

**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 FOR  
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:**

**APPLICATION OF QUEST CHEROKEE, LLC  
FOR APPROVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR  
PERMIT TO DRILL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**Case No. 13,870**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by applicant as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

**APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT**

Quest Resources Corporation  
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Attention: David W. Bolton

**APPLICANT'S ATTORNEY**

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**OPPONENT**

Lee Roberson, *et al.*

**OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY**

Michael Newell

**STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

**APPLICANT**

Applicant seeks approval of an application for permit to drill its State 9-4 Well No. 1 in the NW¼ of Section 9, Township 18 South, Range 38 East, NMPM.

**OPPONENT**

WVJT 2/15/07

**PROPOSED EVIDENCE****APPLICANT**

<u>WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST. TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
David Bolton (landman)	10 min.	Approx. 2
Vernon Dyer (landman)	20 min.	Approx. 6
Steven Hochstein (geologist)	20 min.	Approx. 4

**OPPONENT**

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**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Applicant requests a two week continuance of this case.

Respectfully submitted,



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