

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

**APPLICATIONS OF AVANT OPERATING, LLC  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**Case Nos. 23970-23971**

**APPLICATION OF E.G.L. RESOURCES, INC.  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING AND APPROVAL  
OF AN OVERLAPPING WELL UNIT,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**Case No. 24043**

**APPLICATIONS OF E.G.L. RESOURCES, INC.  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**Case Nos. 24044, 24152-24153**

**APPLICATIONS OF MRC PERMIAN COMPANY  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**Case Nos. 24287-24297**

**APPLICATIONS FOR MRC PERMIAN COMPANY  
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**Case Nos. 24304-24313**

**AMENDED PRE-HEARING ORDER**

This Order follows the *Unopposed Joint Motion to Amend Pre-Hearing Orders* filed on March 29, 2024, requesting that the Oil Conservation Division Hearing Examiner consolidate the above captioned cases for an April 18, 2024 contested hearing. The Hearing Examiner being duly informed:

**HEREBY ORDERS:**

1. Case numbers 24287-24297 and 24304-24313 are hereby consolidated with case numbers 23970-23971, 24043-24044 and 24152-24153 for the purposes of a contested hearing commencing April 18, 2024, following the completion of the Division's regular hearing docket and may continue subsequent days at the direction of the Hearing Examiner.
2. MRC Permian Company shall file the necessary motions to continue Case Nos. 24287-24297 and 24304-24313 to move them off the April 4, 2024 docket and onto the April 18, 2024 docket.
3. The hearing will be recorded by the Division and transcribed by a court reporting service after the hearing. Parties may arrange for their own court reporter to appear and transcribe the hearing in real time at their own cost.
4. The hearing will be conducted in a hybrid fashion, both in-person at the Energy, Minerals, Natural Resources Department, Wendell Chino Building, Pecos Hall, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, 1st Floor, Santa Fe, NM 87505 and via the Webex virtual meeting platform (sign-in information will

be sent to the parties closer to the date of the hearing). The Hearing Examiner may modify the format of the hearing consistent with the available resources at the time of the hearing.

5. The parties shall file, with the pre-hearing statement as required by 19.15.4.13(B) NMAC, the following additional information, all of which is due by 5:00 p.m. no later than 7 calendar days before the hearing:
  - a. a list of material facts not in dispute.
  - b. a list of disputed facts and issues.
  - c. identification of the witnesses and their qualifications, and
  - d. a full narrative of the direct testimony and exhibits for each witness.
6. Any evidentiary objections to the filed direct testimony or any exhibit shall be filed by 5:00 p.m. no later than 2 calendar days before the hearing and will be addressed at the commencement of the hearing.
7. All witnesses filing direct testimony shall attend the hearing and will be subject to cross examination by counsel for the parties and the Division Examiners.
8. Any requests for continuance or status conference shall be filed in writing through the Division fee portal, no later than 48 hours prior to the time the hearing is set to begin, pursuant to 19.15.4.13(C) NMAC.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

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**GREGORY CHAKALIAN**  
**HEARING EXAMINER**

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