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

# IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 13417

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# APPLICATION OF HUNTINGTON ENERGY, L.L.C., FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

### **PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This Pre-Hearing Statement is submitted by Holland & Hart LLP as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

### **APPEARANCES OF PARTIES**

### APPLICANT

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### STATEMENT OF CASE

#### **APPLICANT**

Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the base of the Mesaverde formation through the base of the Dakota formation in the following described acreage in Section 2, Township 25 North, Range 7 West, NMPM: the E/2 to form a standard 320-acre spacing and proration unit for all formations developed on a 320-acre spacing within that vertical extent which includes but is not necessarily limited to the Basin



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Dakota Gas Pool; the NE/4 to form a standard spacing and proration unit for all formations developed on 160-acre spacing within that vertical extent; and the SE/4 NE/4 to form a standard spacing and proration unit for all formations developed on 40-acre spacing within that vertical extent. Said units are to be dedicated to its State Com Well No. 1-2 to be drilled at an standard well location 2338 feet from the North line and 1282 feet from the East line of said Section 2 to an approximate depth of 7500 feet. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of Huntington Energy, L.L.C. as operator of the well and a 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said area is located approximately 20 miles southeast of Blanco, New Mexico.

## **PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

APPLICANT

WITNESSES (Name and Expertise) ESTIMATED TIME

Carl E. Sherrill

Approx. 10 Minutes

Approx. 6

**EXHIBITS** 

## **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Huntington Energy, L.L.C., will request that this case be consolidated for the purpose of hearing with case 13418. These cases involve adjoining spacing units and the testimony in each case is similar.

Attorney for Huntington Energy, L.L.C.