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: 01 JUN 11 PN 3:55

CASE NO. 12679

APPLICATION OF RAPTOR RESOURCES, INC. FOR TWO UNORTHODOX INFILL GAS WELL LOCATIONS AND SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION, LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This Prehearing Statement is submitted by Holland & Hart LLP and Campbell & Carr, as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES OF PARTIES

APPLICANT

ATTORNEY

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

Application of Raptor Resources, Inc. for two unorthodox infill gas well locations and simultaneous dedication, Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an exception to the well location requirements provided within the "Special Pool Rules and Regulations for the Jalmat Gas Pool," as promulgated by Division Order No. R-8170, as amended, for the following two unorthodox gas well locations within an existing standard 440.50-acre spacing and proration unit comprised of Lots 3 and 4, S/2 NW/4, SW/4, W/2 SE/4 and the SE/4 SE/4 of Section 5, Township 22 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico:

- (A) The State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 78 (API No. 30-025-34910) to be re-entered and re-completed at an unorthodox infill gas well location 1980 feet from the North line and 660 feet from the West line (Unit E) of Section 5, and
- (B) The State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 81 to be drilled at an unorthodox infill gas well location 2080 feet from the south line and 1980 feet from the West line (Unit K) of Section 5.

This unit is currently dedicated to Raptor Resources, Inc.'s:

- (A) State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 2 (**API No. 30-025-08791**), located at an unorthodox gas well location 1980 feet from the South line and 660 feet from the West Line (Unit L) of Section 5,
- (B) State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 27 (**API No. 30-025-08789**), located at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the South and East lines (Unit P) of Section 5,
- (C) State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 33 (**API No. 30-025-08793**), located at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the South line and 1980 feet from the East line (Unit O) of Section 5,

- (D) State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 34 (API No. 30-025-08794), located at an unorthodox gas well location 1980 feet from the South and East lines (Unit J) of Section 5,
- (E) State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 44 (API No. 30-025-08797), located at an unorthodox gas well location 1980 feet from the North and West lines (Unit F) of Section 5,
- (F) State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 46 (**API No. 30-025-08800**), located at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from South line and 1980 feet from the West line (Unit N) of Section 5, and
- (G) State "A" A/C-2 Well No. 47 (API No. 30-025-08798), located at an unorthodox gas well location 660 feet from the North line and 1980 feet from the West Line (Unit C) of Section 5.

Further, the applicant, pursuant to the rules governing the Jalmat Gas Pool and the Stipulated Declaratory Judgment issued by the First Judicial District Court in Santa Fe County, New Mexico on December 15, 2000, seeks to simultaneously dedicated Jalmat production to this 440.50-acre unit from all nine of the above-described State "A" A/C-2 Well Nos. 2, 27, 33, 34, 44, 46, 47, 78 and 81.

This spacing unit is located approximately 5.5 miles southwest of Eunice, New Mexico.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES (Name and expertise)	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
William Keathly (Landman)	10 minutes	Approximately 3
Dave Pearcy (Geoscientist)	15 minutes	Approximately 5

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John Lawrence (Petroleum Engineer) 15 minutes

Approximately 3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Raptor Resources, Inc. has none at this time.

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