BEFORE THE

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ORYX ENERGY COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, NON-STANDARD GAS PRORATION UNIT, AND AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 10270

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WILLIAM F. CARR, attorney in fact and authorized representative of ORYX Energy Company, the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that the notice provisions of Rule 1207 of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division have been complied with, that Applicant has caused to be conducted a good faith diligent effort to find the correct addresses of all interested persons entitled to receive notice as shown by Exhibit "A" attached hereto, and that pursuant to Rule 1207, notice has been given at the correct addresses provided by such rule.

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this 19th day of March, 1991.

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My Commission Expires:

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This application has been set for hearing before a Division Examiner on March 21, 1991. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be subject to pooling, or affected by the proposed unorthodox location, 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,

WILLIAM F. CARR

ATTORNEY FOR ORYX ENERGY COMPANY

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