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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 SAMSON RESOURCES COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 13,978

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES

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APPLICANT'S ATTORNEY

Attention: Thomas Land

OPPONENT

OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Barnett Shale underlying the E/2 of Section 32, Township 20 South, Range 36 East, NMPM. The unit is to be dedicated to the proposed Osudo 32 State Com. Well No. 2 to be drilled at an orthodox location in the NE/4NE/4 of Section 32. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the well and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well.

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES

Thomas Land (landman) 15 min.

EXHIBITS

Approx. 6

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EXHIBITS

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

Respectfully submitted,

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