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**Re: In the Matter of the Application of Merrion Oil and Gas Corp. for
Compulsory Pooling in San Juan County, New Mexico
NMOCD Case No. 14163**

Dear Florene:

Enclosed for filing are the original and two copies of an Application for
Hearing de Novo in the above-referenced matter.

On behalf of the Applicant, we ask that this matter be set for Commission
hearing on December 11, 2008.

Very truly yours,

J. Scott Hall

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Enclosures

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO
DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES
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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION
OF MERRION OIL AND GAS CORP. FOR
COMPULSORY POOLING IN SAN JUAN
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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CASE NO. 14163
ORDER NO. R-13000
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APPLICATION FOR HEARING DE NOVO

Western Refining Southwest, Inc., pursuant to NMSA 1978 Section 70-2-13, requests the above-referenced matter be set for hearing de novo before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission on December 11, 2008.

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By: 

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was faxed to counsel of record on the 31st day of October, 2008, as follows:

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