

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

**APPLICATION OF CIMAREX ENERGY CO.
TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-21033 FOR
AN EXTENSION OF THE WELL
COMMENCEMENT DEADLINE**

**Case No. 22147;
Reopen Case No. 20746 and Amend
Order No. R-21033**

PREHEARING STATEMENT

Cimarex Energy Co. (“Cimarex”), OGRID No. 215099, through its undersigned attorneys, submits the following Prehearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division (“Division”).

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APPLICANT’S STATEMENT OF CASES

In Case No. 22147, Devon seeks to reopen Case No. 20746, in order to request a nine-month extension of the well commencement deadline in Order No. R-21033, which was issued

January 23, 2020, followed by the Division Director’s Letter dated December 12, 2020 (“Initial Extension”), extending the Order’s commencement date to January 23, 2022. This Order pooled all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the N/2 N/2 of Sections 16 and 17, Township 19 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, and granted Cimarex the operating rights for the proposed Parkway 16-17 State Com 1H Well and development of these lands as a unit. Paragraph (5) of the Order allows for an extension for good cause shown. The Initial Extension granted an extension of the spud date to January 23, 2022, and provided that “[a]ll other provisions of this order remain in full force and effect.” The request in the above-referenced case would extend the well commencement deadline through October 23, 2022.

APPLICANT’S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Riley Morris - Landman	Approx. 5 min	Approx. 1

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Since this case involves lands in the same sections as Case No. 22148, Cimarex respectfully requests that the two cases be consolidated for efficiency. No objections have been made, and Cimarex does not anticipate any objections to be filed, and under such circumstances, Cimarex plans to present the case by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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Number of witnesses	<i>Not answered.</i>
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