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**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:

APPLICATION OF TEXACO EXPLORATION
AND PRODUCTION INC. FOR
SURFACE COMMINGLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 12170

OIL CONSERVATION DIV.
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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

Texaco Exploration & Production Inc.
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name, address, phone and
contact person

ATTORNEY

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INTERESTED PARTY

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contact person

ATTORNEY

STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

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

Texaco Exploration & Production Inc., applicant in the above-captioned case seeks an exception to Division Rules 303-A and 309-A to permit surface commingling of Eumont-Yates Seven Rivers Queen Prorated Gas, Monument-Tubb, Skaggs-Drinkard and Skaggs-Abo Gas Pool production from the E.H.B. Phillips Lease covering the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 10, the E.H.B. Phillips "B" Lease covering the W/2 NE/4, E/2 NW/4 of Section 10, and the E.H.B. Phillips "C" Lease covering the E/2 NE/4 of Section 10, all in Township 20 South, Range 37 East.

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

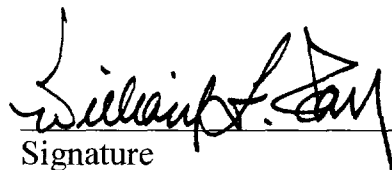
APPLICANT

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
Ron Lanning, Land	10 Min.	Approximately 2
Alan Chase, Production Engineer	10 Min.	Approximately 3

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

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


Signature