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

APPLICATIONS OF COG OPERATING LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NOS. 22926, 22927

CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

COG Operating LLC ("COG" or "Applicant") submits its Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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INTERESTED PARTIES ATTORNEYS

No other parties of record.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

In Case No. 22926, COG seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a 640-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2 of Sections 10 and 15, Township 22 South, Range 34 East, Lea County, New Mexico. The Unit will be dedicated to the following wells:

a) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #501H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SE/4 (Unit P) of Section 15;

- b) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #502H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SE/4 (Unit P) of Section 15;
- c) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #503H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SW/4 SE/4 (Unit O) of Section 15;
- d) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #601H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SW/4 SE/4 (Unit O) of Section 15;
- e) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #605H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SE/4 (Unit P) of Section 15; and
- f) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #606 well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SW/4 SE/4 (Unit O) of Section 15.

The completed interval of the Wells will be orthodox. The completed interval of the Yeah Yeah Federal Com #502H well will be located within 330' of the quarter-quarter section line separating the W/2 E/2 and E/2 E/2 of Sections 10 and 15 to allow for the creation of a 640-acre standard horizontal spacing unit. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the Wells and the allocation of the costs, the designation of Applicant as the operator of the Wells, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the Wells.

In Case No. 22927, COG seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a 640-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 of Sections 10 and 15, Township 22 South, Range 34 East, Lea County, New Mexico. The Unit will be dedicated to the following wells:

- a) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #504H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 15;
- b) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #505H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 15;
- c) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #602H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 15;
- d) Yeah Yeah Federal Com #603H well, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 15;
- e) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #604H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 15; and
- f) The **Yeah Yeah Federal Com #607H well**, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 10 to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 15.

The completed interval of the Wells will be orthodox. The completed interval of the Yeah Yeah Federal Com #504H well will be located within 330' of the quarter-quarter section line separating the W/2 W/2 and E/2 W/2 of Sections 10 and 15 to allow for the creation of a 640-acre standard horizontal spacing unit. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the Wells and the allocation of the costs, the designation of Applicant as the operator of the Wells, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the Wells.

The wells are located approximately 18 miles west of Eunice, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

| Witness | Occupation | Estimated Time | Exhibits |
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| Mackayla Stone | Land Negotiator | Affidavit | Approx. 5 (each case) |
| William Schellenbach | Geologist | Affidavit | Approx. 8 (total) |

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Applicant intends to consolidate these matters for hearing and will present its cases by affidavit if there is no opposition.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

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| Midland, TX 79701 | 129372 |
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QUESTIONS

| Testimony | | | |
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| Number of witnesses | Not answered. | | |
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