

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

**APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 22371**

**COG OPERATING LLC'S RESPONSE TO THE  
OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION'S INQUIRY**

COG Operating LLC ("COG") hereby provides the following response in support of the above-referenced application:

1. In the above-referenced case, COG seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Corral Canyon; Bone Spring, South Pool (13354) within the Bone Spring formation underlying a 280-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2W/2 of Section 5, the E/2NW/4 and NE/4SW/4 of 8, Township 26 South, Range 29 East, Eddy County, New Mexico and seeks to dedicate this unit to its Hambone Federal Com #505H well.

2. The above-referenced case was heard and taken under advisement at the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") hearing held on January 6, 2022. During the hearing, the Division expressed concern regarding the status of the acreage in the SE/4SW/4 of Section 8.

3. COG intends to include and develop the S/2SW/4 of Section 8 within a separate spacing unit. Accordingly, the SE/4SW/4 of Section 8 will not be stranded.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on January 6, 2022, I caused a true and correct copy of this document to be electronically served on the following:

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