

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

**APPLICATION OF COLGATE OPERATING LLC
TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-21438,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**CASE NO. 21947
ORDER NO. R-21438
(Re-Open)**

**APPLICATION OF COLGATE OPERATING LLC
TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-21439,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**CASE NO. 21948
ORDER NO. R-21439
(Re-Open)**

CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Colgate Operating, LLC (“Colgate”) submits this Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement for the above-referenced cases pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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INTERESTED PARTY

None

STATEMENT OF CASES

In Case No. 21947, Colgate seeks an order from the Oil Conservation Division for the limited purposes of amending Order No. R-21438 to allow for a one-year extension of time to commence drilling the wells under the Order. The Division issued Order No. R-21438 on August

24, 2020, which designated Colgate as the operator of and pooled uncommitted interest owners within two 320-acre Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2 S/2 of Section 27 and N/2 S/2 of Section 28, Township 19 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (designated to the **Big Burro 27 State Com 123H** and **Big Burro 27 State Com 133H** wells). The Order requires commencement of drilling the wells within one year of the date of the Order unless Colgate obtains an extension by an amendment of this Order for good cause shown. Good cause exists for Colgate’s request for an extension of time due to limitations from the pandemic and recent market conditions.

In Case No. 21948, Colgate seeks an order from the Oil Conservation Division for the limited purposes of amending Order No. R-21439 to allow for a one-year extension of time to commence drilling the wells under the Order. The Division issued Order No. R-21439 on August 24, 2020, which designated Colgate as the operator of and pooled uncommitted interest owners within a 320-acre Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2 S/2 of Section 27 and S/2 S/2 of Section 28, Township 19 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (designated to the **Big Burro 27 State Com 124H** and **Big Burro 27 State Com 134H** wells). The Order requires commencement of drilling the wells within one year of the date of the Order unless Colgate obtains an extension by an amendment of this Order for good cause shown. Good cause exists for Colgate’s request for an extension of time due to limitations from the pandemic and recent market conditions.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT:

<u>WITNESS</u>	<u>ESTIMATED TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Mark Hajdik – Landman	Approx. 2 Minutes	Approx. 5

PROCEDURAL ISSUES

Colgate is not aware of an entry of appearance or request for continuance from any party in these cases. Accordingly, Colgate does not anticipate any opposition to these cases and intends to present its evidence by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

MODRALL, SPERLING, ROEHL, HARRIS
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