# 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 RSC RESOURCES LIMITED PARTNERSHIP FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 14,168

#### PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

#### **APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT** 

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**OPPONENT** 

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#### STATEMENT OF THE CASE

#### **APPLICANT**

Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation underlying the following described acreage in Section 24, Township 21 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, and in the following manner: The S/2 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 Grama Ridge-Wolfcamp Gas Pool and Undesignated East Grama Ridge-Morrow Gas Pool; and the SE/4 to form a standard 160-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any and all formations or pools developed on 160-acre spacing within that vertical extent. The units are to be dedicated to the Grama Ridge 24 State Well No. 1, to be drilled at an orthodox location in the NW/4SE/4 of Section 24. 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.

## **OPPONENT**

### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

## **APPLICANT**

WITNESSES

**EST. TIME** 

**EXHIBITS** 

Kirk Smith (landman)

20 min.

Approx. 5

IF THERE IS NO OBJECTION, THIS CASE MAY BE PRESENTED BY AFFIDAVIT.

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#### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

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Respectfully submitted,

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