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

APPLICATION OF MRC PERMIAN COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF AN OVERLAPPING HORIZONTAL WELL SPACING UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 23740

APPLICATION OF MRC PERMIAN COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 23741

APPLICANT'S CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

MRC Permian Company ("MRC"), the applicant in the above-referenced matters, submits this consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF THE CASE

In these consolidated matters, MRC seeks orders pooling horizontal well spacing units in the Bone Spring formation underlying the W2 of Section 2, Township 23 South, Range 35 East, and the W2 of Sections 35 and 26, Township 22 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico as follows:

- Under <u>Case 23740</u>, MRC seeks an order approving and pooling an overlapping 480-acre, more or less, standard horizontal well spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation underlying the W2W2 of Sections 2, 35 and 26 to be initially dedicated to the proposed **Uncle Don State Com 111H** well to be horizontally drilled from the SW4 of Section 2, with a first take point in the SW4SW4 (Unit M) of Section 2 and a last take point in the NW4NW4 (Unit D) of Section 26. This proposed horizontal well spacing unit will overlap a 40-acre spacing unit comprised of the SW4SW4 (Unit M) of Section 35 dedicated to the Matador Uncle Don State No. 1 well, a vertical well producing from the Bone Spring formation.
- Under <u>Case 23741</u>, MRC seeks an order pooling a 480-acre, more or less, standard horizontal well spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation underlying the E2W2 of Sections 2, 35 and 26 to be initially dedicated to the proposed **Uncle Don State Com 112H** well to be horizontally drilled from the SW4 of Section 2, with a first take point in the SE4SW4 (Unit N) of Section 2 and a last take point in the NE4NW4 (Unit C) of Section 26.

Applicant has sought but been unable to obtain voluntary agreement for the development of this acreage from all affected mineral owners in this acreage.

APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
David Johns, Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 6
Liz Olsen, Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 4

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

MRC does not anticipate any opposition to these cases and therefore intends to present them by affidavit in a consolidated fashion.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Testimony		
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