

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

**IN THE MATTER OF PROPOSED
AMENDMENTS TO THE COMMISSION'S
RULES ON NATURAL GAS GATHERING
SYSTEMS 19.15.28 NMAC**

**CASE NO. 22225
ORDER NO. R-21889**

PROCEDURAL ORDER

Due to the Covid-19 virus outbreak within the state and the Governor's current public health orders and restrictions, the public rule hearing before the Oil Conservation ("Commission") currently scheduled for December 17, 2021 will occur via telephonic/virtual means during a special meeting of the Commission held in the same format. The hearing will begin at 9:00 a.m. on December 17, 2021 and may continue through the following day(s) if not completed.. The public, participants, and parties to the hearing may attend the meeting through the Webex Meeting platform using the following link and/or meeting information:

Webex Meeting Information

December 17, 2021

Meeting No: 2484 418 4639

Password No: qcBUyvan624

Address:

<https://nmemnrd.webex.com/nmemnrd/onstage/g.php?MTID=ebbf46965fb6c1a0748c8f8d9734dee2a>

Join by phone:

+1-408-418-9388

Access code: 2484 418 4639

December 20, 2021

Meeting No: 2480 552 8481

Password No: iPE7Pi3Mp7a

Address:

<https://nmemnrd.webex.com/nmemnrd/onstage/g.php?MTID=e7d0620ea49c66b48e200a64701167736>

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Pursuant to 19.15.3.8(C), in addition to the procedures found in Rule 19.15.3 NMAC, the following special rules shall apply to this rules hearing:

1. **Technical Testimony & Motion Practice**

- a. All technical testimony shall be presented to the Commission in writing through the Pre-Hearing Statement as contemplated in 19.15.3.11(B) NMAC, and shall be filed with the Commission no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 3, 2021.
- b. Motions shall be filed with the Commission no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 3, 2021.
- c. Responses to both Motions and/or Pre-Hearing Statements shall be filed with the Commission no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 10, 2021.
- d. No replies shall be permitted.
- e. Filing may be accomplished by first class mail to the Commission Clerk, Florene Davidson, 3rd Floor, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505, or electronic mail to OCC.Hearings@state.nm.us.
- f. Any person who presents technical testimony in writing shall attend the hearing online or via telephone and will be subject to cross-examination by the members of the Commission, the Commission's counsel, or another person who has filed a Pre-Hearing Statement on the subject matter of the person's direct testimony.

2. **Oral Non-Technical Testimony/Oral Public Comment**

- a. Any person who has not submitted a Pre-Hearing Statement may present non-technical testimony or make an unsworn statement at the hearing, and may offer exhibits at the hearing so long as the exhibits are relevant to the proposed rule and do not unduly repeat the testimony.
- b. Any person that wishes to present oral non-technical testimony to the Commission shall notify the Commission Clerk, Florene Davidson by first class or electronic mail at 3rd Floor, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505, or OCC.Hearings@state.nm.us no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 16, 2021.
- c. In order to ensure that all participants are able to participate in the hearing, notifications to the Commission Clerk shall include at least a name and telephone number of the person intending to present non-technical testimony.

- d. Any exhibits that will be offered in conjunction with non-technical testimony must be sent via electronic mail to the Commission Clerk, Florene Davidson at the above email address no later than 5:00 p.m. on December 15, 2021.
- e. Any person who presents non-technical testimony will be subject to cross-examination by the Commission, the Commission's counsel, or another person who has filed a Pre-Hearing Statement on the subject matter of the person's direct testimony.

3. **Written Comment Period**

- a. The written comment period will be 38 days starting November 9, 2021 and closing at 12 p.m. on December 17, 2021.
- b. Any person may submit written or electronic comments on the proposed rule no later than 12 p.m. on December 17, 2021, unless extended by the Commission or the Chair of the Commission, by first class or electronic mail to the Commission Clerk, Florene Davidson, 3rd Floor, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico, 87505, or OCC.Hearings@state.nm.us.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

DONE at Santa Fe, New Mexico, on this 20th day of October 2021.

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ADRIENNE SANDOVAL, M.E., CHAIR



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