

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

**APPLICATIONS OF TEXAS STANDARD
OPERATING NM LLC FOR COMPULSORY
POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO. CASE NOS. 23361 & 23507**

**APPLICATIONS OF BTA OIL PRODUCERS,
LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO. CASE NOS. 23479 & 23480**

**BTA OIL PRODUCERS, LLC'S UNOPPOSED
MOTION FOR CONSOLIDATION AND TO SUSPEND PRE-HEARING ORDER**

BTA Oil Producers, LLC ("BTA") requests that the Oil Conservation Division ("Division"): (1) consolidate Case Nos. 23361 and 23507 with Case Nos. 23479 and 23480 for hearing; (2) suspend the Pre-Hearing Order issued on March 3, 2023; and (3) set the cases for a status conference on May 4, 2022. In support of this motion, BTA states the following.

1. BTA's Case Nos. 23479 and 23480 involve competing proposals with Texas Standard Operating NM LLC's ("Texas Standard") Case Nos. 23361 and 23507.
2. BTA's applications were filed on April 3, 2023 and are set for hearing on May 4, 2023.
3. Texas Standard's Case No. 23361 is currently set for a contested hearing on May 4, 2023 under the Pre-Hearing Order issued on March 3, 2023.
4. Texas Standard's Case No. 23507 was filed on April 13, 2023 and is currently set for hearing on June 1, 2023.
5. BTA and Texas Standard agree that Case Nos. 23361, 23507, 23479 and 23480 should be consolidated for hearing.

6. As a result, BTA requests that the Division suspend the pre-hearing order and set the competing applications for a status conference on May 4, 2023 to select a contested hearing date.

7. No party opposes this request.

For the foregoing reasons, BTA requests that the Division: (1) consolidate Case Nos. 23361 and 23507 with Case Nos. 23479 and 23480 for hearing; (2) suspend the Pre-Hearing Order; and (3) set the cases for a status conference on May 4, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on April 17, 2023, I caused a true and correct copy of the foregoing motion to be electronically served on the following counsel of record:

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