

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

**APPLICATION OF MATADOR PRODUCTION
COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NOS. 22747 & 22748

MATADOR'S CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Matador Production Company ("Matador" or "Applicant"), the applicant in the above-referenced matters, submits this Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Under these consolidated cases, Matador seeks orders pooling all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation (Teas; Bone Spring, West [96399]) and underlying the referenced acreage all in Township 20 South, Range 33 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, as follows:

- Under **Case 22747**, Matador seeks to pool a standard 320-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 E/2 of Sections 16 and 21 and initially dedicate this Bone Spring spacing unit to the proposed **Pony Express Federal Com 403H**, the **Pony Express Federal Com 504H** and the **Pony Express Federal Com 603H** wells, to be drilled from a surface location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 16, to a bottom hole location in the SW/4 SE/4 (Unit O) of Section 21.
- Under **Case 22748**, Matador seeks to pool a standard 320-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2 E/2 of Sections 16 and 21 and initially dedicate this Bone Spring spacing unit to the proposed **Pony Express Federal Com 404H**, the **Pony Express Federal Com 505H**, and the **Pony Express Federal Com 604H** wells, to be drilled from a surface location in the NE/4 NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 16, to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SE/4 (Unit P) of Section 21.

The completed interval for each of the wells will comply with statewide setbacks for oil wells. Matador has sought and been unable to obtain voluntary agreement for the development of these lands from all working interest owners in the subject acreage.

APPLICANT’S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Isaac Evans, Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 6
Andrew Parker, Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 4

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Matador requests that these matters be consolidated for hearing and intends to present these cases by affidavit if there is no opposition at the time of hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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