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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSES OF CONSIDERING:

CASE NO. 14335

APPLICATION OF WILLIAMS PRODUCTION CO., LLC FOR PRE-APPROVAL OF NON-STANDARD LOCATIONS IN THE ROSA UNIT, SAN JUAN AND RIO ARRIBA COUNTIES, 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

Applicant seeks pre-approval for non-standard locations in the Basin Fruitland Coal Gas Pool, Rosa Pictured Cliffs Pool, Carracas-Pictured Cliffs Pool, Blanco Mesaverde Pool, Cottonwood-Fruitland Sand Pool and the Basin Mancos Pool in the Rosa Unit in Township 32 North, Range 6 West, Township 31 North, Ranges 4, 5 and 6 West, NMPM, San Juan and Rio Arriba Counties. Williams requests pre-approval for non-standard locations due to topographical, archaeological, geologic, cultural and commingling factors.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT WITNESSES

ESTIMATED TIME

EXHIBITS

Approx. 10

Vern Hansen Landman Approx. 20 minutes

Ken McQueen Petroleum Engineer

Approx. 20 minutes

Approx. 10

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Williams has none at this time.

Ocean Munds-Dry Attorney for Williams Production Co. LLC

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that on October 8, 2009 I served a copy of the foregoing document to the following by hand-delivery and email (Mikal.Altomare@state.nm.us)

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