

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

**APPLICATION OF CATENA RESOURCES
OPERATING, LLC FOR COMPULSORY
POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 21093

CATENA'S PRE- HEARING STATEMENT

Catena Resources Operating, LLC ("Catena") submits this pre-hearing statement as required by the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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APPLICANT’S STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Catena seeks an order: (1) pooling all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a standard 320-acre horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2 W/2 of Section 5, Township 19 South, Range 35 East, and E/2 W/2 of Section 32, Township 18 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico; and (2) dedicating this horizontal spacing unit to the proposed initial **Foxtail 19-35-05 1H** well to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 8, Township 19 South, Range 35 East to a bottom hole location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 32, Township 18 South, Range 35 East. The completed interval for the proposed well will comply with the statewide setback requirements for horizontal oil wells.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESSES Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Robert Swann, Landman	Affidavit	8
Vince Smith, Geologist	Affidavit	4

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Catena requests to present this case by affidavit, if unopposed at the time of hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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