STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

IN THE MATTER OF:

APPLICATION OF FASKEN OIL & RANCH LTD. FOR AN ORDER AUTHORIZING AN ADDITIONAL WELL IN THE "POTASH AREA" AT AN UNORTHODOX WELL LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

> CASE NO. 14116 Order No. R-12955-D

ORDER GRANTING APPLICATION FOR HEARING DE NOVO

THIS MATTER having come before the Chair of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Commission on the Application for Hearing De Novo filed by Intrepid Potash – New Mexico LLC, the Chair hereby grants the application.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:

The Application for Hearing De Novo filed in Case No. 14116 will be scheduled for hearing before the Oil Conservation Commission on June 18, 2009.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 1st day of May, 2009.

MARK E. FESMIRE, P.E., Chair

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