

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

**APPLICATION OF CIMAREX  
ENERGY CO. FOR COMPULSORY  
POOLING, EDDY COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO**

CASE NO. 20993

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Cimarex Energy Co. ("Cimarex") submits this Pre-Hearing Statement for the above-referenced case pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

**APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT**

Cimarex Energy Co.

**ATTORNEY**

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**OPPONENT**

None Anticipated

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**STATEMENT OF CASE**

**In Case No. 20993, Cimarex Energy Co.** seeks an order from the Division: (1) to the extent necessary, approving the creation of a 320-acre, more or less, Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit; and, (2) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests within a Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit underlying the W/2 E/2 of Sections 7 and 18, Township 25 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the **DaVinci 7-18 Federal Com 30H** well, to be horizontally drilled. The producing area for this well will be

orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well, the allocation of these costs as well as the actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Cimarex as operator of the well, and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well.

### **PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

#### **APPLICANT:**

<u>WITNESS</u>	<u>ESTIMATED TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Caitlin Pierce – Landman	Approx. 1 Minute	Approx. 6
Harrison Hastings – Geologist	Approx. 1 Minute	Approx. 5

### **PROCEDURAL ISSUES**

Cimarex is not aware of an entry of appearance or request for continuance from any party in this matter. Accordingly, Cimarex does not anticipate any opposition to these cases and intends to present its evidence by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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