

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

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**APPLICATION OF DAVID H. ARRINGTON  
OIL & GAS, INC. FOR APPROVAL OF AN  
UNORTHODOX OIL WELL LOCATION AND  
SIMULTANEOUS DEDICATION,  
LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 12808**

**APPLICANT'S PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

This Pre-Hearing Statement is submitted by applicant pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

**APPEARANCES OF PARTIES**

**APPLICANT**

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**OPPONENT**

None.

**OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY**

**APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF CASE**

Applicant in the above-styled cause seeks approval to re-complete its existing Mayfly "14" State Well No. 7 located at an unorthodox location 330 feet from the North and East lines (Unit A) of Section 14, T-16-S, R-35-E, NMPM, for production from the Strawn formation, North Shoe Bar-Strawn Pool and for simultaneous dedication of this well to the previously approved 160-acre oil spacing and proration unit consisting of the NE/4 of said Section 14. This well is located approximately 3 miles west of Lovington, New Mexico.

This matter was previously heard by the Division in Case No. 12663 and was the subject of Order R-11646. However, since the entry of Order R-11646, Permian Resources, Inc. has drilled a Strawn well in the NW/4 of Section 13, directly to the East of Arrington's Mayfly "14" State Well No. 7. Data from this new Strawn well confirms there is no communication between the Strawn reserves targeted by Arrington's proposed re-completion of the Mayfly "14" State Well No. 7 in the NE/4 of Section 14, and the Strawn formation under Permian's acreage to the East in Section 13. As a result, Arrington's proposal will not impact Permian's correlative rights.

**APPLICANT'S PROPOSED EVIDENCE**

WITNESSES (Name and Expertise)	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Bill Baker (Geologist)	Approx. 20 Minutes	Approx. 8
Chuck Sledge (Engineer)	Approx. 10 Minutes	Approx. 3

**PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

There are no procedural matters at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

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