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

IN THE MATTER OF PROPOSED AMENDMENTS TO THE COMMISSION'S RULES ON PRODUCED WATER 19.15.2, 19.15.16, and 19.15.34 NMAC

CASE NO. 21281 ORDER NO. <u>R-21343</u>

PROCEDURAL ORDER

Due to the Covid-19 virus outbreak within the state and the Governor's current public health orders and restrictions, the public rule hearing before the Oil Conservation ("Commission") currently scheduled for July 30 and 31, 2020 will occur via telephonic/virtual means during a special meeting of the Commission held in the same format. The hearing will begin at 9:00 a.m. on July 30, 2020 and may continue on July 31, 2020 at 9:00 a.m. if necessary. The public, participants, and parties to the hearing may attend the meeting through the Webex Meeting platform using the following link and/or meeting information:

Webex Meeting Information

July 30

OCC - (Day 1) Produced Water Rule Making Hearing Meeting number: 967 682 712 Password: R4SpDXpeu49 <u>https://nmemnrd.webex.com/nmemnrd/j.php</u> <u>?MTID=m6572062a0ff431b8f7a815b6edf7</u> <u>4af0</u>

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July 31 (IF NECESSARY):

OCC - (Day 2) Produced Water Rule Making Hearing Meeting number: 963 288 479 Password: ZjiqP9PET32 <u>https://nmemnrd.webex.com/nmemnrd/j.php</u> <u>?MTID=m2854bda11fb429c3fd553e90c670</u> <u>7a8f</u>

Join by phone +1-408-418-9388 United States Toll Access code: 963 288 479 Pursuant to 19.15.3.8(C), in addition to the procedures found in Rule 19.15.3 NMAC, the following special rules shall apply to this rules hearing:

1. Technical Testimony

- a. All technical testimony shall be presented to the Commission in writing and shall be filed with the Commission no later than 5:00 p.m. on July 17, 2020.
- b. Filing may be accomplished by first class mail to the Commission Clerk, Florene Davidson, 3rd Floor, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505, or electronic mail to <u>OCD.Hearings@state.nm.us</u>.
- c. Any person who presents technical testimony in writing shall attend the hearing online or via telephone and will be subject to cross-examination by the members of the Commission, the Commission's counsel, or another person who has filed a Pre-Hearing Statement on the subject matter of the person's direct testimony.

2. Oral Non-Technical Testimony/Oral Public Comment

- a. Any person who has not submitted a Pre-Hearing Statement may present nontechnical testimony or make an unsworn statement at the hearing, and may offer exhibits at the hearing so long as the exhibits are relevant to the proposed rule and do not unduly repeat the testimony.
- b. Any person that wishes to present oral non-technical testimony to the Commission shall notify the Commission Clerk, Florene Davidson by first class or electronic mail at 3rd Floor, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505, or <u>florene.davidson@state.nm.us</u> no later than 5:00 p.m. on July 29, 2020.
- c. In order to ensure that all participants are able to participate in the hearing, notifications to the Commission Clerk shall include at least a name and telephone number of the person intending to present non-technical testimony.
- d. Any exhibits that will be offered in conjunction with non-technical testimony must be sent via electronic mail to the Commission Clerk, Florene Davidson at the above email address no later than 5:00 p.m. on July 29, 2020.
- e. Any person who presents non-technical testimony will be subject to crossexamination by the Commission, the Commission's counsel, or another person who

has filed a Pre-Hearing Statement on the subject matter of the person's direct testimony.

3. Written Comment Period

- a. The written comment period will be 51 days between June 9 and July 30, 2020.
- b. Any person may submit written or electronic comments on the proposed rule no later than 9:00 a.m. on July 30, 2020, unless extended by the Commission or the Chair of the Commission, by first class or electronic mail to the Commission Clerk, Florene Davidson, 3rd Floor, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505, or <u>florene.davidson@state.nm.us.</u>

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 26th day of May 2020.

STATE OF NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

ADRIENNE SANDOVAL, M.E., CHAIR

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