BEFORE THE

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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND MINERALS CONSERVATION DIVISION

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF DOYLE HARTMAN FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case 8769

APPLICATION

Comes now, DOYLE HARTMAN, by and through his undersigned attorneys and, as provided by Section 70-2-17, N.M.S.A. (1978), hereby makes application for an order pooling all of the mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Langlie Mattix formation, in and under the SE/4 of NE/4 of Section 26, Township 25 South, Range 37 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico, and in support thereof would show the Division:

- 1. Applicant owns or represents approximately 75% of the working interest in and under the SE/4 of NE/4 of Section 26, and applicant has the right to drill thereon.
- 2. Applicant proposes to dedicate the above-referenced pooled unit to a well to be drilled at a standard location in said Section 26.
- 3. Applicant has sought and obtained either voluntary agreement for pooling or farmout from all other interest owners in the SE/4 of NE/4 of said Section 26, except for R. Howard Olson, Post Office Box 32279, Phoenix, Arizona 85018, owner of a 25% working interest.
- 4. Said pooling of interests and well completion will avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells, will prevent waste and

will protect correlative rights.

5. In order to permit the applicant to obtain his 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 to be drilled.

WHEREFORE, applicant prays that this application be set for hearing before a duly appointed Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on November 21, 1985, and that after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order pooling the lands, including provisions for applicant to recover his costs of drilling, equipping and completing the well, his 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, approving the location of the well as proposed by applicant, and making such other and further provisions as may be proper in the premises.

Respectfully submitted,

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