

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION  
OF DAN A. HUGHES, COMPANY L.P.  
FOR APPROVAL OF A UNIT AGREEMENT,  
HIDALGO COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 14199**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This Pre-Hearing Statement is submitted by Holland & Hart LLP as required by Oil Conservation Division Rule 19.15.14.1204.B NMAC.

**APPEARANCES OF PARTIES**

**APPLICANT**

Dan A Hughes Company, L.P.

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**OTHER PARTIES**

None

**ATTORNEY**

**STATEMENT OF CASE**

**APPLICANT:**

Applicant seeks approval of the North Big Hatchet Unit for an area comprising 39,667.69 acres of State of New Mexico, and fee lands in portions of Townships 30, 31, and 32 South, Ranges 16 and 17 West, NMPM, which is located North of the United States-Mexico border approximately 25 miles Southwest of Hachita, New Mexico.



**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

The Dan A. Hughes Company, LP will present the following witnesses and evidence:

**WITNESSES:  
OF EXHIBITS**

**ESTIMATED TIME**

**NUMBER**

(Robert A. Holder (Land)

20 Minutes

Approx. 7

(Gary Kornegay (Geologist)

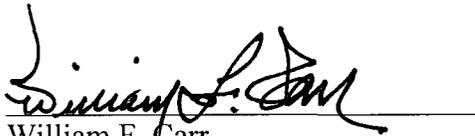
15 Minutes

Approx. 5

Jeff Ilseng (Engineer)  
May Call

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

None at this time.



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COMPANY