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William J. LeMay, Director Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources 2040 South Pacheco Street Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503 1 67.

Re: Application of Penwell Energy, Inc. for Pool Expansion and Special Pool Rules for the Cedar Canyon-Bone Spring Pool, Eddy County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed in triplicate is the Application of Penwell Energy, Inc. in the above-referenced matter and a copy of a legal advertisement for this case. Penwell Energy, Inc. respectfully requests that this matter be placed on the docket for the November 7, 1996 Examiner hearings.

Very truly yours,

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WFC:mlh Enclosures

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