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

APPLICATION OF FRANKLIN MOUNTAIN ENERGY 3, LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, AND, TO THE EXTENT NECESSARY, APPROVAL OF AN OVERLAPPING SPACING UNIT, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case Nos. 24457, 24459, 24479

APPLICATION OF FRANKLIN MOUNTAIN ENERGY 3, LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case Nos. 24898-24901

APPLICATIONS OF MRC PERMIAN COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF AN OVERLAPPING HORIZONTAL WELL SPACING UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case Nos. 24778-24783

APPLICATIONS OF MRC PERMIAN COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case Nos. 24784-24790

## <u>UNOPPOSED MOTION TO AMEND SECOND AMENDED PRE-HEARING ORDER</u>

Franklin Mountain Energy 3, LLC ("Franklin") respectfully moves to amend the Second Amended Prehearing Order entered in these matters on October 4, 2024 to replace Franklin Case Nos. 24460, 24462, and 24463 with Case Nos. 24898-24901. In support of this motion, Franklin states as follows:

- A Pre-hearing Order was issued on June 14, 2024 setting Case Nos. 24457, 24459,
   and 24460, 24462, 24463 for a contested hearing on September 10, 2024.
- 2. The Pre-hearing Order was amended on August 20, 2024, joining MRC Permian Company's ("MRC") Case Nos. 24778- 24783 and 24784-24790 for a contested hearing.

- 3. On August 23, 2024, the Franklin and MRC jointly filed a motion to vacate the September 10, 2024 contested hearing in favor of a final status conference on September 12, 2024.
- 4. Status conferences for these matters were held on September 12, 2024 and October 3, 2024.
- 5. On October 4, 2024 the Division entered a Second Amended Pre-Hearing Order setting the cases for a contested hearing on November 20, 2024.
- 6. On October 1, 2024, Franklin filed new applications for its Wolfcamp wells and those cases were assigned case numbers 24898-24901. These cases were set for the October 31, 2024 hearing docket.
- 7. Franklin will be filing a Notice of Dismissal for its original Wolfcamp well cases 24460, 24462, and 24463 which it seeks to replace with the newly filed cases 24898-24901.
- 8. For these reasons, Franklin respectfully requests that Case Nos. 24898-24901 be added to the Pre-Hearing Order and consolidated for hearing with the other cases listed, and that Case Nos. 24460, 24462, and 24463 be removed since these cases will be dismissed.
  - 9. Counsel for MRC has been contacted and does not oppose the motion.
  - 10. A proposed order in word version will be emailed to the Division.

WHEREFORE, Franklin respectfully requests that Case Nos. 24898-24901 be added to the Pre-Hearing Order and consolidated for hearing with the other listed cases and that Case Nos. 24460, 24462, and 24463 be removed.

Respectfully submitted,

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