

**BEFORE THE OIL CONSERVATION
DIVISION
Santa Fe, New Mexico**

Case No. 12956 Exhibit No. 10
Submitted by: Great Western Drilling Company
Hearing Date: November 14, 2002

**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
GREAT WESTERN DRILLING COMPANY FOR
COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO,**

CASE NO. 12956

**NOTICE LETTERS
and
CERTIFIED RETURN RECEIPTS**

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**Exhibit A
to Affidavit of Paul R. Owen
In the Matter of the Application
of Great Western Drilling Company
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October 30, 2002
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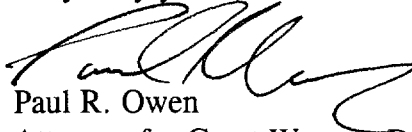
Gentlemen:

This letter is to advise you that Great Western Drilling Company filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking the compulsory pooling of all mineral from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation, in certain spacing and proration units in the E/2 of Section 1, Township 16 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. Great Western proposes to dedicate the referenced pooled units to its proposed Lovington Federal No. 1 Well, to be drilled at a standard location in said Section 1.

This application has been set for hearing before a Division Examiner on November 14, 2002. 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
Attorney for Great Western Drilling Company

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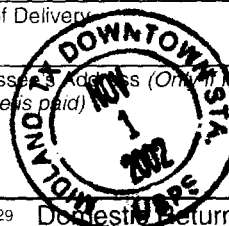
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