

DOCKET: EXAMINER HEARING - THURSDAY – MAY 1, 2014

8:15 A.M. - 1220 South St. Francis

Santa Fe, New Mexico

Docket Nos. 14-14 and 15-14 are tentatively set for May 15, 2014 and May 29, 2014. Applications for hearing must be filed at least 30 days in advance of hearing date. OCD Rule 19.15.4.13.B requires parties who intend to present evidence at an adjudicatory hearing to file a pre-hearing statement no later than the Thursday before the hearing, and serve a copy on opposing counsel of record. If the OCD does not receive a pre-hearing statement from the applicant by the close of business on the Thursday before the hearing, the hearing may be continued. A party who plans on using projection equipment at a hearing must contact Florene Davidson seven (7) business days prior to the hearing requesting the use of the projection equipment. Wireless internet is available; however, the party must provide its own laptop computer. The following cases will be heard by an Examiner.

Locator Key for Cases***Case 15027 – No. 12******Case 15089 – No. 17******Case 15104 – No. 18******Case 15110 – No. 16******Case 15112 – No. 4******Case 15114 – No. 13******Case 15115 – No. 14******Case 15116 – No. 10******Case 15117 – No. 1******Case 15118 – No. 2******Case 15119 – No. 3******Case 15120 – No. 5******Case 15121 – No. 6******Case 15122 – No. 7******Case 15123 – No. 8******Case 15124 – No. 9******Case 15125 – No. 11******Case 15126 – No. 15***

1. ***CASE 15117: Application of Huntington Energy, L.L.C. for approval of a Federal Exploratory Unit which includes minerals owned by the State of New Mexico, as to the Basin; Fruitland Coal Gas Pool, San Juan County, New Mexico.*** Applicant seeks approval of the A'tsa' Unit, comprised of 14,545.28 acres, more or less, of federal and State lands situated in various sections of Township 25 North, Range 13 West, N.M.P.M. and Township 24 North, Range 13 West, N.M.P.M., all in San Juan County, New Mexico, as to the Fruitland Coal formation. This area is located approximately 30 miles south of Farmington, New Mexico.
2. ***CASE 15118: Application of OXY USA Inc. for a non-standard spacing and proration unit and compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico.*** Applicant seeks an order (1) creating a non-standard, 160 acre spacing and proration unit comprised of the N/2 S/2 of Section 26, Township 23 South, Range 30 East, NMPM, Eddy County, and (2) pooling all mineral interests in the Delaware formation underlying this acreage. Said non-standard unit is to be dedicated to applicant's proposed FNR 26 Federal #2H (API Well No. 30-015-4) to be horizontally drilled from a surface location, 2060 feet from the South line and 330 feet from the West line to a bottom hole location 2060 feet from the South line and 350 feet from the East line of Section 26. The completed interval for this well will be within the 330-foot standard offset required by the rules. 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 OXY USA Inc. as operator of the well and 200% charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said area is located approximately 29 miles southeast of Carlsbad, New Mexico.