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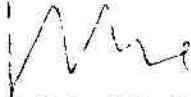
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RE: Hilcorp Energy Company
Docket No. 2013-01
Department of Environmental Protection

Dear Counsel:

Attached is the Order that I will be filing today. Please be guided accordingly.

Very truly yours,



Michael L. Bangs

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Enclosure

cc: Glenda Davidson, Docket Clerk

**COMMONWEALTH OF PENNSYLVANIA
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION
OFFICE OF OIL AND GAS MANAGEMENT**

In Re: The Matter of the Application of)
Hilcorp Energy Company for)
Well Spacing Units) Docket No. 2013-01
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ORDER

AND NOW this 13 day of April, 2014, upon review of Hilcorp Energy Company ("Hilcorp") Motion to Depose the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, Department of Environmental Protection's Expert Witnesses, and the Response thereto from the Department of Environmental Protection, the Motion is DENIED.

Notwithstanding the denial of this Motion, and in accordance with the Standing Practice Order of this Hearing Examiner under cover letter January 13, 2014, the Department of Environmental Protection must provide the topic or summary of the expected testimony of their expert witnesses that they intend to call at the hearing of this matter to Hilcorp no later than 4:00 P.M. on Tuesday, April 22, 2014.

Additionally, it appearing that the Department of Environmental Protection has not provided the topic or summary of the testimony of the witnesses they have identified to Hilcorp as of this date, the Department of Environmental Protection shall provide the topic or summary of each witness it intends to call at the hearing of this matter no later than 4:00 P.M. on Tuesday, April 22, 2014.

SO ORDERED,



MICHAEL L. BANGS
Hearing Officer