

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

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NOS: 21700

APPLICATION OF CIMAREX ENERGY COMPANY
TO AMEND ORDER R-21295,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF VIRTUAL PROCEEDINGS
EXAMINER HEARING
March 4, 2021
Santa Fe, New Mexico

This matter came on for virtual hearing before
the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, HEARING OFFICER
FELICIA ORTH and TECHNICAL EXAMINER BAYLEN LAMKIN on
Thursday, March 4, 2021, through the Webex Platform.

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A P P E A R A N C E S

For the Applicant:

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1 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: Move then to the next
2 case is 21700, the request to amend an order. The name of
3 the well is Ringer. Mr. Hough?

4 MR. HOUGH: Thank you, Madam Examiner. This case
5 is to amend Order Number R-21184 to allow for an additional
6 one year extension of time to commence drilling operations.
7 And in this order the Wolfcamp formation was pooled under
8 the S/2 of Sections 3 and 4 in Township 25 South, Range 26
9 East, Eddy County, New Mexico.

10 I will state, on the hearing packet, just a cover
11 letter reflecting Lea County. I just wanted to point that
12 out, that's a typo on cover letter but all the actual
13 substantive material all reflect Eddy County.

14 Now, this acreage is also dedicated to Ringer 3-4
15 Federal Com 2H and a one-year extension would make the
16 deadline for drilling April 14, 2022.

17 Now, as provided in Exhibit A, the self-affirmed
18 declaration of Riley Morris, good cause exists for extension
19 due to the same reasons identified earlier, the current
20 market conditions, Cimarex is adjusting its development or
21 drilling schedule for its development.

22 A-1 and A-2 in the packet are the applications
23 for the order we just discussed.

24 Exhibit B is my affidavit of notice, and Exhibits
25 B-1 through B-3 notice was timely mailed to interested

1 parties and notice was also published in the newspaper of
2 local circulation that was also done timely.

3 So unless there are any questions on this one, I
4 ask this one be -- these exhibits be admitted into the
5 record and this matter be taken under advisement.

6 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: All right. Thank you.
7 Mr. Lamkin, any questions?

8 TECHNICAL EXAMINER LAMKIN: I don't have any
9 questions. Thank you.

10 HEARING EXAMINER ORTH: All right, thank you.
11 The exhibits are admitted and the matters will be taken
12 under advisement.

13 (Exhibits admitted.)

14 (Taken under advisement.)

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1 STATE OF NEW MEXICO
2 COUNTY OF BERNALILLO

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4 REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE

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6 I, IRENE DELGADO, New Mexico Certified Court
7 Reporter, CCR 253, do hereby certify that I reported the
8 foregoing virtual proceedings in stenographic shorthand and
9 that the foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript
10 of those proceedings to the best of my ability.

11 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither employed by
12 nor related to any of the parties or attorneys in this case
13 and that I have no interest in the final disposition of this
14 case.

15 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the Virtual Proceeding was
16 of poor to good quality.

17 Dated this 4th day of March 2021.

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/s/ Irene Delgado

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Irene Delgado, NMCCR 253
License Expires: 12-31-21

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