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

APPLICATIONS OF TITUS OIL & GAS PRODUCTION, LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

Case Nos. 22851-22852

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

TITUS OIL & GAS PRODUCTION, LLC ("Titus") provides this pre-hearing statement as required by the rules of the Division.

#### **APPEARANCES**

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## OTHER PARTIES ATTORNEYS

None at this time

#### STATEMENT OF THE CASE

In Case No. 22851, Applicant seeks an order from the Division pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation (WC-025 G-08 S263412K; BONE SPRING [96672]) in a standard 240-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing and proration unit ("HSU") comprised of the E/2 E/2 of Section 30 and the E/2 NE/4 of irregular Section 31, Township 26 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, in Lea County, New Mexico. The HSU is to be dedicated to the Los Vaqueros Fed Com 214H well, to be horizontally drilled from an approximate surface hole location 353' FNL and 1534'

FEL of Section 30, T26S-R35E, to an approximate bottom hole location 10' FSL and 330' FEL of Section 31, T26S-R35E.

In Case No. 22852, Applicant seeks an order from the Division pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp formation (JABALINA; WOLFCAMP, SOUTHWEST [96776]) in a standard 240-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing and proration unit ("HSU") comprised of the E/2 E/2 of Section 30 and the E/2 NE/4 of irregular Section 31, Township 26 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, in Lea County, New Mexico. The HSU is to be dedicated to the Los Vaqueros Fed Com 434H well, to be horizontally drilled from an approximate surface hole location 353' FNL and 1559' FEL of Section 30, T26S-R35E, to an approximate bottom hole location 10' FSL and 330' FEL of Section 31, T26S-R35E.

The completed intervals and first and last take points will meet the setback requirements set forth in the statewide rules for horizontal oil wells.

Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the well and the allocation of the costs, the designation of Applicant as Operator of the well, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well. The wells and lands are located approximately 13 miles southwest of Jal City, New Mexico.

#### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

## **APPLICANT**:

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
Landman Reed Brunette	By Affidavit	7-8
Geologist Allen Frierson	By Affidavit	7-8

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Assuming no opposition by time of hearing, Applicant will present these matters by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Action 111064

#### **QUESTIONS**

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Titus Oil & Gas Production, LLC	373986	
420 Throckmorton St, Ste 1150	Action Number:	
Fort Worth, TX 76012	111064	
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#### QUESTIONS

Testimony		
Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony.		
Number of witnesses	2	
Testimony time (in minutes)	16	