

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

APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC, TO RE-OPEN CASE NO. 15256 TO POOL THE INTERESTS OF ADDITIONAL MINERAL OWNERS UNDER THE TERMS OF COMPULSORY POOLING ORDER R-13963, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 15256 (re-opened)

APPLICATION

COG OPERATING LLC, ("COG") through its undersigned attorneys, hereby makes application to the Oil Conservation Division to pool the interests of additional mineral owners under the terms of compulsory pooling Order R-13963. In support of this application, COG states:

1. Division Order R-13963 was entered on March 2, 2015, and created a 200-acre non-standard oil spacing and proration unit consisting of the W/2 W/2 of Section 11 and the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 14, Township 17 South, Range 32 East, NMPM in Lea County, New Mexico. This order further pooled the mineral interests in the Yeso formation, West Maljamar-Yeso Pool (Pool code 44500) underlying this acreage and dedicated the pooled unit to the **Pan Head Fee Well No. 12H** (API No. 30-025-40899).

2. Since the entry of Order R-13963, COG has discovered additional mineral owners, primarily in the form of estates with unmarketable title.

3. The pooling of these additional mineral interest owners under the terms of Division Order R-13963 will avoid the drilling of unnecessary wells, will prevent waste and will protect correlative rights.

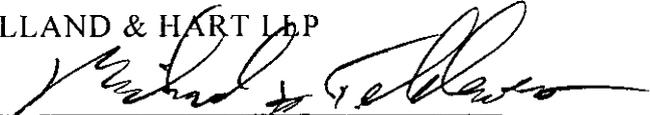
4. In order to obtain COG's just and fair share of the oil and gas underlying the subject acreage, all remaining uncommitted mineral interests should be pooled pursuant to the terms of orders R-13963.

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WHEREFORE, COG Operating LLC requests that this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on July 21, 2016, and, after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division pool all remaining uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Unit pursuant to the terms of existing Division Order R-13963.

Respectfully submitted,

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CASE 15256 (re-opened): Application of COG Operating LLC To Re-Open Case No. 15256 To Pool The Interests Of Additional Mineral Owners Under The Terms Of Compulsory Pooling Order R-13963, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks to amend Division Order R-13963 to include the pooling of additional mineral interests in the Yeso formation, West Maljamar-Yeso Pool (Pool code 44500), underlying the W/2 W/2 of Section 11 and the NW/4 NW/4 of Section 14, Township 17 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. Said unit is dedicated to the **Pan Head Fee Well No. 12H** (API No. 30-025-40899) and is located approximately 1 mile East of Maljamar New Mexico.