BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

APPLICATION OF SANTA FE ENERGY OPERATING PARTNERS, L.P. FOR AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, No. 10176 RECEIVED EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

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APPLICATION

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

Santa Fe Energy Operating Partners, L.P. hereby applies for an order approving an unorthodox gas well location, and in support thereof states:

- 1. Applicant is a working interest owner in the N₂ of Section 33, Township 22 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico.
- Applicant proposes to drill a well at a 2. location 660 feet from the North line and 1,650 feet from the West line of Section 20 to a depth sufficient to test the Morrow formation.
- 3. The $N^{\frac{1}{2}}$ of Section 33 will be dedicated to the well.
- The granting of this Application is in the 4. interests of conservation, the prevention of waste, and the protection of correlative rights.
- 5. Applicant requests that this matter be heard at the December 19, 1990 Examiner Hearing.

WHEREFORE, Applicant request that, after hearing, the Division enter its Order approving the requested unorthodox gas well location.

Respectfully Submitted,

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