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**Re: No. 16292 - CIMAREX ENERGY CO. OF COLORADO
FOR A NON-STANDARD SPACING AND PRORATION
UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.**

Dear Ms. Davidson:

Enclosed please find three copies of the following:

1. Cimarex's Pre-Hearing Statement - Cherry Hills 1H

Thank you for your assistance. Please contact me if you have any questions.

Sincerely,

Zina Crum, Legal Assistant to
Jennifer L. Bradfute

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Enclosure

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

**CIMAREX ENERGY CO. OF
COLORADO FOR A NON-STANDARD
SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT
AND COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 16292

CIMAREX'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado ("Cimarex") submits this Pre-Hearing Statement for the above-referenced case pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

Cimarex Energy Co. of Colorado

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STATEMENT OF CASE

In Case No. 16292, Cimarex seeks an order from the Division: (1) creating a non-standard 640-acre, more or less, spacing and proration unit in the Wolfcamp formation, comprised of the E/2 of Sections 3 and 10, Township 24 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico; and, (2) pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying this proposed spacing and proration unit. This proposed spacing and proration unit will be the unit for the Cherry Hills 10-3 Federal Com 1H well, to be horizontally drilled. The producing area for this well will be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well, the allocation of these

costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Cimarex as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

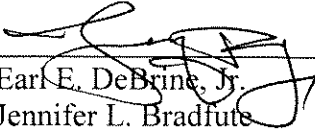
PROPOSED EVIDENCE

CIMAREX:

<u>WITNESS</u>	<u>ESTIMATED TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Caitlin Pierce – Landman	Approx. 40	Approx. 8
Adam Meeks/TBD – Geologist	Approx. 30	Approx. 4

Respectfully submitted,

**MODRALL, SPERLING, ROEHL, HARRIS
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