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

APPLICATIONS OF XTO ENERGY INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NOS. 22609 & 22610

#### APPLICANT'S CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

XTO Energy Inc. ("XTO") (OGRID No. 5380), the applicant in the above-referenced cases, submits this Pre-Hearing Statement, pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

### **APPEARANCES**

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#### **APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE**

In these consolidated cases, XTO seeks orders pooling all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation [Forty-Niner Ridge; Bone Spring West Pool (96526)] underlying the W/2 of Sections 19, 30 and 31 of Township 23 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Eddy County, as follows:

Under Case 22609, XTO seeks to form a standard 240-acre horizontal spacing unit comprised of W/2 W/2 of Section 19 and W/2 NW/4 of Section 30 for the proposed
 Remuda North 30 State 707H well to be horizontally drilled from a surface location

in the SW/4 NW/4 (Unit E) of Section 30 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 19.

Under Case 22610, XTO seeks to form a standard 400-acre horizontal spacing unit comprised of E/2 W/2 of Sections 19 and 30, and the E/2 NW/4 of Section 31 for the proposed Remuda North 30 State 708H well to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 NW/4 (Unit E) of Section 30 to a bottom hole location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 19.

These spacing units will offset to the north and to the east an existing 240-acre horizontal well spacing unit comprised of the W/2 SW/4 of Section 30 and the W/2 W/2 of Section 31 currently dedicated to the Remuda South 25 State 708H well (API No. 30-015-48543).

#### APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Carlos R. Salinas, Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 5
Arturo Ayala, Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 3

#### **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

XTO intends to present these cases by affidavit if they remain unopposed at the time of hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Action 94964

#### **QUESTIONS**

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#### QUESTIONS

Testimony		
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Number of witnesses	Not answered.	
Testimony time (in minutes)	Not answered.	