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

APPLICATION OF POWDERHORN ENERGY PARTNERS FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, AND, TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY, APPROVAL OF A NON-STANDARD, HORIZONTAL SPACING UNIT, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 25479

POWDERHORN'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Powderhorn Operating, LLC (OGRID No. 332857) ("Applicant" or "Powderhorn"), the Applicant in the above-referenced matter, submits this Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

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RESPONDENT

None as of date of filing.

APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF THE CASE

In Case No. 25479, Powderhorn seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests within the Bone Spring Formation, designated as an oil pool (Winchester; Bone Spring West, Pool Code 97569) underlying a 640.00-acre, more or less, non-standard horizontal well spacing unit comprised of Section 21, located in Township 19 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico ("Unit"). Applicant seeks to initially dedicate the above-referenced Unit to the proposed Fade Away Fed Com #301H, #302H, #303H, #304H wells ("Wells"):

- a. **Fade Away Fed Com 301H**, which is an oil well that will be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location 90' FEL & 1,380' FNL of Section 21, to a bottom hole location 100' FWL & 660' FNL of Section 21 Township 19 South, Range 27 East;
- b. **Fade Away Fed Com 302H**, which is an oil well that will be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location 90' FEL & 1,410' FNL of Section <u>21</u>, to a bottom hole location 100' FWL & 1,980' FNL of Section <u>21</u> Township <u>19</u> South, Range <u>27</u> East;
- c. **Fade Away Fed Com 303H**, which is an oil well that will be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location 120' FEL & 1,360' FSL of Section <u>21</u>, to a bottom hole location 100' FWL & 1,980' FSL of Section <u>21</u> Township <u>19</u> South, Range <u>27</u> East;
- d. **Fade Away Fed Com 304H**, which is an oil well that will be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location 120' FEL & 1,390' FSL of Section 21, to a bottom hole location 100' FWL & 660' FSL of Section 21 Township 19 South, Range 27 East;

The completed interval for each well will be orthodox and comply with statewide setbacks for oil wells. Powderhorn has sought and been unable to obtain voluntary agreement for the development of these lands from all working interest owners in the subject acreage.

APPLICANTS PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS
Name and Expertise

Mason Maxwell, Landman

Affidavit

Approximately 5

Leonard W. Wood, Geologist Affidavit Approximately 5

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

There has been no opposition to this case as of the date of filing this Pre-Hearing Statement.

Powderhorn intends to present this case by affidavit if there is no opposition at the time of the hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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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	Not answered.	
Testimony time (in minutes)	Not answered.	