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

**APPLICATION OF GREAT WESTERN DRILLING LTD.  
FOR A NON-STANDARD OIL SPACING AND  
PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**CASE NO. 15875**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Great Western Drilling Ltd. and Great Western Drilling Company ("Great Western"), provides this Pre-Hearing Statement as required by the rules of the Division.

**APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT:**

GREAT WESTERN DRILLING  
LTD. AND GREAT WESTERN  
DRILLING COMPANY

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**STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

Applicant Great Western Applicant seeks an order (1) approving a non-standard oil spacing and proration unit in the Bone Spring formation comprised of the W/2W/2 of Section 34, Township 21 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, and (2) pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the non-standard unit.

**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

<u>APPLICANT'S WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST. TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Carter Muire, Land Tom Magee, Land (Alternate)	15 min.	5
Russell Rich, Geologist Terry Worthington, Geologist (Alternate)	15 min.	4
<u>OPPONENT'S WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST. TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

The parties may request a special hearing date or a continuance at the suggestion of the Division.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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