

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF SANTA FE ENERGY  
RESOURCES, INC. FOR COMPULSORY  
POOLING AND AN UNORTHODOX WELL  
LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Case No. 11461

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Oil Conservation Division

MOTION FOR A CONTINUANCE

Applicant hereby requests a two week continuance in the above case, and in support thereof states:

1. The application in this case requested the pooling of all of Section 29 - 22 South - 34 East for pools spaced on 640 acres (including the Devonian), and the E½ of Section 29 for pools spaced on 320 acres. The application also requested an unorthodox gas well location 1330 feet FNL and FEL.

2. The affected interest owners are: Amerada Hess, which owns working interests in the SE¼ of Section 29 as to all formations; and Robert E. Landreth, who owns working interests in the SE¼ of Section 29 above the base of the Morrow formation.

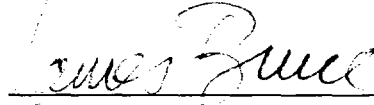
3. Applicant is attempting to obtain a farmout of Amerada Hess' rights. It could then form a 640-acre unit without the need to pool anyone. Applicant will also dismiss its request to pool the E½ of Section 29, and thus Mr. Landreth will not be affected by this case.

4. Applicant is also finalizing its well location with the Bureau of Land Management. The final location may be at an orthodox location for a 640-acre unit.

5. As a result of the foregoing negotiations, Applicant requests a two week continuance, which may lead to the dismissal of the case.

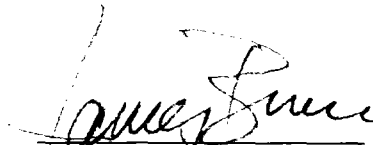
WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that this case be continued for two weeks.

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& HENSLEY, L.L.P.

  
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing motion was sent via facsimile transmission this 20<sup>th</sup> day of February, 1996 to W. Thomas Kellahin, P.O. Box 2265, Santa Fe, NM 87504, (505) 982-2047.

  
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