

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

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

CASE NO. 15374

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by COG Operating LLC (COG), as required by
NMAC 19.15.4.13.B.

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

COG seeks an order (1) creating a non-standard 240-acre, more or less, oil spacing and proration unit in the Bone Spring formation, comprised of the W/2E/2 of Section 29 and the W/2NE/4 of Section 32, Township 24 South, Range 35 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico; and (2) pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying this proposed non-standard spacing and proration unit. COG proposes to dedicate the above-referenced spacing and proration unit as the project area for its proposed **Viking Helmet State Com 2H Well**, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NW/4NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 29 to a standard bottom hole location in the SW/4NE/4 (Unit G) of Section 32.

The completed interval for this well will remain within the 330-foot standard offset required by the Statewide Rules set forth in 19.15.15 NMAC.


APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Andrew Wenzel, Landman	Approx. 15 minutes	Approx. 3
Carrie Martin, Geologist	Approx. 10 minutes	Approx. 3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

For purposes of hearing efficiency, COG respectfully requests this case be heard at the same time as Case No. 15373.

Respectfully submitted,

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