

**EXHIBIT A
NOTIFICATION LIST
APPLICATION OF NEARBURG EXPLORATION COMPANY
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**SECTION 30, TOWNSHIP 17 SOUTH, RANGE 27 EAST,
NMPM, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

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Re: *Application of Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C. for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico*

Gentlemen:

This letter is to advise you that Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C. filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking the compulsory pooling of all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation, in certain spacing and proration units in the N/2 of Section 30, Township 17 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. Nearburg proposes to dedicate the referenced pooled units to a well to be drilled at a standard location in the SE/4 NE/4 of said Section 30.

This application has been set for hearing before a Division Examiner on January 6, 2000. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by this application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date.

Parties appearing in cases have been requested by the Division (Memorandum 2-90) to file a Prehearing Statement substantially in the form prescribed by the Division. Prehearing statements should be filed by 4:00 o'clock p.m. on the Friday before a scheduled hearing.

Very truly yours,



Paul R. Owen
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