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

APPLICATION OF DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, L.P., FOR A HORIZONTAL SPACING UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Case No. 22404

### **PREHEARING STATEMENT**

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. ("Devon"), OGRID No. 6137, through its undersigned attorneys, submits the following Prehearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division ("Division").

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## **APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE**

In Case No. 22404, Devon seeks an order (1) establishing a standard 800-acre, more or less, spacing and proration unit comprised of the NW/4 of Section 23 and the W/2 of Sections 14 and 11, Township 26 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, and (2) pooling

all uncommitted mineral interests in the Wolfcamp formation, designated as an oil pool, underlying said unit. Devon proposes to dedicate the unit to its Muskie 23-11 Fed Com 1H Well, Muskie 23-11 Fed Com 2H Well, Muskie 23-11 Fed Com 3H Well, and Muskie 23-11 Fed Com 4H Well.

Devon proposes the **Muskie 23-11 Fed Com 1H Well**, an oil well, to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 NW/4 (Unit E) of Section 23 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 11.

Devon proposes the **Muskie 23-11 Fed Com 2H Well**, an oil well, to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 NW/4 (Unit E) of Section 23 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 11.

Devon proposes the **Muskie 23-11 Fed Com 3H Well**, an oil well, to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SE/4 NW/4 (Unit F) of Section 23 to a bottom hole location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 11. The **Muskie 23-11 Fed Com 3H Well** is the proximity well positioned in the unit to allow for the use of proximity tracts in order to create the larger unit covering the NW/4 of Section 23, and the W/2 of Sections 14 and 11.

Devon proposes the **Muskie 23-11 Fed Com 4H Well**, an oil well, to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SE/4 NW/4 (Unit F) of Section 23 to a bottom hole location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 11.

# APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Landman: Tim Prout	Approx. 10 min	Approx. 5
Geologist: Matt Myers	Approx. 10 min	Approx. 6

## **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Devon requests that, for purposes of the hearings, this Case No. 22404 be consolidated with Case No. 22403 as they involve units within the same sections. No protests or objections have been filed and Devon does not anticipate any at this time; consequently, Devon plans to conduct the hearing by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

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#### **QUESTIONS**

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#### QUESTIONS

Testimony		
Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony.		
Number of witnesses	2	
Testimony time (in minutes)	10	