

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

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IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF COG OPERATING LLC FOR A NON-  
STANDARD OIL SPACING AND PRORATION  
UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 15339

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by COG Operating LLC (COG), as required by  
NMAC 19.15.4.13.B.

**APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT**

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**STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

COG seeks an order (1) creating a non-standard 160-acre spacing and proration unit comprised of W/2E/2 of Section 30, Township 23 South, Range 30 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico; and (2) pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation (Forty-Niner Ridge Bone Spring, West (Pool Code 96526)) underlying this proposed non-standard spacing and proration unit. COG proposes to dedicate the above-referenced spacing and proration unit as the project area for its proposed **Ice Dancer 30 Federal Com 2H Well**, which will be horizontally from a surface location in the SW/4SE/4 (Unit O) of Section 30 to a standard bottom hole location in the NW/4NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 30. The completed interval for this

well will remain within the 330-foot standard offset required by the Statewide Rules set forth in 19.15.15 NMAC.


#### **APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

<b>WITNESS</b>	<b>ESTIMATED TIME</b>	<b>EXHIBITS</b>
Aaron Myers, Landman	Approx. 15 minutes	Approx. 5
Drew Bergman, Geologist	Approx. 10 minutes	Approx. 3

#### **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

None at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

By: \_\_\_\_\_

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