

**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 CIMAREX ENERGY CO.
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY,
NEW MEXICO.**

Case No. 20283

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PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Case No. 20283: Cimarex Energy Co. 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 11, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to the Denali 11 Fed.

Com. 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 11. 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 the risk involved in drilling and completing the well.

Case No. 20284: Cimarex Energy Co. 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 11, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to the Denali 11 Fed. Com. Well No. 33H, with a first take point in the SE/4SW/4 and a final take point in the NE/4NW/4 of Section 11. 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 the risk involved in drilling and completing the well.

OPPONENT

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

<u>WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST. TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Cody Elliott (landman)	20 min.	Approx. 8
Lauren Copley (geologist)	15 min.	Approx. 4

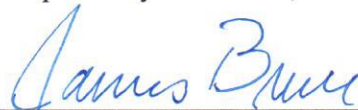
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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

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

Respectfully submitted,



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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing pleading was served upon the following counsel of record this 28th day of February, 2019 by e-mail:

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