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

IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

APPLICATION OF CAZA PETROLEUM, LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 20281

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PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

<u>Case No.20281</u>: Caza Petroleum, LLC seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2W/2 of Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. The unit will be

dedicated to the Lennox 34 State Well No. 1H, with a first take point in the SW/4SW/4 and a final take point in the NW/4NW/4 of Section 34. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the well and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling the well.

Case 20282: Caza Petroleum, LLC seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2W/2 of Section 34, Township 22 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. The unit will be dedicated to the Lennox 34 State Well No. 2H, with a first take point in the SE/4SW/4 and a final take point in the NE/4NW/4 of Section 34. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the well and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling the well.

OPPONENT

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES

	WITNESSES	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
	Jay Brown (landman)	15 min.	Approx. 6
	Richard Carroll or Randy Nickerson (geologist)	15 min.	Approx. 4
OPPONENT			

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

EST. TIME

EXHIBITS

If the cases are unopposed they will be submitted by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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