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

APPLICATION OF CIMAREX ENERGY CO. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

**CASE NO. 20745** 

## PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Cimarex Energy Co. ("Cimarex") submits this Pre-Hearing Statement for the abovereferenced case pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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#### STATEMENT OF CASE

In Case No. 20745, Cimarex Energy Co. seeks an order from the Division: (1) to the extent necessary, approving the creation of a 446.91-acre, more or less, Wolfcamp horizontal spacing unit; and, (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a Wolfcamp horizontal

spacing unit underlying the E/2 of Section 28 and the E/2 of Irregular Section 33, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the **Klein 33 Federal Com 11H** well, to be horizontally drilled. The producing area for this well will be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Cimarex as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

#### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

### **APPLICANT:**

<u>WITNESS</u> Russell Wickman – Landman	ESTIMATED TIME  Approx. 15	EXHIBITS Approx. 5

#### PROCEDURAL ISSUES

Tuffy Oil Co. has entered an appearance but has stated that it does not oppose the presentation of this case by affidavit. Cimarex does not anticipate any opposition to this case and intends to present its evidence by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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## **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

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