

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

**APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC TO RE-OPEN CASE NO. 15373 TO
AMEND POOLING ORDER R-14054, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 15373 (re-opened)

APPLICATION

COG OPERATING LLC, ("COG") through its undersigned attorneys, hereby makes application to the Oil Conservation Division to re-open Case No. 15373 to amend Order R-14054 to (a) reflect the revised pool designated by the Division; and (b) pool additional uncommitted interest owners within the WC-025 G-09 S243532M; Wolfbone Pool (98098). In support of its application, COG states:

1. Under Division Order R-14054, entered on ~~September~~ ^{OCT 7} 17, 2015, the Division created a 240-acre non-standard spacing and proration unit in the Bone Spring formation (WC-025 G-09 S243532M; Lower Bone Spring Pool (98098)) consisting of the E/2 E/2 of Section 29 and the E/2 NE/4 of Section 32, Township 24 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

2. Under Order R-14054, the Unit was dedicated to COG's **Viking Helmet State Com. No. 1H Well** (API No. 30-025-42782).¹ This well will be drilled from a surface location in the NE/4 NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 29 to a standard bottom hole location in the SE/4 NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 32. The completed interval for the well will be within the 330-foot standard offset required by the Statewide Rules set forth in 19.15.15 NMAC.

¹ This well has not yet been drilled. COG obtained an extension of Order R-14054 from the Division.

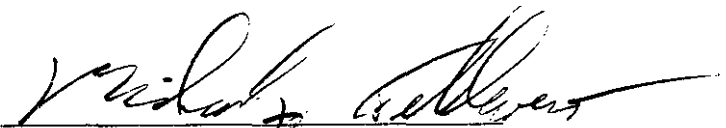
3. Since the entry of Order R-14054, the Division changed the designated pool for the **Viking Helmet State Com. No. 1H Well** from the WC-025 G-09 S243532M; Lower Bone Spring Pool (98098) to the WC-025 G-09 S243532M; Wolfbone Pool (98098).

4. COG therefore respectfully requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division amend Order R-14054 (1) to reflect the revised pool designated by the Division; (2) to pool additional uncommitted interest owners within the WC-025 G-09 S243532M; Wolfbone Pool.

WHEREFORE, COG Operating LLC requests that this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on November 17, 2016, and, after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division amend existing order R-14054.

Respectfully submitted,

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CASE 15373 (re-opened): Application of COG Operating LLC To Re-Open Case No. 15373 To Amend Pooling Order R-14054, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks to amend Division Order R-14054 to (a) reflect the revised pool designated by the Division; (b) pool additional uncommitted interest owners within the WC-025 G-09 S243532M; Wolfbone Pool (98098). The spacing unit consists of the E/2 E/2 of Section 29 and the E/2 NE/4 of Section 32, Township 24 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. Said unit is dedicated to the applicant's **Viking Helmet State Com. No. 1H Well** (API No. 30-025-42782), which will be drilled from a surface location in the NE/4 NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 29 to a standard bottom hole location in the SE/4 NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 32. The completed interval is within the standard 330 foot setback required by the Division's rules. The subject area is located approximately 2.5 miles northeast of Baird Place, New Mexico.