

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

**APPLICATION OF COTERRA ENERGY
OPERATING CO. FOR APPROVAL OF A
NON-STANDARD UNIT, AND
COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

CASE NO. 25955

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Coterra Energy Operating Co. ("Coterra") submits this Pre-Hearing Statement for the above-referenced case pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

Coterra Energy Operating Co.

ATTORNEY

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OTHER PARTIES

None.

ATTORNEY

STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT:

In **Case No. 25955**, Coterra seeks an order from the Division approving a non-standard 649.37-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit and pooling all uncommitted interests in the W/2 of irregular Section 4 and the W/2 of Section 9, Township 19 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the following wells: **Big Iron 4-9 Fed Com #102H** well with a proposed first take point in the NW/4 NW/4 (Lot

4) of irregular Section 4 and a proposed last take point in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 9; and **Big Iron 4-9 Fed Com #202H** well with a proposed first take point in the NE/4 NW/4 (Lot 3) of irregular Section 4 and proposed last take point in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 9. The wells will be drilled at orthodox locations. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing, and equipping said wells, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision while drilling and after completion, designation of Coterra Energy Operating Co. as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said wells. Said area is located approximately 25 miles west of Hobbs, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT:


| WITNESS | ESTIMATED TIME | EXHIBITS |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Landman: Ashley St. Pierre | Approx. 10 minutes | Approx. 8 |
| Geologist: Staci Frey | Approx. 10 minutes | Approx. 5 |

PROCEDURAL ISSUES

Coterra intends to present this case by affidavit if there is no opposition to the application.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Action 558334

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| | Action Number: 558334 |
| | Action Type: [HEAR] Prehearing Statement (PREHEARING) |

QUESTIONS

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| Testimony | |
| <i>Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony.</i> | |
| Number of witnesses | 2 |
| Testimony time (in minutes) | Not answered. |