## 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 MATADOR PRODUCTION COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case Nos. 20678

### PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by Matador Production Company as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

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### STATEMENT OF THE CASE

#### APPLICANT

Applicant 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 9 and the W/2W/2 of Section 16, Township 23 South, Range 28 East, NMPM. The unit will be dedicated to (a) the Jack Sleeper Com. Well No. 111H, and (b) the Jack Sleeper Com. Well No. 121H. The wells have first take points in the SW/4SW/4 of Section 16 and final take points in the NW/4NW/4 of Section 9. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the wells and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Matador Production Company as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the wells.

### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

# **APPLICANT**

<u>WITNESSES</u> <u>EST. TIME</u> <u>EXHIBITS</u>

Sara Hartsfield 15 min. Approx. 6

(landman)

Clark Collier 15 min. Approx. 6 (landman)

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#### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

If unopposed, the case may be submitted by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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