

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

**APPLICATION OF APACHE CORPORATION TO
AMEND ORDER NO. R-23092
FOR THE LIMITED PURPOSE
OF ADDING ADDITIONAL POOLED PARTIES.**

**CASE NO. _____
ORDER NO. R-23092**

APPLICATION

Apache Corporation (“Apache”), OGRID Number 873, through its undersigned attorneys, hereby submits this application to the Oil Conservation Division pursuant to the provisions of NMSA (1978), Section 70-2-17, for the limited purpose of amending Order No. R-23902 (the “Order”) to pool additional parties under the Order. In support of this application, Apache states:

1. Apache is an interest owner in the subject lands and has a right to drill a well thereon.
2. Order R-23092 was issued in Case No. 24090. Pursuant to Order No. R-23092, Apache is the operator of a 320-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2N/2 of Sections 25 and 26, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico dedicated to the Camacho 25-26 State Com 202H and Camacho 25-26 State Com 302H wells.
3. The Order pooled uncommitted interest owners in the spacing unit described above.
4. Since the entry of the Order, Apache has identified additional interest owners that it seeks to pool under the Order and include under the Order’s terms.
5. Apache sought, but has been unable to obtain, a voluntary agreement from the additional interest owners Apache seeks to pool in this case to participate in the drilling of the wells or to otherwise commit their interests to the wells.


6. The pooling of all interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the proposed unit will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, Apache requests this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on January 9, 2025 and after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter its order:

- A. Amending Order No. R-23092 to include additional pooled parties under Order No. R-23092's terms; and
- B. Incorporating all of the provisions of Order No. R-23092.

Respectfully submitted,

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CASE NO. _____: Application of Apache Corporation to Amend Order No. R-23092, Eddy County, New Mexico for the Limited Purpose of Adding Additional Pooled Parties.

Applicant seeks an order from the Division for the limited purpose of amending Order No. R-23092 to pool additional parties under Order No. R-23092. Order R-23092 was issued in Case No. 24090 and pooled uncommitted interest owners in a standard 320-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit underlying the S/2N/2 of Sections 25 and 26, Township 19 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. Said area is located approximately 16 miles southeast of Artesia, New Mexico.