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ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Application To Amend Order No. R-12984 To Remove Certain Acreage From The Basin-Mancos Gas Pool (97232); To Create A Mancos Oil Pool With Special Pool Rules; To Exempt Horizontal Wells From Pre-Existing Pools In The Subject Area And Restrict Those Pools To Current Boundaries; To Abolish Oil Allowables In The Subject Area; To Retain For The New Oil Pool The Authority To Downhole Commingle Production From The Mancos, Mesaverde And Dakota Formations Provided By Order No. R-12984-B; And To Amend The Special Rules For The Counselors Gallup-Dakota Pool (13379); San Juan, Rio Arriba, Sandoval And Mckinley Counties, New Mexico.

CASE NO. 15191

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION'S MOTION TO CONTINUE

COMES NOW, Oil Conservation Division (OCD), by and through its legal counsel, Gabriel Wade, pursuant to Rule 19.15.4.13.C NMAC, and hereby moves for a continuance of the hearing in this matter.


As grounds, OCD states the following:

1. This matter is set for hearing on January 8, 2015.
2. The OCD Director has retired. A new Director will not be in office until early 2015. The OCD will need time for the new Director to become familiar with the complex issues presented in this case.
3. The OCD's key witness in this matter has retired. The OCD will need time for the new witness to become familiar with the complex issues presented in this case.
4. Additionally, two other Oil Conservation Commission hearings on proposed rulemaking will take place in early 2015. The OCD will need time to prepare for these hearings.

5. The OCD assumes this Motion to be opposed.

WHEREFORE, the OCD respectfully requests that the hearing in this matter be continued to a date during or after April 2015.

Respectfully Submitted,




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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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