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LEGAL NOTICE
April 18, 2006

NOTICE

To: Trustee Under the Will of M.H. McGrail, International Oil & Mining Co., Theldon Scott Parrett, Carl Eugene Parrett, Kathy Parrett, Larry Bruce Parrett, Roy Dean Parrett, James H. Conley, Beverly Downing, Donovan C. Cammack, Dorothy Cammack, and the heirs of Myrtle Houghton, Agnes Houghton, Charles A. Houghton, Blanche Van Winkle, Gladys Wilson, Virgil W. Houghton, Ruby Kralowetz, Eunice Conley, and J.W. Hill: Pride Energy Company has filed an application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Mississippian formation underlying the following described acreage in Section 13, Township 11 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico: The N/2 to form a standard 320 acre gas spacing and proration unit for all formations spaced on 320 acres; the NE/4 to form a standard 160 acre gas spacing and proration unit for all formations spaced on 160 acres; the W/2NE/4 to form a standard 80-acre oil spacing and proration unit for all formations spaced on 80 acres; and the SW/4NE/4 to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for all formations spaced on 40 acres. The units are to be dedicated to the Inbe "13" Well No. 1, to be located at an orthodox location in the SW/4NE/4 of the section. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the well and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well. The application is scheduled to be heard at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, May 11, 2006 at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. As an interest owner in the well unit you have the right to enter an appearance and participate in the case. Failure to appear will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date. The units are located approximately 8-1/2 miles east-southeast of Caprock, New Mexico.

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

CASE NUMBER 13,703

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