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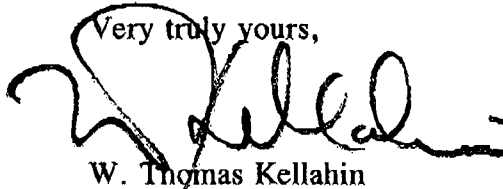
Michael E. Stogner
Chief Hearing Examiner
Oil Conservation Division
2040 South Pacheco
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Re: *NMOCD Case 11724*
Application of Gillespie-Crow, Inc. for unit expansion, statutory
unitization and EOR qualification, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. Stogner:

On behalf of Snyder Ranches, Inc. and Larry Squires, an affected interest owner, please find enclosed our Entry of Appearance in the referenced case.

Very truly yours,



W. Thomas Kellahin

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cc: *Snyder Ranches*
Attn: Larry Squires

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
GILLESPIE-CROW, INC. FOR UNIT EXPANSION,
STATUTORY UNITIZATION AND EOR CERTIFICATION
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

CASE NO. 11724

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

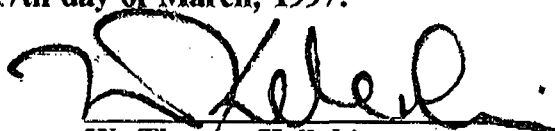
**Comes now SNYDER RANCHES, INC AND LARRY SQUIRES,
by their attorneys, Kellahin and Kellahin, and enters its appearance in
this case as an interested party affected by this application.**



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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

**I certify that a copy of this pleading was transmitted by facsimile
to counsel of record this 17th day of March, 1997.**



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