

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

**APPLICATION OF CIMAREX
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CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Cimarex Energy Co. ("Cimarex") submits this Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement for the above-referenced cases pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

Cimarex Energy Co.

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INTERESTED PARTY

None Anticipated

ATTORNEY

STATEMENT OF CASES

In Case No. 21146, Cimarex Energy Co. seeks an order from the Division: (1) to the extent necessary, approving the creation of a 320-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal

spacing unit; and, (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit underlying the W/2 E/2 of Sections 6 and 7, Township 22 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the **West Grama Ridge 7-6 Federal Com 1H** 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.

In Case No. 21147, Cimarex Energy Co. seeks an order from the Division: (1) to the extent necessary, approving the creation of a 160-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit; and, (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit underlying the E/2 E/2 of Section 7, Township 22 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the **West Grama Ridge 7 Federal Com 2H** 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. Said area is located approximately 20 miles west of Eunice, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT:

<u>WITNESS</u>	<u>ESTIMATED TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Riley Morris – Landman	Approx. 1 Minute	Approx. 12
Lucas Haas – Geologist	Approx. 1 Minute	Approx. 7

PROCEDURAL ISSUES

Cimarex is not aware of an entry of appearance or a request for continuance by any party in either of these cases. Accordingly, Cimarex does not anticipate any opposition to these cases and intends to present its evidence as consolidate and by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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