

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

**APPLICATION OF V-F PETROLEUM INC.,
TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-23838-A FOR AN
EXTENSION OF THE WELL COMMENCEMENT DATE,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

Case No. _____

APPLICATION

V-F Petroleum Inc. (“V-F” or “Applicant”), OGRID No. 24010, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this Application with the Oil Conservation Division (“Division”) pursuant to the provisions of NMSA 1978, Section 70-2-17, seeking to amend Order Nos. R-23838-A to allow a one-year extension of the wells drilling commencement deadline. Order No. R-23838-A pooled uncommitted owners in the Bone Spring formation (Travis; Bone Spring Pool [Pool Code 97257]), an oil pool, underlying a standard 400-acre, more or less, spacing unit comprised of the N/2 NW/4 of Section 35 and the N/2 N/2 of Section 34 and 33, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. Paragraph 21 of the Order allows for an extension by amendment of the order. In support of its application, V-F states the following:

V-F is in good standing under state-wide rules and regulations with respect to Order No. R-23838-A, and based on this, V-F has been making plans to drill the wells prior to the deadline. However, V-F has encountered unforeseen difficulties that have made it necessary to request an extension of the commencement date. Consequently, V-F respectfully requests that the Division grant V-F additional time to complete the development plan.

WHEREFORE, V-F respectfully requests that this Application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on July 9, 2026, and after notice and hearing as required by law, that the Division amend Order Nos. R-23838-A in a manner that provides for an additional one-year extension of the well commencement deadline.

Under the terms of Order R-23838-A, V-F would be required to commence drilling of the initial Walker wells by July 24, 2026; and therefore, asks that the deadline for the commencement drilling date be extended one year, to July 24, 2027, thereby, granting V-F the opportunity to proceed with its development plan without interruption.

Respectfully submitted,

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Application of V-F Petroleum Inc. to Amend Order No. R-23838-A for an Extension of the Commencement Date, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks to amend Division Order Nos. R-23838-A in order to obtain a one-year extension of the current well commencement deadline, such that the drilling deadline would be extended to July 24, 2027. Order No. R-23838-A pooled uncommitted interest owners and granted Applicant operating rights for wells (Walker 35-34-33 State Com #224H and the Walker 35-34-33 State Com #234H) to be drilled in a standard 400-acre, more or less, spacing unit comprised of the N/2 NW/4 of Section 35 and the N/2 N/2 of Section 34 and 33, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. The wells and lands are located approximately 17.4 miles southeast, of Artesia, New Mexico.