

1 STATE OF NEW MEXICO  
2 ENERGY, MINERAL, AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT  
3 OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION

4 APPLICATION OF DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, L.P.  
5 FOR SPECIAL POOL RULES FOR THE BRINNINSTOOL-BONE  
6 SPRING POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

7 CASE NO. 15438

8 APPLICATION OF DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, L.P.  
9 FOR SPECIAL POOL RULES FOR THE TRIPLE X-BONE SPRING  
10 POOL, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

11 CASE NO. 15439

12 APPLICATION OF DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, L.P.  
13 FOR SPECIAL POOL RULES FOR THE CRUZ-BONE SPRING POOL,  
14 LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

15 CASE NO. 15440

16 BEFORE: MICHAEL McMILLAN, Technical Examiner  
17 DAVID K. BROOKS, Legal Examiner

18 March 17, 2016  
19 Santa Fe, New Mexico

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20 This matter came on for hearing before the New  
21 Mexico Oil Conservation Division, MICHAEL McMILLAN,  
22 Technical Examiner, and DAVID K. BROOKS, Legal  
23 Examiner, on Thursday, March 17, 2016, at the  
24 New Mexico Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources  
25 Department, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Room 102,  
Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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EXHIBIT: DESCRIPTION

17 Domestic Return Receipts

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1 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Okay. So I guess the  
2 question I have is, on Cases 15438, 15439, 15440,  
3 are you simply just supplying affidavits?

4 MR. BRUCE: James Bruce representing the  
5 applicant.

6 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Will there be any  
7 witnesses?

8 MR. BRUCE: No.

9 EXAMINER McMILLAN: All right. What I  
10 would like to do is, let's just get -- let's just  
11 get rid of those -- let's just get those affidavits  
12 for that case, and then we'll come back to 15444.

13 Okay?

14 I'd like to call Case Number 15438,  
15 application of Devoñ Energy Production Company, L.P.  
16 for special pool rules for the Brinninstool-Bone  
17 Spring pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

18 Call for appearances.

19 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, Jim Bruce, of  
20 Santa Fe, representing the applicant.

21 I have no witnesses.

22 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Any other appearances?

23 MS. KESSLER: Mr. Examiner, Jordan Kessler  
24 on behalf of COG Operating, LLC.

25 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, I think this can

1 be combined with the next two cases, 15439 and  
2 15440. They were all heard together.

3 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Do you have any  
4 objections to this?

5 MS. KESSLER: No objections.

6 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Okay. Then at this  
7 time also, Case Number 15439, application of Devon  
8 Energy Production Company, L.P., for special pool  
9 rules for the Triple X-Bone Spring Pool, Lea County,  
10 New Mexico.

11 Call for appearances.

12 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, Jim Bruce  
13 representing the applicant.

14 MS. KESSLER: Jordan Kessler representing  
15 COG Operating, LLC.

16 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Okay. And then with  
17 that in mind, the application of Devon -- this is  
18 Case 15440, application of Devon Energy Production,  
19 L.P., for special pool rules for the Cruz-Bone  
20 Spring Pool, Lea County, New Mexico.

21 Call for appearances.

22 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, Jim Bruce  
23 representing the applicant.

24 MS. KESSLER: Jordan Kessler representing  
25 COG Operating, LLC.

1 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Okay.

2 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, I just have one  
3 item to submit. It's marked Exhibit 17.

4 This case was heard, and then it was  
5 readvertised for the purpose of providing --  
6 Mr. Jones, at the hearing, requested that. So it's  
7 an allowables increase for horizontal wells that  
8 also be increased to vertical wells, so the case was  
9 amended, readvertised.

10 And all I'm -- at the last hearing I  
11 submitted a notice affidavit, and one green card had  
12 not been returned, that was from Angelo Holdings,  
13 LLC. And so I'm just submitting this as the final  
14 exhibit, the final green card, and I would ask that  
15 Exhibit 14 -- excuse me -- Exhibit 17 be admitted  
16 and the cases be taken under advisement.

17 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Okay. Exhibit 17 for  
18 Case Number 15438, and Exhibit 17 for 15439, and  
19 Exhibit 17 for Case Number 15440 may now be accepted  
20 as part of the record.

21 MR. BRUCE: That's all I have.

22 EXAMINER McMILLAN: Okay.

23 And then Cases 15438, Cases 15439, and  
24 Cases 15440 may now be taken under advisement.

25 Thank you.

(Proceedings concluded at 8:25 a.m.)

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I do hereby certify that the foregoing is  
a complete record of the proceedings in  
the Examiner hearing of Case No. 1547  
heard by me on March 17 2010  
Michael McNeill, Examiner  
Oil Conservation Division

## CERTIFICATE

I, Paul Baca, RPR, CCR in and for the State of New Mexico, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing contains a true and correct record, produced to the best of my ability via machine shorthand and computer-aided transcription, of the proceedings had in this matter.



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