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

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

CASE NO. 11386

APPLICATION OF AMERADA HESS
CORPORATION FOR AN UNORTHODOX
GAS WELL LOCATION AND A NON-
STANDARD GAS SPACING AND
PRORATION UNIT,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Campbell, Carr & Berge, P.A., as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

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name, address, phone and
contact person

INTERESTED PARTY

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

(Please make a concise statement of what is being sought with this application and the reasons therefore.)

Amerada Hess Corporation, applicant in the above-styled cause, seeks approval to drill its North Bell Lake Federal Well No. 3 at an unorthodox gas well location 1930 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the East line (Unit H) of Section 6, Township 23 South, Range 34 East, to test the Undesignated North Bell Lake-Ellenburger Gas Pool. All of said irregular Section 6 is to be dedicated to said well to form a non-standard 628.62-acre gas spacing and proration unit for said pool.

OTHER PARTY

(Please make a concise statement of the basis for opposing this application or otherwise state the position of the party filing this statement.)

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
S. Kerlick, Geologist	15 Min.	Approximately 7

OTHER PARTY

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

(Please identify any procedural matters which need to be resolved prior to hearing)

Signature