

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

**APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC
TO AMEND ORDER NO. R-21473 TO
REASSIGN THE DEFINING WELL
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 21622
ORDER NO. R-21473 (Re-open)**

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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INTERESTED PARTY:

None.

ATTORNEYS:

None.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Applicant in the above-styled cause requests the Division amend Order No. R-21473 to reflect a well authorized under the Order as the new defining well. The Division issued Order No. R-21473 (“Order”) in Case No. 21420 on September 21, 2020, which created a 640-acre, more or less, horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 of Sections 26 and 35, Township 23 South,

Range 32 East, Lea County, New Mexico (“Unit”) and designated COG as the operator of the Unit. The Order further pooled all uncommitted interests within the Bone Spring formation [Triste Draw; Bone Spring (96603)] underlying the Unit and dedicated the Unit to the Bedlington Federal Com #201H, 202H, 301H, 302H, 303H, 501H, 502H, and 503H wells. Exhibit A of the Order assigned the Bedlington Federal Com #302H well as the Proximity Defining Well. The completed interval for the proposed Bedlington Federal Com #502H well will be within 330’ of the quarter-quarter line separating the W/2W/2 and the E/2W/2 of Sections 26 and 35 to allow inclusion of this acreage into a standard 640-acre horizontal well spacing unit. COG requests Order No. R-21473 be re-opened to reassign the Proximity Defining Well to the Bedlington Federal Com #502H well.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Adam Reker, Landman	Via affidavit	Approx. 2

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

COG Operating LLC intends to present this case by affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

COG OPERATING LLC

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