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. 10479

APPLICATION OF BIRD CREEK RESOURCES, INC. FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

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PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by BIRD CREEK RESOURCES, INC. as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

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STATEMENT OF CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Delaware formation underlying the NW/4NE/4 (Unit B) of Section 22, Township 23 South, Range 28 East, N.M.P.M. forming a standard 40 acre oil spacing and proration unit for any and all formations and/or pools developed on 40-acre spacing within said vertical extent which presently includes but is not necessarily limited to the East Loving-Delaware Pool. Said unit is to be dedicated to a well to be drilled at a standard oil well location thereon. 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.

Bird Creek Resources has sought the voluntary agreement of the owners of the non-consenting working interests and has been unable to obtain voluntary agreement.

OPPOSITION OR OTHER PARTY

N/A

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

APPLICANT

WITNESSES EST. TIME EXHIBITS

Lawrence Robinette 20 Min. Approximately

Landman 8 to 10

Exhibits

Brad Burks 15 Min.

Petroleum Engineer

OPPOSITION

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SEE OPPOSITION FILING, IF ANY

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

None applicable at this time.

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