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:

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CASE NO.	1283	4

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APPLICATION OF TRILOGY OPERATING, INC FOR COMPULSORY POOLING LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by TRILOGY OPERATING, INC. as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCE OF PARTIES

APPLICANT

Trilogy Operating, Inc. P. O. Box 7606 Midland, Texas 79708 (915) 686-2027 attn: Jerry W. Weant

ATTORNEY

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STATEMENT OF TRILOGY OPERATING, INC.

Trilogy has a working interest ownership in the oil and gas minerals underlying the NE/4SW/4 of Section 24, T19N, R38W, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico.

Trilogy, to those working interest owners for whom Trilogy could obtained address, has proposed that this well be drilled and completed for potential production from formations from the surface to the based of the Abo formation in this 40-acre spacing unit.

Despite its good faith efforts, Trilogy has been unable to obtain a written voluntary agreement from all of the working interest and or mineral interest owners. Therefore, in accordance with Rule 1207.A(1)(b), Trilogy needs an order of the Division pooling the identified and described mineral interests in order to protect correlative rights and prevent waste.

PROPOSED EVIDENCE

<u>APPLICANT</u>:

WITNESSES

EST. TIME EXHIBITS

By Affidavit pursuant to Rule 1207.A(1)(b)

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None anticipated at this time.

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