

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

**APPLICATION OF NOVO OIL & GAS NORTHERN DELAWARE
LLC TO AMEND ORDER R-21208, EDDY COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 21740
(formerly Case 21037)

**APPLICATION OF NOVO OIL & GAS NORTHERN DELAWARE
LLC TO AMEND ORDER R-21209, EDDY COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 21741
(formerly Case 21038)

**APPLICATION OF NOVO OIL & GAS NORTHERN DELAWARE
LLC TO AMEND ORDER R-21210, EDDY COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 21742
(formerly Case 21039)

**APPLICATION OF NOVO OIL & GAS NORTHERN DELAWARE
LLC TO AMEND ORDER R-21211, EDDY COUNTY, NEW
MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 21743
(formerly Case 21040)

NOVO'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Novo Oil and Gas Northern Delaware, LLC ("Novo") (OGRID No. 372920), submits this Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement, pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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APPLICANT

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE

Following a hearing on a set of consolidated pooling cases, the Division entered the following pooling orders on April 9, 2020:

- Under Case 21037, the Division entered **Order No. R-21208** creating a standard 160-acre horizontal spacing unit in the First Bone Spring Interval of the Bone Spring formation (Laguna Salado; Bone Spring pool [96721]) from a depth of 7,702 feet to 7,839 feet underlying the W/2 W/2 of Section 15, Township 23 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the "Unit"). The Order dedicated the Unit to the proposed **Saturninus Fed Com No. 111H well** (API No. 30-015-pending).
- Under Case 21038, the Division entered **Order No. R-21209** creating a standard 320-acre horizontal spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation (Laguna Salado; Bone Spring pool [96721]) from a depth of 7,839 feet to the base of the Bone Spring formation underlying the W/2 W/2 of Sections 10 and 15, Township 23 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the "Unit"). The Order dedicated the Unit to the proposed the **Saturninus Fed Com 1510 Nos. 121H and 131H wells** (API Nos. pending).
- Under Case 21039, the Division entered **Order No. R-21210** creating a standard 320-acre horizontal spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation (Laguna Salado; Bone Spring pool [96721]) from a depth of 7,839 feet to the base of the Bone Spring formation underlying the E/2 W/2 of Sections 10 and 15, Township 23 South, Range

29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the “Unit”). The Order dedicated the Unit to the proposed the **Saturninus Fed Com 1510 Nos. 122H and 132H** wells (API Nos. pending).

- Under Case 21040, the Division entered **Order No. R-21211** creating a standard 640-acre horizontal spacing unit in the Wolfcamp formation in the (Purple Sage-Wolfcamp Gas Pool [98220]) underlying the W/2 of Sections 10 and 15, Township 23 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the “Unit”). The Order dedicated the Unit to the proposed **Saturninus Fed Com 1510 Nos. 211H, 212H, 215H, 221H, 222H, 225H, 231H, 232H, and 235H** wells (API Nos pending).

Each Order designates Applicant as the operator of the Unit and requires drilling to commence within a year (April 9, 2021). For good cause, Applicant requests a one-year extension of the drilling deadline under each Order to April 9, 2022.

APPLICANT’S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Brandon Patrick, Landman	Affidavit	None

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

If unopposed at the time of hearing, Novo intends to present this case by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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