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

APPLICATION OF SPUR ENERGY PARTNERS, LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NOS. 21882-21883

## SPUR ENERGY PARTNERS, LLC'S EMERGENCY MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

Spur Energy Partners, LLC ("Spur") requests that the Oil Conservation Division ("Division") issue an order continuing the May 6, 2021 hearing in these matters to the May 20, 2021 hearing docket. In support of this motion, Spur states the following.

- 1. Spur's applications are set for a hearing on May 6, 2021. Spur timely filed its prehearing statement on April 19, 2021 and timely submitted its exhibits to the Division on May 4, 2021.
- 2. Case Nos. 21880 and 21881, which are companion cases to Case Nos. 21882 and 21883, were previously continued to the Division's May 20, 2021 hearing docket.
- 3. Late on the afternoon of May 5, 2021, Spur became aware of potential issues involving the leases for the acreage involved in Case Nos. 21880-21883.
- 4. To afford Spur an opportunity to address and resolve those issues, Spur requests that Case Nos. 21882-21883 be continued to the Division's May 20, 2021 hearing docket.
- 5. In accordance with NMAC 19.15.4.13(C), Spur has filed this motion as soon as it became aware of the need for a continuance.
- 6. Counsel for Spur contacted counsel for Jalapeno Corporation ("Jalapeno") and Petro-Yates, Inc. ("Petro-Yates") regarding this motion but was not able to ascertain their position prior to filing. However, Jalapeno and Petro-Yates have filed a motion to dismiss Spur's

applications, which asserts in part that Jalapeno and Petro-Yates have not had a sufficient amount of time to respond to the applications. Accordingly, the requested continuance would not prejudice any party.

For the foregoing reasons, Spur respectfully requests that the Division issue an order continuing these matters to the May 20, 2021 hearing docket.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this 5<sup>th</sup> day of May, 2021, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing pleading on the following counsel of record by electronic mail:

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