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## 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:

Application of Matador Production Company and Tap Rock Operating, LLC, for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico

Case Nos. 22665, 22780

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

May 5, 2022

MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, William Brancard, Esq., Hearing Examiner, Dean McClure, Technical Examiner, on May 5, 2022 via Webex Virtual Conferencing Platform hosted by the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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- 1 (Time noted as 8:38 a.m.)
- 2 EXAMINER BRANCARD: All right. I'm now on Item
- 3 Number 30 on our revised worksheet for today, and I'm
- 4 listing this as Case 22665, 22780, Matador Production
- 5 Company.
- 6 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, if I may. Jim Bruce
- 7 representing Matador Production Company. I just received an
- 8 early e-mail this morning from Sharon Shaheen, and she said
- 9 that Tap Rock and Matador have come to terms and she sent me
- 10 a copy of a motion to dismiss her case, which, apparently,
- 11 was done early this morning, so -- you can double-check --
- 12 you can double-check on me, but I know I did receive it, a
- 13 motion to dismiss, from Ms. Shaheen, and that we use my case
- 14 22665 pending, it's -- now that Tap Rock has dismissed its
- 15 application, this case is unopposed, and I'd just like to
- 16 set up a hearing date whenever I can to hear a case by
- 17 affidavit.
- 18 EXAMINER BRANCARD: Thank you. We did receive
- 19 that dismissal request on 22780. All right. Are you ready
- 20 to go June 2nd, Mr. Bruce?
- 21 MR. BRUCE: Yeah, that would be perfect. Thank
- 22 you. And I can file a motion for continuance today.
- 23 EXAMINER BRANCARD: All right. So we're assuming
- 24 this is an uncontested case.
- MR. BRUCE: Yeah. I think there's one party to be

Page 4 pooled. EXAMINER BRANCARD: All right. Thank you. I'll see whether I need to file anything, a scheduling order perhaps. Okay. Thank you. (Proceedings concluded at 8:41 a.m.) 

Page 5 STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF BERNALILLO 2. 3 5 6 REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE 7 I, SHANON R. MYERS, New Mexico Certified Court 8 Reporter, CCR #275, do hereby certify that I reported the 9 foregoing virtual proceedings in stenographic shorthand and 10 that the foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript of those proceedings to the best of my ability. 11 12 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither employed by 13 nor related to any of the parties or attorneys in this case 14 and that I have no interest in the final disposition of this 15 case. 16 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the virtual proceeding was of extremely poor to good quality. 17 18 Dated this 2nd day of June 2022. 19 20 /s/ Shanon R. Myers 2.1 SHANON R. MYERS, CCR, RPR, CRR, RMR, CRC 22 License Expires: 12/31/22 23 2.4 25