

**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,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

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CASE NO. 15896

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

COG Operating LLC, ("COG"), 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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APPLICANT

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE

COG seeks an order (1) creating a 240-acre, more or less, spacing and proration unit comprised of the W/2 E/2 of Irregular Section 1 (Lot 2, SW/4 NE/4, and W/2 SE/4) and the W/2

NE/4 of Section 12, Township 26 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico; and (2) pooling all uncommitted interests in the Wolfcamp formation. The proposed spacing and proration unit will serve as the project area for its proposed **Ushanka Federal Com 23H Well**, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Lot 2) of Irregular Section 1 to a standard bottom hole location in the SW/4 NE/4 (Unit G) of Section 12. The completed interval for this well will remain within the 330-foot offset as required by the Statewide rules for oil wells.

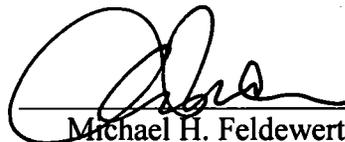
APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Megan Flanagan, Landman	Approx. 15 minutes	Approx. 10
John Bertalott, Geology	Approx. 10 minutes	Approx. 4

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None at this time.

Respectfully submitted,



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