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

APPLICATION OF CATENA RESOURCES OPERATING, LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 22074

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Catena Resources Operating, LLC ("Applicant") submits its Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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INTERESTED PARTIES

ATTORNEYS

No other parties of record.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Applicant applies for an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interests in the Wolfcamp formation in a 320-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit ("Unit") comprised of the E/2W/2 of Sections 29 and 32, Township 18 South, Range 35 East, Lea County, New Mexico. The Unit will be dedicated to the Creed E2W2 29-32 W1 1H well ("Well") which will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SE/4SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 20 to a bottom hole location in the SE/4SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 32. The completed interval of the Well will be orthodox. Also

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to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the Well and the allocation of the cost, the designation of Applicant as the operator of the Well, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the Well. The Well is located approximately 20 miles west of Hobbs, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

Witness	Occupation	Estimated Time	Exhibits	
Cato Clark	Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 7	
Brian Moore	Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 4	

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Applicant will present this matter by affidavit if there is no opposition.

Respectfully submitted,

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Testimony		
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