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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE  
APPLICATION OF CIMAREX ENERGY  
CO. OF COLORADO FOR A NON-STANDARD  
OIL SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT AND  
COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 15034**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This Pre-hearing Statement is submitted by Spiral Inc., by and through its undersigned counsel, Ernest L. Padilla, PADILLA LAW FIRM, P.A., as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

**APPEARANCES OF PARTIES**

**APPLICANT**

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**OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY**

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**STATEMENT OF CASE**

**APPLICANT**

See Applicant's Prehearing Statement.

**OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY**

Spiral, Inc. holds a small working interest in the SW/4SE/4 of Section 33. Counsel for Applicant has informed undersigned counsel that Applicant does not seek to pool Spiral Inc.'s interest since Spiral, Inc. was not sent notice of the hearing. Furthermore, Applicant will not seek a penalty against Spiral, Inc. Applicant, through its counsel, will further clarify the nature of Applicant's intentions with respect to Spiral, Inc.'s interest.

**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

**APPLICANT:**

**WITNESS**

**EST. TIME**

**EXHIBITS**

**OPPOSITION:**

**WITNESS**

**EST. TIME**

**EXHIBITS**

None anticipated.

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

None

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that I caused a copy of the foregoing pleading to be electronically transmitted to James Bruce, Esq. at [jamesbruc@aol.com](mailto:jamesbruc@aol.com), on this 15<sup>th</sup> day of August, 2013.

