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William J. LeMay, Director  
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*Case 9427*

Re: In the Matter of the Application of Nearburg Producing  
Company for an Unorthodox Gas Well Location and  
Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico

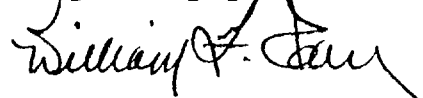
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Dear Mr. LeMay:

Enclosed please find three Applications of Nearburg Producing  
Company in the above-referenced cases. Nearburg Producing  
Company respectfully requests that these matters be placed on the  
docket for the Examiner hearings scheduled on July 6, 1988.

Very truly yours,



WILLIAM F. CARR

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Enclosure

cc w/enclosure: Mr. Mark Nearburg  
Nearburg Producing Company

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ENERGY, MINERALS, AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF  
NEARBURG PRODUCING COMPANY FOR AN  
UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION AND SIMULTANEOUS  
DEDICATION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 9427

APPLICATION

NEARBURG PRODUCING COMPANY by its undersigned attorneys, hereby makes application to the Oil Conservation Division for approval of an unorthodox gas well location and simultaneous dedication, and in support thereof states:

1. Applicant is the operator of the S/2 of Section 23, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, and proposes to drill its Parino 23 K Well #2 at a point 1500 feet from the South and West lines of said Section 23 and to simultaneously dedicate the S/2 of Section 23 to this well and its Parino Well No. 1 located 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the East line of said Section.

2. Applicant seeks an exception to the well location requirements of Oil Conservation Division Rule 104 to permit the drilling of the well at the above described unorthodox location to a depth sufficient to adequately test the Pennsylvanian formation, Boyd Morrow Field.

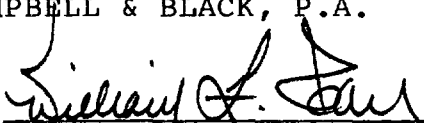
3. That approval of this application will afford applicant the opportunity to produce its just and equitable share of hydrocarbons underlying this spacing unit and will otherwise be in the best interest of conservation, the prevention of waste and the protection of correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Applicant prays that this application be set for hearing before a duly appointed examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on July 6, 1988, and that after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order granting this application and providing such other relief as is proper.

Respectfully submitted,

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