

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

**APPLICATION OF MATADOR PRODUCTION  
COMPANY TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-22668,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. \_\_\_\_\_  
ORDER NO. R-22668

**APPLICATION**

Matador Production Company (“Matador” or “Applicant”), through its undersigned attorneys, hereby files this application with the Oil Conservation Division to amend Order No. R-22668 (“Order”) to allow for an extension of time for drilling the proposed initial wells under the Order. In support of its application, Matador states:

1. Division Order No. R-22668, entered on April 30, 2023, in Case No. 22913, created a standard 390.32-acre, more or less, overlapping horizontal spacing unit comprised of the S/2 SW/4 and S/2 SE/4 of Sections 1 and 2, Township 21 South, Range 28 East, and Lot 18 and SE/4 SW/4 of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico (the “Unit”), and designated Matador as operator of the Unit.

2. Order No. R-22668 further pooled the uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation (WC-015 G-05 S2029335P; Bone Spring [97995]) in the Unit and dedicated the Unit to the proposed initial **Simon Camamile 0206 Fed Com #116H** (API No. 30-015-53727) and the **Simon Camamile 0206 Fed Com #126H** (API No. 30-015-PENDING).

3. Applicant requests that Order No. R-22668 be re-opened and amended to allow Applicant additional time to commence drilling the wells under the Order.

4. There is good cause for Applicant’s request for an extension of time to drill. Matador has begun its orderly development of this acreage and anticipates drilling at least

one of the initial wells under Order No. R-22668 within the requested extended drilling deadline.

5. Under the Order, Applicant would be required to commence drilling the well by April 1, 2024, and therefore, asks for the deadline to commence drilling the well be extended for a year, to April 1, 2025.

WHEREFORE, Applicant requests that this application be set for hearing before an Examiner of the Oil Conservation Division on April 4, 2024, and, after notice and hearing as required by law, the Division enter an order extending the time for Matador to commence drilling the proposed initial wells under the Order.

Respectfully submitted,

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CASE \_\_\_\_\_ : **Application of Matador Production Company to Amend Order No. R-22668, Eddy County, New Mexico.** Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks a year extension of time for drilling the well under Order No. R-22668. The Unit is comprised of the S/2 SW/4 and S/2 SE/4 of Sections 1 and 2, Township 21 South, Range 28 East, and Lot 18 and SE/4 SW/4 of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. Order No. R-22668 pooled the uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation and dedicated the Unit to the proposed initial **Simon Camamile 0206 Fed Com #116H** (API No. 30-015-53727) and the **Simon Camamile 0206 Fed Com #126H** (API No. 30-015-PENDING), both to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 2, Township 21 South, Range 28 East, to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 6, Township 21 South, Range 29 East. Said area is located 12 miles Northeast of Carlsbad, New Mexico.