

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARINGS CALLED
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

APPLICATION OF DEVON ENERGY CORPORATION
(NEVADA) FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 12342 (Feb. 17 Hearing)

APPLICATION OF NEARBURG EXPLORATION
COMPANY, L.L.C. FOR COMPULSORY
POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 12,319

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada) as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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OPPONENT

Nearburg Exploration
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OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY

William F. Carr

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada) seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation underlying Lots 1, 2, E $\frac{1}{4}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$, and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ (N $\frac{1}{4}$ equivalent) of Section 30, Township 17 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, to form a standard 319.57-acre gas spacing and proration unit for any formations and/or pools developed on 320-acre spacing within that vertical extent, including the Logan Draw-Morrow Gas Pool. The unit is to be dedicated to the applicant's Logan "30G" Fed. Com.

Well No. 1, to be drilled at an orthodox location in the NE¼ of Section 30. 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 the applicant as operator of the well, and a charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well.

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

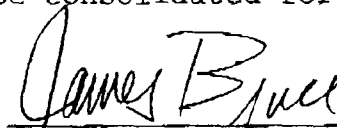
<u>WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST. TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Carla D. Wood (landman)	15 min.	(a) land plat (b) interest listing (c) chronology (d) correspondence (e) well plat (f) AFE (g) notice affidavit
<u>(geologist)</u>	15 min.	(a) production map (b) isopach (c) cross-section

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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Devon Energy Corporation (Nevada) and Nearburg Exploration Company, L.L.C. have each filed applications for compulsory pooling. The applications should be consolidated for hearing.

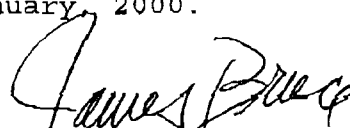


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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing Pre-Hearing Statement was sent to William F. Carr via facsimile transmission (983-6043) this 31st day of January, 2000.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "James Bruce". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above a horizontal line.

James Bruce