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

APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

**CASE NO. 20832** 

#### PRE-HEARING STATEMENT OF COG OPERATING LLC

COG Operating, LLC, the applicant in the above referenced matter, submits this Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

#### **APPEARANCES OF THE PARTIES:**

#### **APPLICANT:**

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#### STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Wolfcamp formation, Dogie Draw; Wolfcamp Pool (Pool code 17980), underlying a standard 960-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2E/2 and W/2W/2 of Sections 14 and 23, Township 25 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. COG Operating LLC seeks to dedicate the above-referenced horizontal spacing unit to the following proposed wells:

- The Tin Foil Fed Com #604H well to be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location in the SW/4SE/4 (Unit O) of Section 23 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 14,
- The Tin Foil Fed Com #705H well to be horizontally drilled from a surface hole location in the SW/4SW/4 (Unit M) of Section 23 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 14.

The completed interval for the proposed **Tin Foil Fed Com #604H** will be within 330' of the quarter-quarter line separating the W/2E/2 and the E/2W/2 of Sections 23 and 14, and the completed interval for the proposed **Tin Foil Fed Com #705H** will be within 330' of the quarter-quarter line separating the W/2W/2 and the E/2W/2 of Sections 23 and 14, which allow inclusion of this acreage into a standard 960-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit.

Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said wells and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of COG Operating LLC as operator of the wells and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling the wells. Said area is located Approximately 10 miles west of Jal, New Mexico.

### **PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

WITNESS **ESTIMATED TIME EXHIBITS** 

Adam Reker Approx. 15 Minutes Approx. 6

Petroleum Landman

Approx. 10 Minutes Candice Pettijohn Approx. 4

Geologist

# **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

COG Operating LLC is not aware of any procedural matters to be resolved prior to hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

COG OPERATING LLC

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on November 7, 2019, I filed with the Division clerk the foregoing document and served a copy of the foregoing document to the following counsel of record via Electronic Mail:

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