# 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. 12395** 

APPLICATION OF MCELVAIN OIL AND GAS PROPERTIES, INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, RIO ARRIBA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

### **PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Campbell, Carr, Berge & Sheridan, P.A., as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

#### APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

**APPLICANT** 

**ATTORNEY** 

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#### STATEMENT OF CASE

#### **APPLICANT**

Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests in all formations from the base of the Pictured Cliffs formation to the base of the Dakota formation in S/2 of Section 29, Township 26 North, Range 2 West, N.M.P.M. for all formations and or pools developed on 320-acre spacing to be dedicated to its Bear Com 29 Well No. 1 to be drilled to a depth sufficient to test all formations in the pooled interval including, but not necessarily limited to the Blanco-Mesaverde Gas Pool and the Basin-Dakota Gas Pool, at a standard location in the SE/4 of said Section 29. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing said well and the allocation of the cost thereof as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the well and a charge for risk involved in drilling said well. Said area is located approximately 10 miles north of Lindrith, New Mexico.

**OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY** 

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#### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

# **APPLICANT**

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	<b>EXHIBITS</b>
(Name and expertise)		

Steve Jordan	15 minutes	Approx. 4
(Landman)		

John Steuble	10 minutes	Approx. 6
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## **OPPOSITION**

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## **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

McElvain Oil & Gas Properties has none at this time.

William F. Carr

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