

**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 CONOCOPHILLIPS COMPANY AND CASE NO. 14928  
BURLINGTON RESOURCES OIL & GAS COMPANY LP  
TO AMENDED DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING REFERENCED  
CASE ORDERS FOR FOURTEEN TOWNSHIP UNITS TO DELETE  
THE NOTICE REQUIREMENTS,  
SAN JUAN AND RIO ARriba COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by ConocoPhillips Company and Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP as required by the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division.

**APPEARANCES OF THE PARTIES**

**APPLICANT**

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**OTHER PARTIES**

None has filed appearances

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## STATEMENT OF THE CASE

### APPLICANT:

ConocoPhillips Company and Burlington Resources Oil & Gas Company LP seek to amend downhole commingling referenced cases orders for fourteen Township Units to delete the notice requirements, San Juan and Rio Arriba County, New Mexico. The existing orders authorized the applicant to delete notice to interest owners for the downhole commingling of production from Dakota and Mesaverde formation for these units.

Now, the applicant seeks to delete the notice requirements for the downhole commingling of production from the Basin-Mancos Gas Pool, certain Gallup pools when it is commingled with Dakota and/or Mesaverde production. These Units are subject to these orders: Allison Unit--Order R-13106; San Juan 27-4 Unit--Order R-12867; San Juan 28-4 Unit--Order R-12865; San Juan 28-6 Unit--Order R-10696; San Juan 29-7 Unit--Order R-10697; San Juan 30-6 Unit--Order R-12866; San Juan 32-9 Unit--Order R-10692; San Juan 31-6 Unit--Order R-11188; San Juan 32-7 Unit--Order R-11210; San Juan 28-7 Unit--Order R-10476-B; San Juan 29-5 Unit--Order R-10770; San Juan 29-6 Unit--Order R-11187; San Juan 30-5 Unit--Order R-10771; San Juan 32-8 Unit--Order R-11189 plus commingling for the Trail Canyon-Gallup Pool.

These units are contiguous and the center of the unit areas are approximately 9 miles Southeast of Gobernador Camp, New Mexico except for the San Juan 32-9, the center of which is located approximately 5 miles Southeast of Gobernador Camp, New Mexico

## PROPOSED EVIDENCE

### APPLICANT

### WITNESSES

### EST. TIME

### EST. EXHIBITS

Chuck Creekmore, petroleum landman

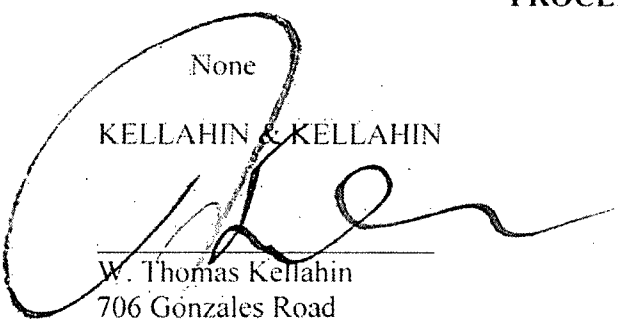
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## PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None

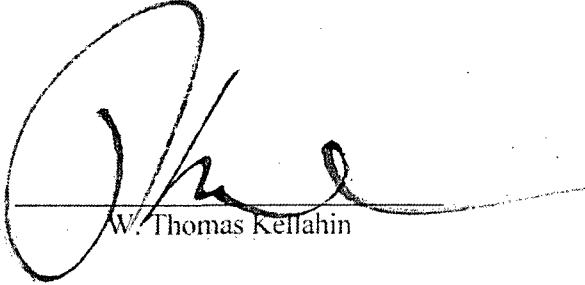
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### CERTIFICATION OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of this pleading was served upon the following counsel of record this 20th day of November 2012, by email

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