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Please file the enclosed two de novo applications (Case Nos. 14558 and 14577).

Thanks.

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

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

APPLICATION OF MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION  
(NOW COG OPERATING, LLC) FOR VERTICAL  
EXPANSION OF THE BURCH KEELY UNIT, EDDY  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 14,558  
Order No. R-7,900-C

APPLICATION FOR HEARING DE NOVO

ConocoPhillips Company, a party of record adversely affected by the above Order,  
requests that this matter be heard *de novo* before the Oil Conservation Commission.

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing pleading was served upon the following  
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