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

APPLICATION OF COLGATE OPERATING, LLC

FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,

EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO CASE NO. 21185

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## **CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Colgate Operating, LLC ("Colgate") submits this Pre-Hearing Statement for the abovereferenced cases pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

#### **APPEARANCES**

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None Anticipated

#### STATEMENT OF CASES

In Case No. 21085, Colgate seeks an order from the Division: (1) to the extent necessary, approving the creation of a 240-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit; and, (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit underlying the S/2 N/2 of Section 34, and the S/2 N/2 of the E/2 of Section 33, Township 19 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Black Diamond 34 Fed Com 122H and 132H wells, to be horizontally drilled. The producing intervals for these wells will be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing and equipping said wells, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Colgate as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said wells.

In Case No. 21086, Colgate seeks an order from the Division: (1) to the extent necessary, approving the creation of a 240-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit; and, (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit underlying the N/2 N/2 of Section 34, and the N/2 N/2 of the E/2 of Section 33, Township 19 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Black Diamond 34 Fed Com 131H well, to be horizontally drilled. The producing interval for this well will be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing and equipping said well, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Colgate as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

In Case No. 21087, Colgate seeks an order from the Division: (1) to the extent necessary, approving the creation of a 240-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit; and, (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit underlying

the N/2 S/2 of Section 34, and the N/2 S/2 of the E/2 of Section 33, Township 19 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the **Black Diamond 34 Fed Com 133H** well, to be horizontally drilled. The producing interval for this well will be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing and equipping said well, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Colgate as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

In Case No. 21088, Colgate seeks an order from the Division: (1) to the extent necessary, approving the creation of a 240-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit; and, (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit underlying the S/2 S/2 of Section 34, and the S/2 S/2 of the E/2 of Section 33, Township 19 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the Black Diamond 34 Fed Com 134H well, to be horizontally drilled. The producing interval for this well will be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing and equipping said well, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Colgate as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

#### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

#### **APPLICANT:**

WITNESS	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Mark Hajdik – Landman	Approx. 1 Minute	Approx. 15
Sergio Ojeda – Geologist	Approx. 1 Minute	Approx. 7

### **PROCEDURAL ISSUES**

Colgate is not aware of an entry of appearance or request for continuance from any party in these cases. Accordingly, Colgate does not anticipate any opposition to these cases and intends to present its evidence by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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