

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

**APPLICATIONS OF NOVO OIL &  
GAS NORTHERN DELAWARE, LLC  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NOS. 24394 & 24395**

**CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Novo Oil & Gas Northern Delaware, LLC (“Novo” or “Applicant”) submits its Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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**STATEMENT OF THE CASES**

In **Case No. 24394**, Applicant seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a 160.2 acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit

comprised of the W/2 W/2 of Section 4, Township 23 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. The Unit will be dedicated to the **Goonch Federal Com 111H** and **Goonch Federal Com 121H** wells, which will be drilled from surface hole locations in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 4 to bottom hole locations in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 4

In **Case No. 24395**, Applicant seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a 160.21 acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2 W/2 of Section 4, Township 23 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico. The Unit will be dedicated to the **Goonch Federal Com 112H** and **Goonch Federal Com 122H** wells, which will be drilled from surface hole locations in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 4 to bottom hole locations in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 4.

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

The wells are located approximately 16 miles west of Eunice, New Mexico.

**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

<b>Witness</b>	<b>Occupation</b>	<b>Estimated Time</b>	<b>Exhibits</b>
Collin Christian	Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 5
Tyler Chesworth	Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 6

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Applicant intends to consolidate these matters for hearing and will present these matters by affidavit if there is no opposition.

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on July 30, 2024, I served a true and correct copy of the foregoing pleading on the following counsel of record by electronic mail:

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QUESTIONS

Action 368569

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**QUESTIONS**

<b>Testimony</b>	
<i>Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony.</i>	
Number of witnesses	<i>Not answered.</i>
Testimony time (in minutes)	<i>Not answered.</i>