

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

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

CASE NOS. 15761 AND 15762

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

In Case No. 15761, COG Operating LLC seeks an order (1) creating a 240-acre, more or less, spacing and proration unit comprised of the E/2 W/2 of Section 28 and the E/2 NW/4 of

Section 33, Township 24 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico; and (2) pooling all uncommitted interests in the WC-025 G-09 S243532M; Wolfbone Pool. COG proposes to dedicate the above-referenced spacing and proration unit as the project area for the proposed **Coonskin Fee No. 25H Well**, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 28 to a standard bottom hole location in the SE/4 NW/4 (Unit F) of Section 33.

In Case No. 15762, COG seeks an order (1) creating a 240-acre, more or less, spacing and proration unit comprised of the W/2 W/2 of Section 28 and the W/2 NW/4 of Section 33, Township 24 South, Range 35 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico; and (2) pooling all uncommitted interests in the WC-025 G-09 S243532M; Wolfbone Pool. COG proposes to dedicate the above-referenced spacing and proration unit as the project area for the proposed **Coonskin Fee No. 28H Well**, which will be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 28 to a standard bottom hole location in the SW/4 NW/4 (Unit E) of Section 33. The completed interval for both wells will comply with the Division's setback requirements. COG has provided notice to interest owners pursuant to 19.15.4.12(A)(1)(a).

APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Mike Wallace – Landman	Approx. 15	Approx. 10
Carey Martin – Geologist	Approx. 10	Approx. 4

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

COG respectfully requests that Case No. 15761 and 15762 be consolidated for hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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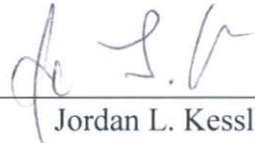
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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

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