# 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 BEPCO, L.P. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 14,172

### **VERIFIED STATEMENT OF BRAD GLASSCOCK**

Brad Glasscock, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states:

- 1. I am a landman for BEPCO, L.P, and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.
- 2. Pursuant to Division Rule 1210.A(1)(b), the following information is submitted in support of the application filed herein:
  - (a) No opposition to this application is expected because the mineral interest owner being pooled has simply not yet agreed whether to join in the well.
  - (b) A plat outlining the spacing unit being pooled is attached hereto as Exhibit A. Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the base of the Strawn formation to the base of the Morrow formation underlying the N½ of Section 17, Township 22 South, Range 28 East, NMPM to form a standard 320-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations or pools developed on 320-acre spacing within that vertical extent, including the Undesignated Dublin Ranch-Atoka Gas Pool and Undesignated Dublin Ranch-Morrow Gas Pool. The unit will be dedicated to the Big Eddy Unit Well No. 218, to be drilled at an orthodox well location in the NW¼NW¼ of Section 17.
  - (c) The party being pooled, its working interest in the  $N\frac{1}{2}$  of Section 17, and its address, are as follows:

Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C. 12.479166% Building 2, Suite 120 3300 North "A" Street Midland, Texas 79705

(d) A copy of the proposal letter sent to Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C. is attached hereto as Exhibit B.

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- (e) In addition to the letter, BEPCO, L.P. has had telephone conversations with Terry Gant, the land manager of Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C., to discuss the well proposal.
- (f) BEPCO, L.P has made a good faith effort to obtain the voluntary joinder of interest owners in the well.
- (g) Pursuant to Division rules, applicant requests that a cost plus 200% risk charge be assessed against non-consenting interest owners.
- (h) A copy of the Authority for Expenditure for the proposed well is attached hereto as Exhibit C. The drilling and completion costs set forth therein are fair and reasonable, and are comparable to those of other wells of this depth drilled in this area of Eddy County.
- (i) Overhead charges of \$6,000.00/month for a drilling well, and \$600.00/month for a producing well, are requested. These rates are fair and reasonable, and are in line with rates charged by other operators in this area for wells of this depth. BEPCO, L.P. requests that the rates be adjusted under the COPAS accounting procedure.
- (j) Applicant requests that it be designated operator of the well.

#### **VERIFICATION**

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Brad Glasscock, being duly sworn upon her oath, deposes and states that: He is a landman for BEPCO, L.P.; he is authorized to make this verification on its behalf; he has read the foregoing statement, and knows the contents thereof; and the same is true and correct to the best of his knowledge, information, and belief.

