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Docket No. 22-09

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These wells are located approximately 10 miles west of Loco Hills, in Eddy County, New Mexico.

• Hastie No. 016;	4-18-17S-28E;	30-015-22371
• Hastie No. 017;	3-18-17S-28E;	30-015-22852
• Hastie No. 018;	N-18-17S-28E;	30-015-22848
• Hastie No. 019;	2-18-17S-28E;	30-015-23186
• Hastie No. 020;	1-18-17S-28E;	30-015-23516
• Hastie No. 021;	C-18-17S-28E;	30-015-23821

These wells are located approximately 8 miles west of Loco Hills, in Eddy County, New Mexico.

• Shearn Becky Federal No. 001;	B-14-17S-27E;	30-015-34440
• Shearn Freedom Federal No. 002;	A-14-17S-27E;	30-015-34454
• Shearn Samantha Federal No. 001;	G-14-17S-27E;	30-015-31059
• Shearn Shilo Federal No. 001;	B-14-17S-27E;	30-015-31061

These wells are located approximately 11 miles west of Loco Hills, in Eddy County, New Mexico.

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CASE 14149: De Novo (Continued from the May 27, 2009 Commission Meeting.)

Application of El Paso E&P Company, L.P. to abolish the Van Bremmer Canyon-Vermejo Gas Pool, expand the Castle Rock Park-Vermejo Gas Pool, and to establish special rules and regulations for the Castle Rock Park-Vermejo Gas Pool, Colfax County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order (i) abolishing the Van Bremmer Canyon-Vermejo Gas Pool, (ii) expanding the horizontal extent of the Castle Rock Park-Vermejo Gas Pool to include acreage formerly within the Van Bremmer Canyon-Vermejo Gas Pool, (iii) expanding the horizontal extent of the Castle Rock Park-Vermejo Gas Pool to include additional acreage, and (iv) instituting special rules and regulations for the Castle Rock Park-Vermejo Gas Pool, including: (a) 160 acre well units; (b) wells to be located no closer than 10 feet to a quarter section line or an interior quarter-quarter section line; (c) two wells per well unit, subject to the directional drilling provisions of NMAC 19.15.3.111; (d) an administrative procedure for an exception to the well density provisions of the pool rules; and (e) a buffer zone where wells must be located in accordance with the Division's statewide well location rules. The Castle Rock Park-Vermejo Gas Pool, as expanded, will include the following lands:

Township 29 North, Range 18 East, N.M.P.M.

Sections 1-3:	All
Section 4:	NE¼
Section 10:	E½
Sections 11-14:	All
Sections 23-25:	All

Township 29 North, Range 19 East, N.M.P.M.

Section 3:	W½
Sections 4-9:	All
Section 10:	SW¼
Section 16:	W½
Sections 17-20:	All
Section 21:	W½
Section 30:	NW¼

Township 30 North, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M.

Sections 1-3:	All
Section 9:	SE¼
Sections 10-16:	All
Section 17:	NE¼
Section 21:	N½
Section 22:	N½
Section 23:	N½
Section 24:	All

Township 30 North, Range 18 East, N.M.P.M.

Sections 3-29: All
Section 30: N½ and SE¼
Section 32: N½ and SE¼
Sections 33-36: All

Township 30 North, Range 19 East, N.M.P.M.

Section 7: All
Section 17: NW¼
Section 18: All
Section 19: All
Section 20: All
Section 21: SW¼
Section 28: W½ and SE¼
Sections 29-32: All
Section 33: W½ and SE¼

Township 31 North, Range 17 East, N.M.P.M.

Section 13: S½
Section 14: All
Sections 23-26: All
Section 27: NE¼ and S½
Section 28: SE¼
Section 33: E½
Sections 34-36: All

Township 31 North, Range 18 East, N.M.P.M.

Section 29: All
Section 30: W½ and SE¼
Section 31: All
Section 32: All
Section 33: W½

The Castle Rock Park-Vermejo Gas Pool is centered approximately 31 miles west-southwest of Raton, New Mexico. Upon application of El Paso E&P Company, L.P., this case will be heard De Novo pursuant to the provisions of Division Rule 19.15.4.23.

3. **Case No. 14150: De Novo** (Continued from the May 27, 2009 Commission Meeting.)

Application of El Paso E&P Company, L.P. to expand the Stubblefield Canyon Raton-Vermejo Gas Pool, and to establish special rules and regulations for the pool, Colfax County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order expanding the horizontal extent of the Stubblefield Canyon Raton-Vermejo Gas Pool, and instituting special rules and regulations for the pool, including: (a) 160 acre well units; (b) wells to be located no closer than 10 feet to a quarter section line or an interior quarter-quarter section line; (c) two wells per well unit, subject to the directional drilling provisions of NMAC 19.15.3.111; (d) an administrative procedure for an exception to the well density provisions of the pool rules; and (e) a buffer zone where wells must be located in accordance with the Division's statewide well location rules. The Stubblefield Canyon Raton-Vermejo Gas Pool, as expanded, will include the following lands:

Township 30 North, Range 19 East, N.M.P.M.

Section 3: NE¼

Township 30 North, Range 20 East, N.M.P.M.

Section 3: N½ and SW¼
Section 4: All
Section 10: NW¼

Township 31 North, Range 19 East, N.M.P.M.