

January 28, 2016

**VIA HAND DELIVERY**

Mr. David Catanach, Director  
Oil Conservation Division  
New Mexico Department of Energy,  
Minerals and Natural Resources  
1220 South St. Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

**Re: Case No. 15281 (de novo): Application of COG Operating LLC for a Non-Standard Spacing and Proration Unit and Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico.**

Dear Mr. Catanach:

COG Operating LLC respectfully requests that the above referenced application, currently scheduled for hearing on February 11, 2016, be dismissed.

Sincerely,



Michael H. Feldewert  
**ATTORNEY FOR COG OPERATING LLC**

cc: Ocean Munds-Dry  
William Carr

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