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June 28, 1994

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William J. LeMay, Director Oil Conservation Division New Mexico Department of Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources State Land Office Building Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

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Re: Applications of AnSon Gas Corporation for Compulsory Pooling, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed in triplicate are four Applications of AnSon Gas Corporation in the abovereferenced cases as well as copies of legal advertisements. AnSon Gas Corporation respectfully requests that these matters be placed on the docket for the July 21, 1994 Examiner hearings.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM F. ÇARR

WFC:mlh Enclosures

 cc: Mr. Charles E. Lundeen, Land Manager (w/enclosures) AnSon Gas Corporation
3814 North Santa Fe
Oklahoma City, OK 73118

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF ANSON GAS CORPORATION FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO. CASE NO. <u>//025</u>

APPLICATION

ANSON GAS CORPORATION, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby makes application pursuant to the provisions of N.M.Stat.Ann. § 70-2-17, (1978), for an order pooling all mineral interests in the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 33, Township 16 South, Range 38 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico, and in support thereof states:

1. Applicant owns or represents approximately 96% of the working interest in the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 33, and Applicant has the right to drill thereon.

2. Applicant proposes to dedicate the above-referenced spacing or proration unit to its Anderson 33 Well No. 1 to be drilled at a standard oil well location in the NW/4 SE/4 of said Section 33, to a depth of approximately 11,800 feet, more or less, to test any and all formations from the surface to the base of the Strawn formation.

3. Applicant has sought and been unable to obtain either voluntary agreement for pooling or farmout from certain interest owners in the NW/4 SE/4 of said Section 33.

4. Said pooling of interests will avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells, will prevent waste and will protect correlative rights.

5. In order to permit the Applicant to obtain its just and fair share of the oil and gas underlying the subject lands, all mineral interests should be pooled, and Applicant should be designated the operator of the well to be drilled.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on July 21, 1994 and, after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order pooling the lands, including provisions for Applicant to recover its costs of drilling, equipping and completing the well, its costs of supervision while drilling and after completion, including overhead charges, and imposing a risk factor for the risk assumed by the Applicant in drilling, completing and equipping the well.

Respectfully submitted,

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APPLICATION, Page 2 CASE <u>11025</u>: Application of AnSon Gas Corporation for compulsory pooling, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Strawn formation, underlying the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 33, Township 16 South, Range 38 East. Said unit is to be dedicated to the Anderson 33 Well No. 1 to be drilled at a standard oil well location in the NW/4 SE/4 of said Section 33. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said area is located approximately miles ______ of ______, New Mexico.

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