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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

APPLICATION OF CHI ENERGY, INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

No. 13118

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by applicant as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

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 31, Township 22 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, and in the following manner: The E½ 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 the South Carlsbad-Strawn and Gas Pool South Carlsbad-Morrow Gas Pool; and the NE% to form a standard 160acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 160-acre spacing within that vertical extent. The units are to be dedicated to applicant's Allen Com. Well No. 2, located at an orthodox location in the SE½NE% of Section 31. 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 Chi Operating, Inc. as operator of the well, and a charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well.

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSESEST. TIMEEXHIBITSGary Green10 Min.Approx. 4

(landman)

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(geologist)

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

Respectfully submitted,

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