

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

**APPLICATION OF COLGATE OPERATING,
LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 23093

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Colgate Operating, LLC (“Applicant”) submits its Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPLICANT

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INTERESTED PARTY

None.

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Applicant applies for an order pooling all uncommitted interests from the top of the Third Bone Spring Formation to the base of the Bone Spring Formation underlying a 160-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2 S/2 of Section 13, Township 20 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. The spacing unit will be dedicated to the **Wombat 13 Federal Com 133H** well, to be drilled from a surface hole location in the NE/4 SE/4 (Unit I) of Section 13 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4 SW/4 (Unit L) of Section 13.

Due to a depth severance, Applicant seeks to pool interests from the stratigraphic equivalent of approximately 7,900' TVD to approximately 8,966' TVD, as shown on the Charlie Chocolate 14 15 Federal Com #031H well log (API #30-015-43123).

The completed interval of the Well will be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the Well and the allocation of the costs, the designation of Applicant as the operator of the Well, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the Well.

The Well is located approximately 10.2 miles northeast of Carlsbad, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

Witness	Occupation	Estimated Time	Exhibits
Travis Macha	Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 5
David DaGian	Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 7

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Applicant will present this matter by affidavit if there is no opposition.

Respectfully submitted,

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