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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION  
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**IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY  
THE OIL CONSERVATION COMMISSION FOR THE  
PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:**

**CASE NO. 14328**

**APPLICATION OF MARBOB ENERGY CORPORATION  
FOR APPROVAL OF A UNIT AGREEMENT,  
EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This Pre-Hearing Statement is submitted by Holland & Hart LLP as required by the Oil  
Conservation Division.

**APPEARANCES OF PARTIES**

**APPLICANT**

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**STATEMENT OF CASE**

Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks approval of the SRO State Exploratory Unit for an area comprising 8320 acres of State of New Mexico lands located in portions of Sections 32 through 34 of Township 25 South, Range 28 East, and Sections 2 through 10, 15 through 18 and 20 of Township 26 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M. which is located approximately 10 miles south of Malaga, New Mexico.

**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

APPLICANT

WITNESSES  
(Name and Expertise)

ESTIMATED TIME

EXHIBITS

BY AFFIDAVIT

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Marbob Energy Corporation has none at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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