

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

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

**CASE NO. 14559**

**APPLICATION OF BTA OIL PRODUCERS, LLC FOR APPROVAL OF A SALT WATER  
DISPOSAL WELL, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This Pre-Hearing Statement is submitted by Holland & Hart, LLP on behalf of BTA Oil Producers, LLC as required by Oil Conservation Rule 19.15.14.1204 B NMAC.

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**BTA OIL PRODUCERS LLC'S STATEMENT OF CASE**

~~BTA Oil Producers LLC~~ seeks approval to utilize its ~~Owl-20504-IV-P-Well-No.-5-(API-No.-30-015-35435)~~ located 2310 feet from the South line and 2130 feet from the East line of Section 18, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, to inject an average of 2100 barrels of water per day, at a maximum injection pressure of 586-psi, into the ~~Cherry-Canyon-member-of-the-Delaware-formation~~, at an approximate depth of ~~2934-feet-to-3282-feet~~.

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**PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

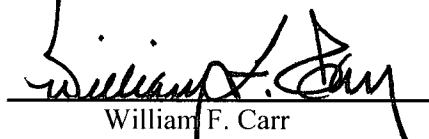
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Ben Grimes Company Representative	Approx. 20 min.	Approx. 5
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**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

None at this time.

Respectfully Submitted:  
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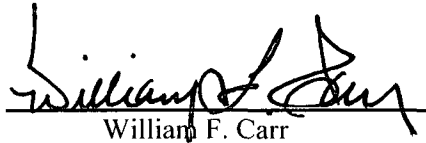
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**CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE**

I hereby certify that on this 7th day of October 2010, I have caused to be delivered by Facsimile a copy of the **Pre-Hearing Statement** in the above mentioned case to the following counsel of record:

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