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

# APPLICATIONS OF DEVON ENERGY PRODUCTION COMPANY, L.P. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

#### CASE NOS. 20420 & 20421

#### **DEVON'S CONSOLIDATED PRE- HEARING STATEMENT**

Devon Energy Production Company, L.P. ("Devon") submits this pre-hearing

statement as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

### APPEARANCES

#### APPLICANT

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## **APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF THE CASE**

In Case No. 20420, Devon seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation (WC-025 G-08 S253235G; Lower Bone Spring Pool (97903)) underlying a 320-acre standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 W/2 of Sections 22 and 27, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the proposed **Haflinger 27-22 Federal Com 231H Well** to be drilled from a surface location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 27 to a bottom hole location in the NW/4 NW/4 (Unit D) of Section 22. The completed interval for this well will comply with the setback requirements for horizontal oil wells under the Division's statewide rules.

In Case No. 20421, Devon seeks an order pooling all uncommitted interests in the Bone Spring formation (WC-025 G-08 S253235G; Lower Bone Spring Pool (97903)) underlying a 320-acre standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the E/2 W/2 of Sections 22 and 27, Township 25 South, Range 32 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico. This spacing unit will be dedicated to the proposed **Haflinger 27-22 Federal Com 232H Well** to be drilled from a surface location in the SE/4 SW/4 (Unit N) of Section 27 to a bottom hole location in the NE/4 NW/4 (Unit C) of Section 22. The completed interval for this well will comply with the setback requirements for horizontal oil wells under the Division's statewide rules.

## **PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

WITNESSES	ESTIMATED TIME	<u>EXHIBITS</u>
Tim Prout, Landman	20 Minutes	Approx. 8
Bryan Currie, Geologist	20 Minutes	Approx. 4

#### **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Devon requests that Case Nos. 20420 and 20421 be consolidated for hearing and intends to present this case by affidavit absent an objection. Respectfully submitted,

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# **CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on May 23, 2019 I served a copy of the foregoing document to the following counsel of record via Electronic Mail to:

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