STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT CARTERING OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 10424

APPLICATION OF CITATION OIL & GAS CORPORATION FOR DOWNHOLE COMMINGLING, MCKINLEY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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### PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by Citation Oil and Gas Corporation as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

### APPEARANCE OF PARTIES

#### APPLICANT

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Citation seeks to recover marginal oil production by extending the economic life of the wells through commingling of production between the two pools. Without downhole commingling, oil that otherwise could be produced must be abandoned. Citation seeks approval of an allocation formula based upon remaining recoverable reserves.

### OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

We are not aware of any.



PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

EST. TIME WITNESSES •

Dan Kelly 45 Minutes Petroleum Engineer

Approximately 12 Exhibits

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## PROCEDURAL MATTERS

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