

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: 21377

APPLICATION OF EOG RESOURCES INC.
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF VIRTUAL PROCEEDINGS

EXAMINER HEARING

AUGUST 6, 2020

SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

This matter came on for virtual hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, EXAMINERS FELICIA ORTH, DEAN McCLURE, JOHN GARCIA and KATHLEEN MURPHY on Thursday, August 6, 2020, hosted by the New Mexico Energy, Minerals, and Natural Resources Department, through Cisco Webex electronic platform.

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1 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Now let's move to 21377.

2 The applicant is EOG Resources. This a compulsory pooling
3 application. The well name is it Gladiator. Mr. Feldewert,
4 are you here from Holland & Hart?

5 (No response.)

6 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Mr. Feldewert.

7 MS. LUCK: Good morning, Madam Examiner. Kaitlyn
8 Luck, again, with the Santa Fe office of Holland & Hart on
9 behalf of EOG Resources Inc, the applicant in this case.

10 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: All right. Thank you.
11 And Mr. Bruce, you are here for Tap Rock?

12 MR. BRUCE: Yes, I am, and I'm merely entering an
13 appearance, and I do not object to the matter being
14 presented by affidavit.

15 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Okay, thank you, Mr.
16 Bruce. Let me see if there are any other appearances this
17 morning.

18 (No response.)

19 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: No? All right. Thank
20 you. If you please, Ms. Luck.

21 MS. LUCK: Thank you. In this case EOG Resources
22 has applied for compulsory pooling for a standard 320 acre
23 horizontal spacing unit underlying the W/2 W/2 of Section 3,
24 Township 24 South, Range 35 East, and the W/2 W/2 of Section
25 34, Township 23 South, Range 35 East, and this is in Lea

1 County, New Mexico.

2 EOG is to dedicate the spacing unit to the
3 Gladiator 3 Fed Com, the 301H well. () Bone Spring pool and
4 the pool code is 7958.

5 On Tuesday EOG submitted a packet of exhibits
6 that includes Exhibit A through E starting off with the
7 pooling application checklist which includes all the
8 information required by the Division and also confirms that
9 the requisite notice was provided to the parties involved in
10 this application, which is attached as Exhibit E.

11 Also attached as Exhibit C is the affidavit of
12 Kate McBryde who is the landman for EOG Resources in this
13 case. She has not previously testified before the Division,
14 so attached with her affidavit as Exhibit C-1 is her resume
15 that provides her experience and education in order to
16 qualify her as an expert in the land matters.

17 Also together with her affidavit are the standard
18 pooling exhibits, including C-102, tracts and horizontal
19 spacing unit for each half, the well proposal of the working
20 interest partners, as well as the chronology of contacts
21 with the uncommitted interest owners.

22 And then attached to EOG's Exhibit D is the
23 affidavit of Denton O'Neal who is the geologist on this
24 project, and he provides the standard geology exhibits.

25 So with that, I would move the admission of EOG

1 Exhibits A through E into the record in this case and ask
2 that the case be taken under advisement.

3 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: All right. Thank you,
4 Ms. Luck. Exhibits A through E are admitted.

5 Mr. McClure, do you have questions of Ms. Luck.

6 EXAMINER McCLURE: No, ma'am, I have no questions
7 regarding case this at this time.

8 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Thank you. Mr. Garcia?

9 EXAMINER GARCIA: I have no questions, either.

10 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: All right. Thank you
11 very much. Thank you, Ms. Luck. The matter is taken under
12 advisement.

13 MS. LUCK: Thank you.

14 (Exhibits A through E admitted.)

15 (Taken under advisement.)

16 (Adjourned.)

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4 REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

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6 I, IRENE DELGADO, New Mexico Certified Court
7 Reporter, do hereby certify that I reported the foregoing
8 proceedings in stenographic shorthand and that the foregoing
9 pages are a true and correct transcript of those proceedings
10 that were reduced to printed form by me to the best of my
11 ability.

12 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither employed by
13 nor related to any of the parties or attorneys in this case
14 and that I have no interest in the final disposition of this
15 case.

16 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the Virtual Proceeding was
17 of fair quality.

18 Dated this 6th day of August 2020.

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/s/ Irene Delgado

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