

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

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF
EGL RESOURCES, INC.
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Oil Conservation Division

CASE NO. 13049

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Pre-Hearing Statement is submitted by Miller Stratvert P.A. (J. Scott Hall) on behalf of EGL RESOURCES, INC., as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

EGL Resources, Inc. and Robert Landreth seek an order pooling all mineral interests from the base of the Morrow formation to the base of the Devonian formation, North Bell Lake-Devonian Gas Pool, in the 640-acre spacing and proration unit comprised of Section 4, Township 23 South, Range 34 East. Said unit is to be dedicated the Rio Blanco "4" Federal Well No. 1 to be re-entered at a standard gas well location 1980 feet from the North and West lines (Unit F) of said Section 4. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said area is located approximately 20 miles southwest of Eunice, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	NO. OF EXHIBITS
Bob Landreth (Petroleum Engineer)	1 hr.	14

OPPOSITION

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	NO. OF EXHIBITS
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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Devon's Application for Compulsory Pooling in Case No. 13048 involves lands that are also the subject of the Application in this case. EGL Resources, Inc. and Robert Landreth have filed a Motion To Dismiss Case No. 13048 and Devon, in turn, has filed a Motion To Dismiss in

Case No. 13049. Pending the disposition of these motions, Case Nos. 13048 and 13049 should be consolidated for hearing.

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Certificate of Mailing

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was delivered to counsel of record on the 7th day of April, 2003, as follows:

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