STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT **OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION** DO NAY 26 PIL

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

CASE NO: 12112 (REOPENĖD)

APPLICATION OF GP II ENERGY, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF A WATERFLOOD PROJECT AND QUALIFICATION OF THE PROJECT FOR THE RECOVERED OIL TAX RATE PURSUANT TO THE ENHANCED OIL RECOVERY ACT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

APPLICANT

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

Application of GP II Energy, Inc. for Approval of a Waterflood Project and Qualification of the Project for the Recovered Oil Tax Rate Pursuant to the Enhanced Oil Recovery Act, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks approval of its Square Lake Unit Waterflood Project by injection of water into the Grayburg and San Andres formations through 23 injection wells located in the following described area:

Township 16 South, Range 30 East, NMPM

Section 25: E/2 Section 36: N/2

Township 16 South, Range 31 East, NMPM Section 19: S/2 Section 20: S/2 Section 27: SW/4, S/2 NW/4, NW/4 NW/4, S/2 SE/4, NW/4 SE/4, SW/4 NE/4 Section 28 through 34: All

Applicant requests that the Division establish procedures for administrative approval of additional injection wells within the unit area without the necessity of further hearings and the adoption of any provisions necessary for such other matters as may be appropriate for waterflood operations. Applicant further seeks to qualify the project area for the recovered oil tax rate pursuant to the "New Mexico Enhanced Oil Recovery Act" (Laws 1992, Chapter 38, Sections 1 through 5). this area is located approximately 5 miles northeast of Loco Hills, New Mexico.

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
Manny Sirgo, III (Landman)	Approx. 30 min.	Approx. 5
<u>OPPOSITION</u>		

WITNESSES (Name and expertise) EST. TIME

EXHIBITS

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

GP II, Energy, Inc. has none at this time.

William F. Cark Attorney for GP II Energy, Inc.