

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

**APPLICATIONS OF EARTHSTONE OPERATING,
LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

CASE NOS. 23269 & 23271

MOTION TO DISMISS

Earthstone Operating, LLC hereby requests that the above-referenced matters be dismissed. No other party has entered an appearance in these matters.

Respectfully submitted,

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