

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

**APPLICATION OF OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION
TO AMEND RULES 19.15.2 AND 19.15.7 NMAC**

CASE NO. _____

APPLICATION FOR RULEMAKING

The New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division (“OCD”) hereby applies to the Oil Conservation Commission (“Commission”) to amend, after notice and public hearing, Commission Rules 19.15.2 NMAC (“General Provisions for Oil and Gas Operations”) and 19.15.7 NMAC (“Forms and Reports”). In compliance with 19.15.3.8(A) NMAC, OCD provides the following information:

(1) The proposed rule changes are intended to align the Commission’s rules with the current and proposed procedures and practices of the OCD, particularly those related to the electronic submission of documents to the OCD and updates to provisions concerning OCD’s structure and the potential for future changes in response to operational priorities.

(2) The proposed rule changes are attached as Exhibit 1.

(3) The applicant is the Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department Oil Conservation Division.

(4) The applicant’s address is:

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(5) A proposed form of legal notice is attached as Exhibit 2.

OCD requests that the Commission determine to hold a hearing on the proposed rule changes and, if possible, schedule a public hearing for the Commission meeting on June 9, 2022.

Respectfully submitted,

/s/ Jesse Tremaine_____

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