

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

APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING, LLC  
FOR A NON-STANDARD SPACING AND  
PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY  
POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 15149

COG's PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

COG Operating, LLC, the applicant in the above referenced matter, submits this Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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STATEMENT OF CASE

COG filed an application in this case to create a non-standard 160-acre spacing and proration unit comprised of the W/2E/2 of Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico, pool all mineral interest in the Yeso formation, and dedicate the spacing and proration unit to its proposed **Bradley 8 Fee 3H Well**. Subsequently, COG discovered the Division had previously entered Order R-13626 creating this 160-acre spacing and proration unit and compulsory pooled all uncommitted interests in the W/2 E/2 of Section 8. *See* R-13626. The Order was entered September 12, 2012 and the Division extended the time by which to commence drilling of this well until September 30, 2014. *See* Letter Dated

August 30, 2013. Since entering Order R-13626<sup>\</sup>, an additional uncommitted interest owner has been located which COG seeks to now have compulsory pooled.

**APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

<b>WITNESS Name and Expertise</b>	<b>ESTIMATED TIME</b>	<b>EXHIBITS</b>
Joseph Scott, Landman	Approx. 5 minutes	Approx. 2

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

None at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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