

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:**

**APPLICATION OF COLGATE OPERATING, LLC
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**OCC Case No. 21744
OCD Case No. 21629**

**APPLICATIONS OF CIMAREX ENERGY CO.
FOR A HORIZONTAL SPACING UNIT AND
COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**OCC Case No. 21744
OCD Case Nos. 22018 & 22019**

JOINT MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

Colgate Operating, LLC (“Colgate”) and Cimarex Energy Co., and its affiliate Magnum Hunter Production Inc. (collectively “Cimarex”), jointly as Parties, by and through their undersigned attorneys, move the Oil Conservation Commission (“OCC”) to continue the above-referenced cases to the OCC’s November 10, 2022, docket (“Joint Motion”). In support of the Joint Motion, the Parties provide the following:

1. Colgate and Cimarex have re-engaged negotiations in a concerted effort to reach a resolution to their dispute in the above-referenced cases, representing a revitalized effort which includes additional options that appear promising for resolving the controversy.
2. The Parties respectfully request additional time to pursue in good faith this opportunity, recently made available, in an effort to resolve these complicated matters prior to the OCC’s final adjudication of the competing applications.

WHEREFORE, the Parties respectfully request a continuance of the scheduled cases to the OCC's November 10, 2022, docket, a date requested to accommodate both time needed to pursue a resolution and the availability of witnesses.

Respectfully submitted,

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