

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

**APPLICATION OF AVANT OPERATING II, LLC
FOR APPROVAL OF A NON-STANDARD UNIT
AND COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 26144

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by the Avant Operating II, LLC (“Avant”) (OGRID No. 332947), the applicant in Case No 26144, as required by Division rules.

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APPLICANT

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

In Case No. 26144, Avant Operating II, LLC (“AO II”), OGRID Number 332947, seeks an order from the Oil Conservation Division (“Division”) pursuant to the provisions of NMSA 1978, § 70-2-17, for an order (1) approving a non-standard unit, and (2) pooling all uncommitted interests within a 960-acre, more or less, non-standard horizontal spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation, Pool: Lea; Bone Spring, South, Pool Code: 37580, and comprised of all of Section 21 and the N/2 of Section 28, Township 20 South, Range 34 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico.

AO II seeks to dedicate the Unit to the following wells:

- Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #201H well, Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #202H well, Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #301H well, Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #501H well, and Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #502H well, with proposed surface hole locations in the SE/4 NW/4 (Unit F) of Section 28, and proposed last take points in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 21;
- Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #203H well, Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #302H well, Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #303H well, and Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #503H well with proposed surface hole locations in the SE/4 NW/4 (Unit F) of Section 28, and proposed last take points in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 21;
- Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #204H well, and Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #504H well with proposed surface hole locations in the SE/4 NW/4 (Unit F) of Section 28, and a proposed last take points in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 21;
- Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #304H well with a proposed surface hole location in the SE/4 NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 28, and a proposed last take point in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 21; and
- Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #205H well, Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #206H well, Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #305H well, Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #505H well, and Paloma 28 21 Fed Com #506H well, with proposed surface hole locations in the SE/4 NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 28, and proposed last take points in the NE/4 NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 21.

The wells will be horizontally drilled, and the producing areas for the wells are expected to be orthodox.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

<u>WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST. TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Tiffany Sarantinos, Land	Affidavit	4
Josh Payne, Geology	Affidavit	3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Avant requests that the Division issue an order granting the pooling application of Avant in Case No. 26144.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Action 600722

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Testimony	
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Number of witnesses	<i>Not answered.</i>
Testimony time (in minutes)	<i>Not answered.</i>