

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

**APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC
FOR A NON-STANDARD SPACING AND
PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING,
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

CASE NO. 15333

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.

APPEARANCES

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE

COG Operating LLC for an order (1) creating a non-standard, 240-acre, more or less, spacing and proration unit comprised of the W/2 E/2 of Section 6 and the W/2 NE/4 of Section 7, Township 25 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County and (2) pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying this acreage. Said non-standard unit is to be dedicated to applicant's proposed **Stove Pipe Federal Com No. 2H Well**, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 6 to a standard bottom hole location in the SW/4 NE/4 (Unit G) of Section 7. The completed interval for this well will begin

in the NW/4 NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 6 and terminate in the SW/4 NE/4 (Unit G) of Section 7.
completed interval for this well will comply with the Division's setback requirements.

APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

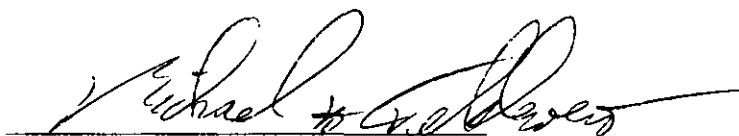
| WITNESS Name and Expertise | ESTIMATED TIME | EXHIBITS |
|---------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|
| Mike Wallace Landman | Approx. 10 | Approx. 5 |
| Carrie Martin Geologist | Approx. 10 | Approx 5 |

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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