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APPLICATION OF DEVON ENERGY
PRODUCTION COMPANY LP FOR
DESIGNATION OF A NON-STANDARD
SPACING UNIT, LEA COUNTY, NM

Case No. 15047

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Cimarex Energy Co. ("Cimarex") provides this Pre-Hearing Statement as required by the rules of the Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

Devon Energy Production Company LP

APPLICANT'S ATTORNEY

OTHER PARTY

Cimarex Energy Co.

OTHER PARTY'S ATTORNEY

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Devon seeks approval of a 200-acre non-standard spacing and proration unit comprised of the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 13 and the W/2 W/2 of Section 24, Township 24 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, for a well location in the Bone Spring formation for Applicant's horizontal drilling project area. Applicant proposes to dedicate the non-

standard unit and project area to the Bell Lake "24" Fed No. 1-H Well (API No. 30-025-41182) to be drilled horizontally from a surface location in the SW/4 SW/4 (M) of Section 13 to a standard bottom hole location in the SW/4 SW/4 of Section 24.

OTHER PARTY

Cimarex Energy Co. is the offsetting operator and interest owner in Section 13 and objects to the proposed configuration of the non-standard spacing unit and project area for Devon's well. Cimarex contends that the extension of the well into Section 13 disrupts the logical development pattern for the area, will impair correlative rights and may result in waste.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES

EST. TIME

EXHIBITS

OPPONENT

WITNESSES

EST. TIME

EXHIBITS

Matthew Hood, Land man
Geologist t/b/d
Petroleum Engineer t/b/d

20 minutes

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

To date, no attorneys have entered their appearance on behalf of Devon.

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Certificate of Service

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served to counsel of record by electronic mail this ____ day of ____, 2013.

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