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

# APPLICATION OF BLACKBUCK RESOURCES, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF A SALT WATER DISPOSAL WELL IN LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

**CASE NO. 20463** 

### NGL WATER SOLUTIONS PERMIAN LLC'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

NGL Water Solutions Permian LLC submits this Pre-Hearing Statement for the above-referenced case pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

#### **APPEARANCES**

APPLICANT'S ATTORNEY

Blackbuck Resources, Inc. Ernest L. Padilla

**OPPONENT** 

**OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY** 

NGL Water Solutions Permian, LLC

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#### STATEMENT OF CASES

#### **APPLICANT**:

In Case No. 20463, Blackbuck seeks an order for a salt water disposal well in its **Olive Branch SWD Fed 1**, to be drilled at a location 979 FSL and 2,620 FEL, Unit N, Section 17, Township 24 South, Range 3 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico for injection into the Devonian-Silurian formations at depths between 16,825' through 18,290 open hole. The well will be located approximately 22 miles east of Malaga, New Mexico.

#### **OPPONENT:**

NGL opposes this application to protect its correlative rights and to present arguments

to demonstrate that granting the application will not promote the prevention of waste.

#### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

# **APPLICANT**

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

See Applicant's Pre-Hearing Statement.

#### **OPPONENT**

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	<b>EXHIBITS</b>
Neel Duncan	Approx. 15 min.	Approx. 5
Geologist-TBD	Approx. 15 min.	Approx. 11
Engineer-TBD	Approx. 15 min.	Approx. 11

Respectfully submitted,

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on counsel of record by electronic mail on April 25, 2019:

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