

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

**APPLICATION OF XTO ENERGY INC.
TO AMEND ORDER R-13903 TO ADD
AN ADDITIONAL POOLED PARTY,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. _____
(formerly Case 15206)**

APPLICATION

XTO Energy Inc. (“XTO”), through its undersigned attorneys, files this application with the Oil Conservation Division to amend pooling Order R-13903 to add an additional mineral owner to the terms of the pooling order. In support of its application XTO states:

1. XTO Energy Inc. (OGRID No. 5380) is the designated operator under Order R-13903 entered in Case No. 15206 on October 10, 2014.
2. Order R-13903 pooled uncommitted mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation [WC-025 G-08 S203506D; Bone Spring Pool (97983)] underlying a standard 156.8-acre horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 W/2 of Section 31, Township 19 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.
3. This standard horizontal well spacing unit is currently dedicated to the **Perla Verde 31 State 1H** (API No. 30-025-42063), a horizontal well drilled from a surface location in Lot 4 to a bottomhole location in Lot 1 of Section 31.
4. Applicant has discovered an unleased mineral owner in the pooled acreage that was not subject to the pooling proceedings giving rise to Order R-13903.
5. Application has sought and been unable to obtain voluntary agreement for the development of these lands from this additional mineral owner.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on April 7, 2022, and, after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter an order placing this additional mineral owner under the terms of Order R-13903.

Respectfully submitted,

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