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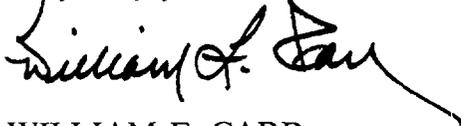
William J. LeMay, Director
Oil Conservation Division
New Mexico Department of Energy,
Minerals and Natural Resources
State Land Office Building
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87503

Re: In the Matter of the Application of ARCO Oil and Gas Company for
Compulsory Pooling, Lea County, New Mexico

Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed in triplicate is the Application of ARCO Oil and Gas Company in the above-referenced case. ARCO Oil and Gas Company respectfully requests that this matter be placed on the docket for the Examiner hearings scheduled on November 14, 1990.

Very truly yours,



WILLIAM F. CARR

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Enclosures

cc w/enc.: Kent Bickham

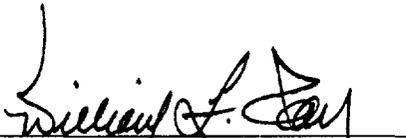
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5. In order to permit Applicant to obtain its just and fair share of the oil and gas underlying the subject lands, the mineral interests should be pooled, and Applicant should be designated the operator of the well.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that this application be set for hearing before a duly appointed Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on November 14, 1990, 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, and making such other and further provisions as may be proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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