Applicant proposes to drill its Kemnitz "28" State Well No. 1, at an orthodox location in the SW¹/₄NE¹/₄ of Section 28, to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation (approximately 13,400 feet subsurface), and seeks to dedicate the following acreage to the well:

- (a) the N¹/₂ of Section 28 to form a standard 320 acre gas spacing and proration unit for any pools and/or formations developed on 320 acre spacing within that vertical extent, including the South Kemnitz Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool; and
- (b) the SW¼NE¼ of Section 28 to form a standard 40 acre oil spacing and proration unit for any pools and/or formations developed on 40 acre spacing within that vertical extent, including the Kemntiz-

Lower Wolfcamp Pool, Undesignated Kemnitz-Cisco Pool, and Undesignated Kemnitz-Strawn Pool.

3. Applicant has in good faith sought to obtain the voluntary joinder of all other mineral interest owners in the $N\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 28 for the purposes set forth herein.

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4. Although applicant attempted to obtain voluntary agreements from all mineral interest owners to participate in the drilling of the well, or to otherwise commit their interests to the well, certain interest owners have failed or refused to join in dedicating their interests. Therefore, applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interest owners in the N¹/₂ of Section 28 pursuant to NMSA 1978 §70-2-17.

5. The pooling of all mineral interests underlying the N¹/₂ of Section 28, as set forth above, will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste, and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division enter its order:

- A. Pooling all mineral interests in the N¹/₂ of Section 28, from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation;
- B. Naming Edge Petroleum Operating Company as operator of the well;
- C. Considering the cost of drilling and completing the well, and allocating the cost thereof to the well's working interest owners;
- D. Approving actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates as provided in the COPAS accounting procedure; and

E. Setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the well.

Respectfully submitted,

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Attorney for Edge Petroleum Exploration Company

Case 13240: Application of Edge Petroleum Exploration Company for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation underlying the following described acreage in Section 28, Township 16 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, and in the following manner: The N½ to form a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 320-acre spacing within that vertical extent, including but not limited to the South Kemnitz Atoka-Morrow Gas Pool; and the SW1/NE1/ to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within that vertical extent, including but not limited to the Kemnitz-Lower Wolfcamp Pool, Undesignated Kemnitz-Cisco Pool, and Undesignated Kemnitz-Strawn Pool. The units are to be dedicated to the proposed Kemnitz "28" State Well No. 1, to be drilled at an orthodox location in the SW4NE4 (Unit G) of Section Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and 28. completing the well and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Edge Petroleum Operating Company as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well. The units are located approximately 10% miles east-northeast of Maljamar, New Mexico.

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