

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

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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED  
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR  
THE PURPOSE OF HEARING:

APPLICATION OF XTO ENERGY, INC. FOR SIMULTANEOUS  
DEDICATION AND AN EXCEPTION TO THE WELL DENSITY  
REQUIREMENTS OF THE SPECIAL RULES AND REGULATIONS  
OF THE BASIN-FRUITLAND COAL-GAS POOL  
SAN JUAN COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE 14247

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

XTO Energy Inc. submits its pre-hearing statement as required by the New Mexico  
Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES OF THE PARTIES

APPLICANT

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OPPOSITION

None

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**STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

**APPLICANT**

XTO seeks simultaneous dedication and an exception to the well density requirements within the Low Productivity Area governed by Rule 7(d)(1)(i) of the Special Rules and Regulations for the Basin-Fruitland Coal Gas Pool to permit it to produce the following 2 Fruitland coal gas wells in the same quarter section (NW/4) on a standard 314.70-acre spacing and proration unit comprised of the W/2 of Section 6, T27N, R11W, NMPM:

- (a) Mudge A No. 8R well (API # 30-045-30519) (Unit Letter D) and
- (b) Mudge A No 12 well (API # 30-045-28830 (Unit Letter E)

**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

**APPLICANT**

<b>WITNESSES</b>	<b>EST. TIME</b>	<b>EST. EXHIBITS</b>
Ryan O'Kelley, Landman	10-min	@ 3
Mary Flynn, PE	25-min	@ 10

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

None anticipated

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