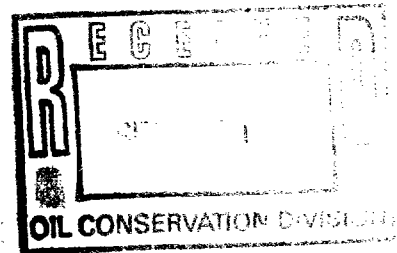


**STATE OF NEW MEXICO
ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT
OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION**

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

CASE NO. 10817

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
MERIDIAN OIL INC., FOR
COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.



PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Campbell, Carr, Berge & Sheridan, P.A., as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

APPLICANT

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name, address, phone and
contact person

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

(Please make a concise statement of what is being sought with this application and the reasons therefore.)

OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

(Please make a concise statement of the basis for opposing this application or otherwise state the position of the party filing this statement.)

Enron has filed an application with the Division in which it also seeks an Order pooling the S/2 of Section 35, Township 17 South, Range 30 East. This case is set for hearing on September 23, 1993.

Enron is the majority leasehold owner in the S/2, desires to operate this spacing unit and proposes to drill a well at what it will show is a better well location.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES
(Name and expertise)

EST. TIME

EXHIBITS

OPPOSITION

WITNESSES
(Name and expertise)

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EXHIBITS

Pat Tower, Landman

5 Min.

Approximately 2

Barry Zinz, Geologist

10 Min.

Approximately 3

Randy Cate, Petroleum Engineer

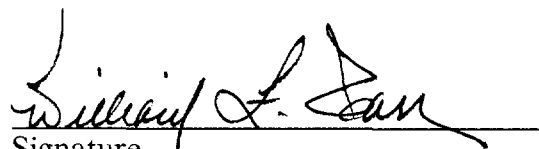
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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

(Please identify any procedural matters which need to be resolved prior to hearing)

Enron will request that this case be continued to the September 23, 1993 Examiner hearing docket and at that time consolidate for purposes of hearing with its compulsory pooling application.


Signature