

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 Company  
for horizontal spacing and proration unit,  
compulsory pooling, and for approval of  
overlapping well units, Eddy County,  
New Mexico

Case Nos. 22295,  
22297, 222333,  
22771, 22772, 22773

TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS

May 5, 2022

MOTION FOR CONTINUANCE

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, William Brancard, Esq., Hearing Examiner, Dean McClure, Technical Examiner, on May 5, 2022 via Webex Virtual Conferencing Platform hosted by the New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

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I N D E X

Cases called	3:1
Court Reporter's Certificate	5:1

1 (Time noted as 8:31 a.m.)

2 EXAMINER BRANCARD: We'll move on, then, to  
3 Items 18 through 23. These are cases 22295, 22297, 222- --  
4 sorry; 22333, 22771, 22772 and 22773. This is Cimarex  
5 Energy.

6 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, Jim Bruce on behalf of  
7 Cimarex.

8 MR. FELDEWERT: Mr. Examiner, Michael Feldewert  
9 with -- on behalf of Chevron USA, Inc.

10 EXAMINER BRANCARD: Thank you. Are there any  
11 other interested parties in the cases? Hearing none. I am  
12 guessing Mr. Bruce, that you would prefer July 7th as a date  
13 for --

14 MR. BRUCE: Yes, sir.

15 EXAMINER BRANCARD: All right. So we've vacated a  
16 prehearing order in this, but it sounds like, Mr. Feldewert,  
17 you want the opportunity to question witnesses.

18 MR. FELDEWERT: Yes, please.

19 EXAMINER BRANCARD: And you would need to do a new  
20 prehearing order.

21 You're okay with that, Mr. Bruce?

22 MR. BRUCE: Yes.

23 EXAMINER BRANCARD: All right. So hearing no  
24 other interests, Cases 22295, 22297, 222333, 22771, 22772,  
25 22773 will be scheduled for a hearing on July 7th, and I

1 will issue a new prehearing order. Thank you.

2 (Proceedings concluded at 8:33 a.m.)

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7 I, SHANON R. MYERS, New Mexico Certified Court  
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9 foregoing virtual proceedings in stenographic shorthand and  
10 that the foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript  
11 of those proceedings to the best of my ability.

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13 nor related to any of the parties or attorneys in this case  
14 and that I have no interest in the final disposition of this  
15 case.

16 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the virtual proceeding was  
17 of extremely poor to good quality.

18 Dated this 2nd day of June 2022.

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/s/ Shanon R. Myers

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