

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

**APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

CASE NO. 22076

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

COG Operating LLC (“Applicant”) submits its Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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APPLICANT
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INTERESTED PARTIES
No other parties of record.

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Applicant applies for an order pooling all uncommitted interests from the top of the Wolfcamp formation to 10,408’ (being 100’ below the base of the deepest depth drilled by the Myox 30 State Com 801H (API No. 30-025-45752), top of the Wolfcamp formation being interpreted as 9,002’ TVD as shown on the log of Marbob Energy Corporation-Red Ryder State #1 well (API No. 30-015-35150), Section 25, T25S-R27E, Eddy County, New Mexico) underlying a 963.36-acre, more or less, standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of Lots 1-4 and E/2W/2

(W/2 equivalent) of Sections 19, 30 and 31, Township 25 South, Range 28 East, Eddy County, New Mexico (“Unit”). The Unit will be dedicated to the following proposed initial wells:

- Myox 30 State Com 704H well to be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location in the SE/4SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 18 to a bottom hole location in the SE/4SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 31, and
- Myox 30 State Com 705H and Myox 30 State Com 706H wells to be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location in the SW4/SW4 (Lot 4) of Section 18 to a bottom hole location in the SW/4SW/4 (Lot 4) of Section 31 (collectively the “Wells”).

The completed intervals of the Wells will be unorthodox. Also to be considered will be the costs of drilling and completing the wells and the allocation of the costs, the designation of COG Operating, LLC as the operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the wells. The well is located approximately 8 miles southwest of Malaga, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

<u>Witness</u>	<u>Occupation</u>	<u>Estimated Time</u>	<u>Exhibits</u>
Lizzy Laufer	Landman	Affidavit	Approx. 7
Jessica Pontiff	Geologist	Affidavit	Approx. 5

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Applicant will present its case by affidavit if there is no opposition to its application.

Respectfully submitted,

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