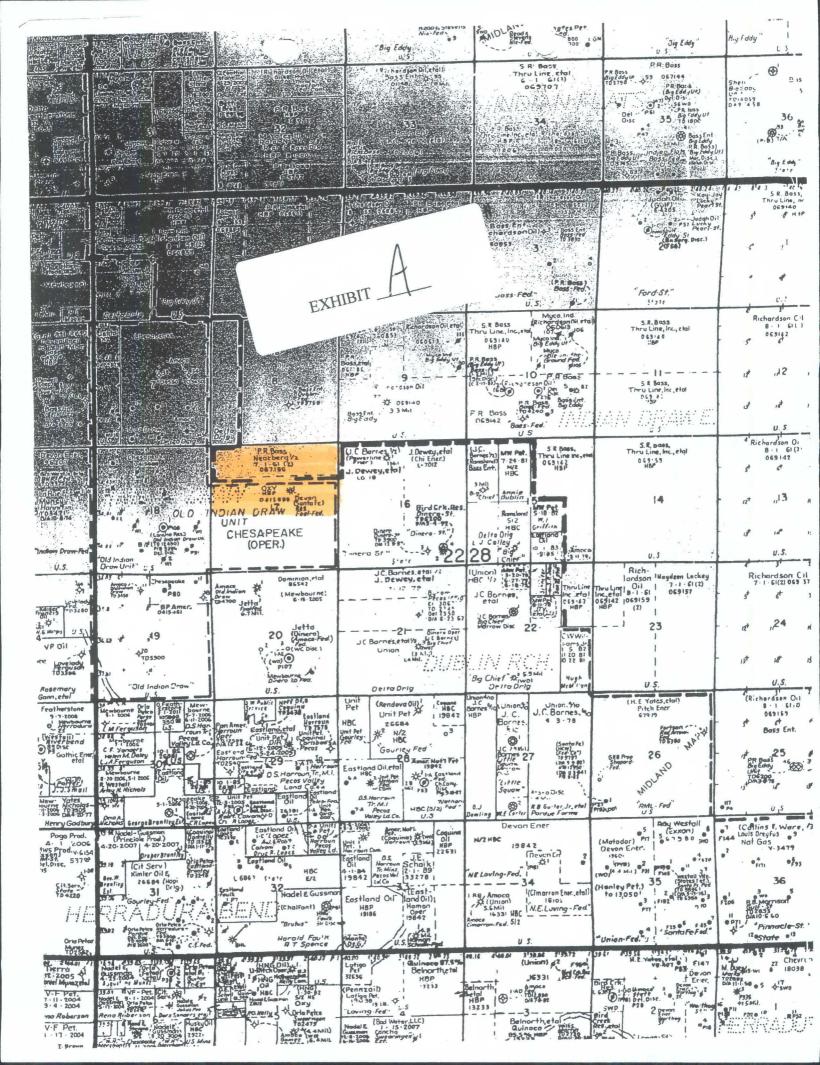
Brad Glasscock

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 19<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2008 by Brad Glasscock.

My Commission Expires: 06-18-2010

MERRYN E. CROMARTIE
NOTARY PUBLIC
STATE OF TEXAS
Management, Exp. 06-18-2010

Notary Public



## Exhibit "A-1"

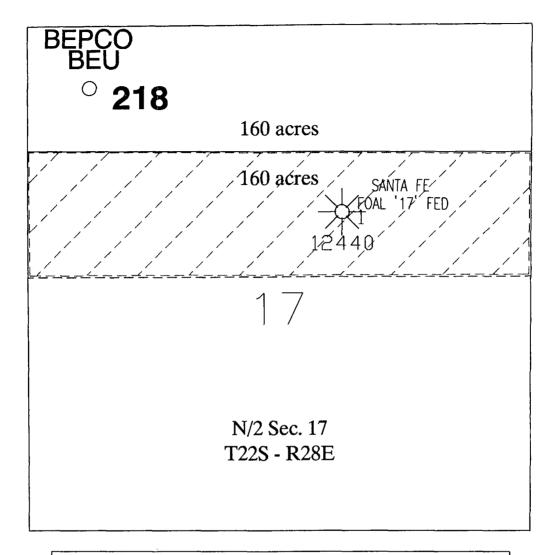
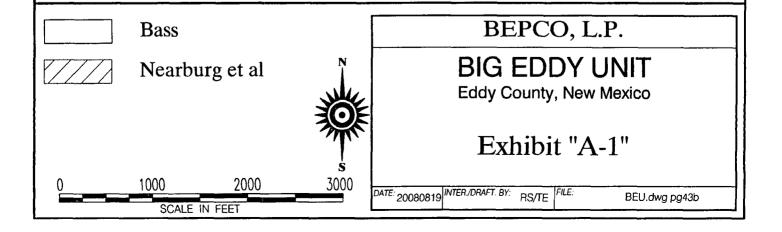


Exhibit A-1
To that Application for Compulsory Pooling by and between BEPCO, L. P. and Devon Energy Production Company, L. P.



#### BEPCO, L.P.

201 MAIN ST

FORT WORTH, TEXAS 76102-3131 817/390-8400

May 21, 2008

### VIA FACSIMILE/ VIA FEDERAL EXPRESS (432) 686-7806

Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C. 3300 North "A" Street Building 2, Suite 120 Midland, Texas 79705 Attention: Terry Gant

Re: B

Big Eddy Unit #218 Well Proposal

Section 17 – T22S-R28E Eddy County, New Mexico

Mr. Gant:

Bass has requested your support in the drilling of a  $\pm 12,460'$  Morrow well at a proposed location lying 660' FNL and 660' FWL in Section 17, T22-R28E, Eddy County, New Mexico. Per the attached cost estimate, the estimated DHC and CWC are \$2,759,130.00 and \$4,223,360.00, making Nearburg's proportionate share of the same approximately \$344,316.41 and \$527,040.11 respectively.

Should you wish to participate in the drilling of this well as proposed hereinabove, please so signify by signing in the appropriate space provided hereinablow, and on the attached AFE, then returning an original of each to the undersigned at your earliest opportunity. It should be noted that we anticipate spudding this well in 2 to 3 weeks, therefore your most prompt attention would be appreciated. A Joint Operating Agreement will be sent to your attention by separate cover letter within the immediate future for your approval.

Thank you very much and should you have any questions or need any additional information regarding the above, please do not hesitate to give me a call at (817) 339-7185.

Very truly BASS EN	yours, ITERPRISES PRODUCTION CO.
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