

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

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

APPLICATION OF UMC PETROLEUM
CORPORATION FOR A NON-STANDARD
OIL SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 11741

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by applicant as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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OPPONENT

OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant seeks permission to form an 80-acre non-standard spacing and proration unit in the South Big Dog-Strawn Pool, comprised of Lots 16 and 17 of Section 2, Township 16 South, Range 35 East. Applicant took the risk involved in drilling the well, and future development of the Pool will assure full development of Section 2, even if a non-standard unit is formed.

OPPONENT

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

<u>WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST. TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Ed McLaughlin (landman)	10 min.	(a) land plat (b) APD (c) notice affidavit

OPPONENT

<u>WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST. TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-



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