

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

**APPLICATIONS OF CIMAREX ENERGY  
CO. TO AMEND ORDERS FOR COMPULSORY  
POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**Case Nos. 24045 - 24046**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by applicant as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

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**APPLICANT**

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**STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

**APPLICANT**

Case No. 24045: Cimarex Energy Co. seeks an order amending Order No. R-22468, entered on December 23, 2022, to extend the well commencement deadline one year, to December 23, 2024. Order No. R-22468 pooled uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2W/2 of Section 29 and the W/2W/2 of Section 32, Township 25 South, Range 27 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, for the purpose of drilling the Southern Hills 32-29 State Fed. Com. Well No. 1H. Order No. R-22468 requires the commencement of drilling within one year of the date of the order unless the operator obtains an extension by amending the order for good cause shown.

Case No. 24046: Cimarex Energy Co. seeks an order amending Order No. R-22469, entered on December 23, 2022, to extend the well commencement deadline one year, to December 23, 2024. Order No. R-22469 pooled uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2W/2 of Section 29 and the E/2W/2 of Section 32, Township 25 South, Range 27 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, for the purpose of drilling the Southern Hills 32-29 State Fed. Com. Well No. 2H. Order No. R-22469 requires the commencement of drilling within one year of the date of the order unless the operator obtains an extension by amending the order for good cause shown.

OPPONENT**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**APPLICANTWITNESSESEST. TIMEEXHIBITPat Gray  
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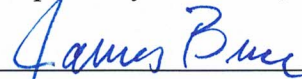
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Applicant requests that the cases be consolidated for hearing, and be presented by affidavit if uncontested.

Respectfully submitted,

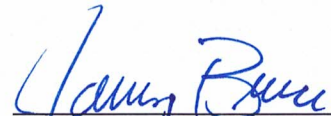


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