

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NOS: 20395
20396
20397
20398

APPLICATION OF CIMAREX
ENERGY CO. FOR COMPULSORY
POOLING, EDDY COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

THURSDAY, MAY 30, 2019

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, Examiners Michael McMillan and Leonard Lowe and Legal Examiner David Brooks, on Thursday, May 30, 2019, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals, and Natural Resources Department, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Porter Hall, Room 102, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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EXHIBIT INDEX

Admitted

Exhibit D 04

1 EXAMINER McMILLAN: If there are no others, let's
2 go ahead and call cases 20395. The request I'm getting is
3 twofold. Are these combined?

4 MR. DeBRINE: Yes, Mr. Examiner, these were
5 combined for hearing and presented by affidavit on the April
6 docket and were held open for additional notice to some
7 overriding royalty owners.

8 EXAMINER McMILLAN: So you are combining 20395,
9 20396, 397, 398; correct?

10 MR. DeBRINE: Yes.

11 EXAMINER McMILLAN: I would like to call those
12 cases and call for appearances.

13 MR. DeBRINE: Mr. Examiner, Earl DeBrine with
14 Modrall on behalf of the applicant, Cimarex Energy Company
15 of Colorado.

16 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Are there any other
17 appearances?

18 MR. DeBRINE: No, Mr. Examiner.

19 EXAMINER McMILLAN: The question I've got, what's
20 the OGRID?

21 MR. DeBRINE: I'm sorry?

22 EXAMINER McMILLAN: I get confused when I see
23 Cimarex.

24 MR. DeBRINE: I believe we identified their OGRID
25 number in the application, 215099.

1 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Because I got two OGRIDS.

2 MR. DeBRINE: Yes, there are two different
3 companies with the Cimarex name.

4 EXAMINER McMILLAN: It's difficult for me to
5 figure out. Please proceed.

6 MR. DeBRINE: Mr. Examiner, I have an Affidavit
7 of Notice with regard to the additional notices provided to
8 the overriding royalty owners that we identified. If I
9 could approach.

10 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Please proceed.

11 MR. DeBRINE: This is my affidavit of notice
12 indicating the notice that was provided at the original
13 hearing date when these cases were presented by affidavit,
14 and also identifies the additional notice that was provided
15 at today's hearing which the case was held open for
16 additional notice issues.

17 We would ask that this exhibit be admitted and
18 the case be taken under advisement.

19 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Okay. So Exhibit D in cases
20 20395, 96, 97, 98 may now be accepted as part of the record.

21 (Exhibit D admitted.)

22 MR. DeBRINE: Thank you.

23 We ask the case be taken under advisement.

24 EXAMINER McMILLAN: So case Numbers 20395, 20396,
25 20397 and 20398 taken under advisement.

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MR. DeBRINE: Thank you, Mr. Examiner.
(Concluded.)

