

**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. 25537

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

BTA Oil Producers, LLC (“BTA” or “Applicant”) submits its Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPLICANT

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INTERESTED PARTY

None.

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

BTA seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Pennsylvanian Shale formation underlying a 320-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 SW/4 of Section 21, the W/2 W/2 of Section 28, and the W/2 NW/4 of Section 33, Township 17 South, Range 36 East, Lea County, New Mexico (“Unit”). The Unit will be dedicated to the Vindicator Canyon State Unit Com 419H well (“Well”), which will be drilled from a surface hole

location in the SE/4 NW/4 (Unit F) of Section 21 to a bottom hole location in the SW/4 NW/4 (Unit E) of Section 33.

Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the Well and the allocation of the costs, the designation of BTA as the operator of the Well, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the Well.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

<u>Witness</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Estimated Time</u>	<u>Exhibits</u>
Willis Price	Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 5
J.T. Truong	Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 4

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Applicant will present this matter by affidavit if there is no opposition to its application.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

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Testimony	
Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony.	
Number of witnesses	Not answered.
Testimony time (in minutes)	Not answered.