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

APPLICATION OF COG OPERATING LLC, TO RE-OPEN CASE NO. 15023 TO POOL THE INTERESTS OF ADDITIONAL MINERAL OWNERS UNDER THE TERMS OF COMPULSORY POOLING ORDER R-13757, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 15023 (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

COG Operating LLC seeks to amend Order R-13757 to pool additional uncommitted interest owners in the non-standard spacing and proration unit. Division Order R-13757, entered on October 4, 2013, created a 159.67-acre, more or less, non-standard spacing and proration unit comprised of the E/2 W/2 of Section 6, Township 19 South, Range 26 East, NMPM in Eddy County, New Mexico, and pooled the mineral interests underlying said unit in the Penasco Draw-San Andres-Yeso (Associated) Pool (50270). The non-standard spacing and proration unit was dedicated to COG's **Arabian 6 Fee Well No. 6H Well** (API No. 30-015-39625), which was

drilled from a surface location 183 feet from the South line and 2,267 feet from the West line (Unit N) of Section 6, to a standard bottomhole location 330 feet from the North line and 2,177 feet from the West line (Lot 3) of Section 6. Since the entry of Order R-13757, certain leases have expired and a Joint Operating Agreement terminated, resulting in mineral interest owners that are no longer contractually committed to the well. COG now seeks to amend Order R-13757 to include these additional interests under the terms of that pooling order.

APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

EXHIBITS WITNESS ESTIMATED TIME Name and Expertise Approx. 3 Approx. 5 Joseph Scott

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

This case will be presented via affidavit.

Respectfully submitted,

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