

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

**APPLICATION OF MATADOR PRODUCTION
COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NOS. 22800

MATADOR'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Matador Production Company ("Matador"), the applicant in the above-referenced matters, submits this Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Matador seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Strawn formation [Humble City; Strawn South (Pool Code 33500)] underlying a standard 80-acre well spacing unit comprised of the W/2 SW/4 of Section 8, Township 17 South, Range 38 East, NMPM, Lea

County, New Mexico. Applicant proposes to dedicate the above-referenced spacing unit to the **B. Byerley 08-17S-38E #1**, a directional well to be drilled and completed at a non-standard location in the NW/4 SW/4 (Unit L) of Section 8. Special pool rules issued under Order No. R-6913, *et. seq.*, for the Humble City; Strawn, South Pool require 80-acre spacing and for wells to be located within 150 feet of the center of a governmental quarter-quarter section. The non-standard location for the proposed well is necessary to efficiently and effectively drain the targeted reservoir, and Applicant will separately seek administrative approval for the proposed non-standard location.

APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
David Johns, Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 5
Andrew Parker, Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Matador intends to present this case by affidavit if there is no opposition at the time of hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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