

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

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**APPLICATION OF THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
COMPLIANCE AND ENFORCEMENT BUREAU FOR A COMPLIANCE ORDER  
AGAINST PETRO MEX, LLC, FOR WELLS OPERATED IN SAN JUAN  
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**CASE NO 15684**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Applicant Oil Conservation Division Compliance and Enforcement Bureau ( OCD or Bureau ) is seeking an order declaring

- 1 That Petro Mex, LLC ( Petro Mex LLC ' or Operator ) is out of compliance with 19 15 8 NMAC and NMSA 1978 § 70 2-14
- 2 That Operator must comply with OCD Rules within 30 days of the issuance of a Division order
- 3 If Operator does not comply with Division order finding that Operator is out of compliance with a Division order

The Bureau supports the approval because of the following

- 1 Notice of Hearing was properly served as required by 19 15 4 9 NMAC and 19 15 4 10 NMAC
- 2 The Bureau will present evidence that Operator currently has 6 wells out of compliance with Division Rule 19 15 8 NMAC

**PETITIONERS'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

**WITNESS**

**ESTIMATED TIME 5 minutes**

**Denise Gallegos, NMOCD Bond Administrator**

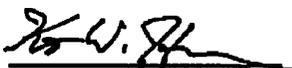
**Testimony on compliance with OCD Financial Assurance Requirements**

**The Bureau reserves the right to call additional witnesses not listed herein on rebuttal**

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

None

Respectfully submitted  
this 20 day of April, 2017 by



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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing pleading was sent electronically to the following party on April 20 2017

No party has entered an appearance



**Keith W Herrmann**