

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

APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING, LLC, TO RE-OPEN CASE NO. 14861 TO POOL THE INTERESTS OF ADDITIONAL MINERAL OWNERS UNDER THE TERMS OF COMPULSORY POOLING ORDER R-13629-A, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 14861 (re-opened)

COG's PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

COG Operating, LLC, the applicant in the above referenced matter, submits this Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE

Division Order R-13629-A, entered September 19, 2012, created a 160-acre non-standard spacing and proration unit in the Yeso formation (Atoka-Glorieta-Yeso Pool (3250)) consisting of the E/2 E/2 of Section 9, Township 19 South, Range 26 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico and pooled the known uncommitted mineral interest in this spacing and proration unit. This unit is dedicated to COG's proposed Stonewall 9 Fee Well No. 4H (API No. 30-015-39779), which has not yet been drilled and is subject to an approved extension of time to commence drilling until April 1, 2015. Since the entry of Order R-13629-A, COG has

discovered additional mineral interest owners in the Unit that were not notified and pooled under this prior order. As a result, COG now seeks to amend Division Order R-13629-A to include these additional interest owners.

APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Stuart Dirks, Landman Via affidavit	Approx. 5	Approx. 3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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