

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

**APPLICATION OF BLACK MOUNTAIN OPERATING LLC  
FOR A NON-STANDARD OIL SPACING AND PRORATION  
UNIT, COMPULSORY POOLING, AND AN UNORTHODOX  
WELL LOCATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO**

**CASE NO 15656**

**AMENDED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

Black Mountain Operating LLC ("Black Mountain ") provides this Amended Pre-Hearing Statement as required by the rules of the Division

**APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT**

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**STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

Black Mountain Operating LLC seeks an order (1) approving a non standard oil spacing and proration unit in the Bone Spring formation comprised of the E/2SW/4 of Section 35,

Township 21 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, and the E/2W/2 of Section 2, Township 22 South, Range 34 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, and (2) pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the non-standard unit, and approving an unorthodox well location

### **PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

<u>APPLICANT'S WITNESSES</u>	<u>EST TIME</u>	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Luke Mildren, Land	20 min	5
Jay Moore, Geologist	20 min	5
Michael McCracken, Petroleum Engineer	20 min	5
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### **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**


The Application in this matter is opposed by GMT Exploration Company LLC, Devon Energy Production Company, L P , and BTA Oil Producers, LLC It should be consolidated for hearing with Case Nos 15655, 15659 and 15660

Black Mountain is also filing herewith a Motion for Continuance of these matters that is opposed by GMT Exploration Company LLC

Respectfully submitted,

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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that a true and correct copy of the foregoing was served on counsel of record by electronic mail on May 4, 2017

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