

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

**APPLICATION OF APACHE CORPORATION
TO AMEND ORDERS,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

CASE NOS. 23037–23040

CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Apache Corporation (“Apache”) submits this Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement for the above-referenced cases pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

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STATEMENT OF CASES

In Case No. 23037, Apache seeks an order from the Division for the limited purpose of amending Order No. R-21906 to allow for a one-year extension of time to commence drilling the initial well under the Order. Order No. R-21906 pooled uncommitted interest owners in a 320-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2 N/2 of Sections 25 and 26, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. Said area is located approximately 16 miles southeast of Artesia, New Mexico.

In Case No. 23038, Apache seeks an order from the Division for the limited purpose of amending Order No. R-21907 to allow for a one-year extension of time to commence drilling the initial well under the Order. Order No. R-21907 pooled uncommitted interest owners in a 320-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2 N/2 of Sections 25 and 26, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. Said area is located approximately 16 miles southeast of Artesia, New Mexico.

In Case No. 23039, Apache seeks an order from the Division for the limited purpose of amending Order No. R-21908 to allow for a one-year extension of time to commence drilling the

initial well under the Order. Order No. R-21908 pooled uncommitted interest owners in a 320-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2 S/2 of Sections 25 and 26, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. Said area is located approximately 16 miles southeast of Artesia, New Mexico.

In Case No. 23040, Apache seeks an order from the Division for the limited purpose of amending Order No. R-21909 to allow for a one-year extension of time to commence drilling the initial well under the Order. Order No. R-21909 pooled uncommitted interest owners in a 320-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2 S/2 of Sections 25 and 26, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. Said area is located approximately 16 miles southeast of Artesia, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT:

WITNESS

ESTIMATED TIME

EXHIBITS

Landman - Blake Johnson

Approx. 5 minutes

Approx. 3

PROCEDURAL ISSUES

No party has entered an appearance in these cases and no opposition is expected at the hearing. Accordingly, Apache intends to present the above-referenced cases by declaration.

Respectfully submitted,

MODRALL, SPERLING, ROEHL, HARRIS
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QUESTIONS

Action 147590

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Operator: APACHE CORPORATION 303 Veterans Airpark Ln Midland, TX 79705	OGRID: 873
	Action Number: 147590
	Action Type: [HEAR] Prehearing Statement (PREHEARING)

QUESTIONS

Testimony	
Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony.	
Number of witnesses	Not answered.
Testimony time (in minutes)	Not answered.