

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY
THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION TO
CONSIDER:**

**CASE NO. 16265 (Re-Opened)
ORDER NO. R-20779**

Previously issued Orders in this Case:

R-20001 on October 1, 2018

R-20279 on December 18, 2018

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF OXY USA WTP, LLC AND CANAAN
RESOURCES DRILLING COMPANY, LLC TO REOPEN AND AMEND ORDER NO. R-
20279 NUNC PRO TUNC**

UNDERLYING MATTER:

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF CENTENNIAL RESOURCE
PRODUCTION, LLC TO REOPEN CASE NO. 16265 TO ADD ADDITIONAL INITIAL
WELLS UNDER THE TERMS OF COMPULSORY POOLING ORDER NO. R-20001,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

ORDER OF THE DIVISION

BY THE DIVISION:

This case came on for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on August 22, 2019, at Santa Fe, New Mexico, before Examiner Michael A. McMillan.

NOW, on this 26th day of August 2019, the Division Director, having considered the testimony, the record and the recommendations of the Examiner,

FINDS THAT

(1) Due public notice has been given and the Division has jurisdiction of this case and the subject matter.

(2) OXY USA WTP, LLC ("OXY") and Canaan Resources Drilling Company, LLC ("Canaan") made application on June 7, 2019 to re-open Case No. 16265 and amend Order No. R-20279 to amend Ordering Paragraph No. (13) *nunc pro tunc* to clarify OXY's and Canaan's rights. OXY and Canaan served the pleading to Centennial Resource Production, LLC ("Centennial").

(3) On July 1, 2019, Centennial filed a Motion to Dismiss with the Division.

(4) OXY and Canaan requested a pre-hearing conference July 10, 2019 and filed a Response to the Motion to Dismiss.

(5) The Division has reviewed the written pleadings and finds that the Motion to Dismiss should be granted.

IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT

(1) The application of OXY and Canaan in this re-opened Case is hereby dismissed.

(2) Jurisdiction of this case is retained for the entry of such further orders as the Division may deem necessary.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on the day and year hereinabove designated.



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ADRIENNE SANDOVAL
Director