

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

**APPLICATION OF BTA OIL PRODUCERS, LLC  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**CASE NO. 23737**

**MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE**

BTA Oil Producers, LLC (“BTA”) requests that the above-referenced matter, currently set for hearing on December 7, 2023, be continued to the January 15, 2024 Examiner’s hearing docket for a status conference.<sup>1</sup> Counsel for BTA has conferred with counsel Marathon Oil Company, and Marathon Oil Company agrees to the requested continuance.

Respectfully submitted,

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<sup>1</sup> Marathon Oil Company has objected to this matter proceeding by affidavit. If the objection is withdrawn prior to the hearing, BTA will seek to present this matter by affidavit.

### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on November 28, 2023, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing pleading on the following counsel of record by electronic mail:

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