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

APPLICATION OF PERMIAN RESOURCES OPERATING, LLC, TO EXTEND TIME TO COMMENCE DRILLING OPERATIONS UNDER ORDER NO. R-23572, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. \_\_\_\_ORDER NO. R-23572

## **APPLICATION**

Permian Resources Operating, LLC ("Permian Resources" or "Applicant") files this application with the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") requesting a one-year extension of time to commence drilling operations under Order No. R-23572 ("Order"). In support of this application, Permian Resources states the following.

- 1. The Division entered the Order in Case No. 24958 on December 12, 2024.
- 2. The Order pooled all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a 800-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit, comprised of the W/2 of Section 9 and 16, and the NW/4 of Section 21, Township 19 South, Range 30 East, Eddy County, New Mexico ("Unit"). The Order further dedicated the Unit to the Star Fox 9 Fed Com 121H and Star Fox 9 Fed Com 122H wells ("Wells").
  - 3. The Order designated Permian Resources as operator of the Unit and the Wells.
- 4. The Order requires Applicant to commence drilling the Wells within one (1) year of the date of the Order unless Applicant obtains a time extension from the Division Director for good cause shown.
- 5. Applicant requests a one-year extension of time to commence drilling the Wells due to rig availability, and to allow Applicant additional time to evaluate offset drilling results and determine optimal well spacing in this area.

- 6. Accordingly, Applicant requests that the Division extend the deadline to commence drilling the Wells until December 12, 2026.
  - 7. Good cause exists for the requested extension.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on December 4, 2025, and, after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division extend the deadline to commence drilling the Wells under the Order until December 12, 2026.

Respectfully submitted,

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