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Florene Davidson
Oil Conservation Division
1220 South St. Francis Drive
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Case 12927

Dear Florene:

Enclosed are an original and one copy of an application for compulsory pooling, together with a proposed advertisement, filed on behalf of Ricks Exploration Inc. Please set this matter for the September 19, 2002 Examiner hearing. Thank you.

The application and advertisement are also on the enclosed disk under "RICK."

Very truly yours,


James Bruce

Attorney for Ricks Exploration Inc.

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