

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

**APPLICATIONS OF V-F PETROLEUM INC.
COMPULSORY POOLING AND APPROVAL
OF A NON-STANDARD SPACING UNIT,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NOS. 23254 & 23255

**V-F PETROLEUM INC.'S MOTION TO VACATE PRE-HEARING
ORDER AND SET CASES FOR UNCONTESTED HEARING**

V-F Petroleum Inc. ("V-F") requests that the Division: (1) vacate the Pre-Hearing Order, issued on February 17, 2023; and (2) set the cases for an uncontested hearing by affidavit on April 6, 2023. In support of this motion, V-F states the following:

1. The Pre-Hearing Order, issued on February 17, 2023, set the above-referenced matters for a contested hearing on April 6, 2023 based on Apache Corporation's ("Apache") Entry of Appearance and Notice of Opposition to Presentation by Affidavit filed on January 3, 2023.
2. Apache filed a withdrawal of its objection on March 30, 2023. As a result, V-F requests that the Division vacate the Pre-Hearing Order and set the cases for an uncontested hearing by affidavit on the April 6, 2023 hearing docket.
3. Counsel for Apache was contacted regarding this motion and does not oppose V-F's request.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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