STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 02 FEB 20 PM 2: 55

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

APPLICATION OF TMBR/SHARP DRILLING INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

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Case No. 12,816

ENTRY OF APPEARANCE

James Bruce enters his appearance in the above case on behalf of Ocean Energy, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Entry of Appearance was served upon the following counsel of record via facsimile transmission this 1000 day of February, 2002:

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