STATE OF NEW MEXICODECENT OF ENERGY, MINERALS AND THE ON COMMISSION COMMISSION

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

Case No. 15500

COG OPERATING LLC'S **PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

COG Operating LLC ("COG") submits its Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES

COG is the applicant in this case. Its business address is 550 W. Texas Avenue, Suite 100, Midland, Texas 79701. COG is represented by the undersigned counsel.

STATEMENT OF THE CASE

COG's application seeks an order (i) approving a 240-acre non-standard spacing and proration unit comprised of the S/2 S/2 of Section 25, Township 18 South, Range 28 East and the S/2 SE/4 of Section 26, Township 18 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M., in Eddy County, and (ii) pooling all uncommitted mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying this average. The proposed non-standard spacing and proration unit will be the project area for the Lajitas BWQ State Com #1H well, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 SE/4 (Unit O) of Section 26, Township 18 South, Range 28 East to a bottom hole location in the SE/4 SE/4 (Unit P) of Section 25, Township 18 South, Range 28 East. The completed interval for the well will comply with the Division's setback requirements.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

ESTIMATED TIME

<u>WITNESS</u>

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Jon-Aaron House (Landman)

> Jason Hanzel (Geologist)

10 minutes

10 minutes

<u>EXHIBITS</u>

Approx. 6

Approx. 3

COG reserves the right to call a rebuttal witness(es) if appropriate.

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

COG is not aware of any procedural matters to be resolved prior to the hearing.

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