

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

**APPLICATIONS OF MRC PERMIAN COMPANY
FOR COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NOS. 25034 & 25036

MOTION TO STRIKE ENTRY AND OBJECTION BY CIMAREX

MRC Permian Company (“MRC”) moves to strike the entry of appearance and notice of objection filed by of Coterra Energy Inc. and its subsidiaries, including Cimarex Energy Co., (collectively referred to as “Cimarex”), in the above-referenced cases. In support of this motion MRC states:

1. These cases seek to pool 800.29-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing units in the Bone Spring and Wolfcamp formations underlying the W2 of Sections 3 and 10, Township 21 South, Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico, for MRC’s proposed “Electra Special” wells.
2. As reflected in MRC’s exhibits filed in each of these cases, MRC’s title information does not show Cimarex owning an interest in the subject acreage and is not a pooled party. *See* MRC Exhibits A, A-3 and A-4 filed in Cases 25034 & 25036 (W2 acreage cases). MRC’s title information shows Cimarex’s ownership interest is limited to the E/2 of Section 10. *See* MRC’s Exhibits A, A-3 and A-4 filed in Cases 25035 & 25037 (E2 acreage cases).
3. Cimarex’s entry of appearance and notice of objection does not provide a basis to confer standing on Cimarex to appear, intervene or otherwise become a party in Cases 25034 & 25036. *See* NMRA 19.15.4.10.

WHEREFORE, MRC requests that the Division strike the entry of appearance and notice of objection filed by Cimarex in Cases 25034 & 25036 (W2 acreage cases) and allow these two cases to proceed to hearing on January 9, 2025.

Respectfully submitted,

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