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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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Re: Application of Enron Oil & Gas Company for an Unorthodox Gas Well Location, Lea County, New Mexico

November 24, 1992

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Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed in triplicate is the Application of Enron Oil & Gas Company in the above-referenced case as well as a copy of a legal advertisement. Enron Oil & Gas Company respectfully request that this matter be placed on the docket for the December 17, 1992 Examiner hearings.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. CARR

WFC:mlh Enclosures

cc w/enclosures: Mr. Patrick J. Tower

BEFORE THE

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NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES RECEIVED

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

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CASÉ NO. /(1/4/5)

APPLICATION

COMES NOW ENRON OIL & GAS COMPANY, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby makes application to the Oil Conservation Division for approval of an unorthodox gas well location and in support of this application states:

- 1. Applicant is the operator of the W/2 of Section 36, Township 24 South, Range 33 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico, and proposes to drill its Diamond "SM 36" State Well No. 2 at an unorthodox location 990 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the West line of said Section 36 to test the Wolfcamp formation, Undesignated Pitchfork Ranch-Wolfcamp Gas Pool, the Atoka formation, Undesignated West Pitchfork Ranch Atoka Gas Pool and the Morrow formation Undesignated Pitchfork Ranch-Morrow Gas Pool.
- 2. Applicant seeks an exception to the well location requirements of Oil Conservation Rule 104 C(2)(B) to permit the drilling of a proposed well at the above-described unorthodox location.
- 3. Approval of this application will afford applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of hydrocarbons underlying this spacing unit and will otherwise

be in the best interest of conservation, the prevention of waste and the protection of correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that this application be set for hearing before a duly appointed Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on December 17, 1992, and, that after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its Order granting this application and providing such other relief as is proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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Application of Enron Oil & Gas Company for an unorthodox gas well location, Lea County, new Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause, seeks approval of an unorthodox gas well location 990 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the West line (Unit O) of Section 36, Township 24 South, Range 33 East, to test the Wolfcamp formation Undesignated West Pitchfork Ranch-Wolfcamp Gas Pool, the Atoka formation, Undesignated West Pitchfork Ranch-Atoka Gas Pool and the Morrow formation, Undesignated Pitchfork Ranch-Morrow Pool. The W/2 of said Section 36 to be dedicated to said well forming a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit. The proposed well site is located approximately 14.5 miles west of Jal, New Mexico.