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

## APPLICATIONS OF TAP ROCK OPERATING, LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NOS. 23043, 23044

## SELF-AFFIRMED STATEMENT OF MICHAEL RODRIGUEZ

1. I am attorney in fact and authorized representative of Tap Rock Operating, LLC, the Applicant herein.

2. On September 12, 2022, I caused notice of the applications for the captioned cases to be sent by certified mail through the United States Postal Service to all interest owners entitled to receive notice of the applications filed herein. The notice letter attached as **Exhibit A-6**, along with the applications in these cases, were sent to the uncommitted interest owners in these cases. **Exhibit A-6** also contains a tracking sheet that identifies the parties and addresses that notice was sent to and the status of receipt.

3. On September 15, 2022, notice was also directed to all interested parties by publication in the Carlsbad Current Argus. **Exhibit A-7** contains copies of the Affidavit of Publication from the Legal Clerk of the Carlsbad Current Argus and the notice publication.

4. I understand this Self-Affirmed Statement will be used as written testimony in these cases. I affirm that my testimony in paragraphs 1 through 3 above is true and correct and is made under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico. My testimony is made as of the date handwritten next to my signature below

Michael Rodriguez

10/7/2022 Date

> Tap Rock Operating, LLC Case Nos. 23043, 23044 Exhibit C