

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

**APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 20419

COG'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

COG Operating LLC ("COG"), the applicant in the above-referenced matter, submits this Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE

COG seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Wolfcamp formation (Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool) underlying a 768.56-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 of Sections 19, 30, and 31, Township 26 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. COG seeks to dedicate the above-referenced horizontal spacing unit to three initial wells, to be drilled simultaneously from two pads:

- The **Way South State Com No. 706H** well to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 NE/4 (Unit G) of Section 31 to a bottom hole location in NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 19; and
- The **Way South State Com No. 709H** and **Way South State Com No. 710H** wells to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 NW/4 (Unit E) of Section 31 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 19.

The completed interval for these wells will comply with the setback requirements imposed by the Special Rules for the Purple Sage; Wolfcamp (Gas) Pool.

The Way South State Com No. 706H Well was originally proposed in Case No. 20078 (Order No. R-20423), but under COG's revised drilling plan, the Way South State Com No. 706H has been moved to the W/2 spacing unit, as proposed in this case.

APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Travis Macha, Landman	Approx. 10	Approx. 5
Matt Fisher, Geologist	Approx. 5	Approx. 3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Since COG is not aware of any opposition to this pooling application, this matter will be presented by affidavits.

Respectfully submitted,

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