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

APPLICATION OF VISTA DISPOSAL SOLUTIONS LLC FOR A SALT WATER DISPOSAL WELL IN LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

**CASE NO. 21016** 

## PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by the New Mexico State Land Office as required by the Oil Conservation Division under 19.15.4.13 (A) NMAC.

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#### STATEMENT OF THE CASE

### **APPLICANT**

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Application of Vista Disposal Solutions LLC, for approval of a salt water disposal well in Lea County, New Mexico. The proposed well is located within ½ mile of State Trust Land and/or minerals.

## OPPONENT NEW MEXICO STATE LAND OFFICE

The State Land Office is concerned with the proximity of the proposed well site to State Trust Lands and Minerals, and the potential negative impact on and waste of New Mexico State Trust Minerals.

#### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

The State Land Office does not intend to present any evidence.

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

No procedural matters have been identified that are to be resolved prior to the hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on this <u>and</u> day of January 2020, a copy of the foregoing Prehearing Statement was served via email upon the following:

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