

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

**APPLICATIONS OF E.G.L. RESOURCES
INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

CASE NOS. 24184-24185

**JOINT MOTION TO VACATE PRE-HEARING ORDER
IN FAVOR OF A STATUS CONFERENCE**

MRC Permian Company (“MRC”) and E.G.L. Resources Inc. (“EGL”) jointly move to vacate the Pre-Hearing Order setting these matters for a Special Hearing on May 23, 2024, and to instead hold a status conference at the Division’s regular docket on June 13, 2024. In support of this motion, movants state:

1. EGL filed its applications in these matters on February 5, 2024, for its proposed Bond wells. MRC subsequently entered an appearance and objected to the matters proceeding by affidavit.

2. At the March 7, 2024, status conference, MRC informed the Examiner that it was submitting competing well proposals and anticipated filing competing pooling applications for the May 2, 2024, docket. The Examiner therefore set these matters for a special hearing on May 23rd.

3. MRC and EGL have since been engaged in discussions about a resolution. MRC has therefore refrained from filing competing pooling applications and the parties anticipate a contested pooling hearing may not be necessary.

4. Vacating the existing prehearing order and setting these cases for a status conference on June 13, 2024, will allow the parties time to continue discussions on a resolution, potentially avoid the filing of additional pooling applications, and potentially avoid a contested hearing.

5. Counsel for Snow Oil & Gas and Dan W. and Sandra Lynn Snow, and counsel for COG Operating, LLC, the only other parties appearing in these matters, have been contacted and do not take a position on this motion.

6. A proposed form of order granting this joint motion will be forwarded to the Division via email as a word document.

WHEREFORE, MRC and EGL respectfully request that the Division vacate the prehearing order setting these matters for a Special Hearing on May 23, 2024, and instead schedule these cases for a status conference at the Division's regularly scheduled June 13, 2024, docket.

Respectfully submitted,

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