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

## APPLICATIONS OF MATADOR PRODUCTION COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

**CASE NOS. 16470 - 16473** 

#### MATADOR'S CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Matador Production Company ("Matador"), the applicant in the above-referenced matters, submits this Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

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#### APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE

In these consolidated cases, Matador seeks orders pooling all uncommitted interests in the following standard horizontal spacing units in the Bone Spring formation underlying Sections 29 and 30, Township 20 South, Range 29 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico:

In <u>Case No. 16470</u>, a 316.36-acre horizontal spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation comprised of the N/2 N/2 of Sections 29 and 30 to be dedicated to the proposed **Leatherneck 30 Fed No. 121H Well** to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Lot 1) of Section 30 to bottom hole location in the NE/4 NE/4 (Unit A) of Section 29.

In <u>Case No. 16471</u>, a 316.84-acre horizontal spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation comprised of the S/2 N/2 of Sections 29 and 30 to be dedicated to the proposed **Leatherneck 30 Fed No. 122H Well** to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the SW/4 NW/4 (Lot 2) of Section 30 to bottom hole location in the SE/4 NE/4 (Unit H) of Section 29.

In <u>Case No. 16472</u>, a 317.32-acre horizontal spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation comprised of the S/2 N/2 of Sections 29 and 30 to be dedicated to the proposed **Leatherneck 30 Fed No. 123H Well** to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NW/4 SW/4 (Lot 3) of Section 30 to bottom hole location in the NE/4 SE/4 (Unit I) of Section 29.

In <u>Case No. 16473</u>, a 317.82-acre horizontal spacing unit in the Bone Spring formation comprised of the S/2 S/2 of Sections 29 and 30 to be dedicated to the proposed **Leatherneck 30 Fed No. 124H Well** to be horizontally drilled from a surface location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Lot 3) of Section 30 to bottom hole location in the SE/4 SE/4 (Unit P) of Section 29.

The completed intervals for these wells will remain within the standard offset required by the statewide rules for horizontal oil wells.

#### APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE

WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Sam Pryor, Landman	Approx. 20	Approx. 5
Andrew Juett, Geologist	Approx. 15	Approx. 5

#### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Matador does not expect any opposition to these applications and intends to consolidate these four cases for presentation by affidavit at the Examiner hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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#### **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on April 11, 2019, I served a copy of the foregoing document to the following counsel of record via Electronic Mail to:

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