

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

**IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED
BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR
THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:**

**APPLICATION OF DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION
COMPANY, L.P TO EXPAND THE COTTON DRAW
UNIT, EDDY AND LEA COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO.**

Case No. 14,748

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by applicant as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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OPPONENT

OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant seeks approval to expand the Cotton Draw Unit to include the S/2 of Section 11, Township 25 South, Range 31 East, NMPM. The unit area, as expanded, will contain 9944.90 acres, more or less, of state and federal lands in all or parts of: Sections 25, 26, and 33-36 in Township 24 South, Range 31 East, NMPM; Sections 33 and 34 in Township 24 South, Range 32 East; NMPM, Sections 1-3 and 11-13 in Township 25 South, Range 31 East, NMPM; and Sections 3, 4, 7, 9, 10, 15, 16, 18, 20-22, 28, and 29 in Township 25 South, Range 32 East, NMPM.

OPPONENT

PROPOSED EVIDENCE**APPLICANT**

<u>WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST. TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Sam McCurdy (landman)	10 min.	Approx. 3
<hr/> (geologist)	15 min.	Approx. 4

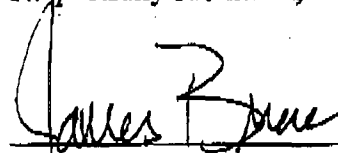
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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

Respectfully submitted,



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