## 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:

CASE NOS: 20975

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

REPORTER'S TRANSCRIPT OF PROCEEDINGS
EXAMINER HEARING
December 12, 2019
SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO

This matter came on for hearing before the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division, EXAMINERS LEONARD LOWE, DEAN McCLURE, DYLAN COSS and LEGAL EXAMINER ERIC AMES, on Thursday, December 12, 2019, at the New Mexico Energy, Minerals, and Natural Resources Department, Wendell Chino Building, 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Porter Hall, Room 102, Santa Fe, New Mexico.

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1 HEARING EXAMINER COSS: Now we would, the

- 2 Division would like to move on to Case Number 20975,
- 3 Mewbourne Energy for compulsory pooling.
- 4 MR. BRUCE: Mr. Examiner, Jim Bruce of Santa Fe
- 5 representing the applicant. No one has entered an
- 6 appearance in this matter.
- 7 HEARING EXAMINER COSS: Okay.
- 8 MR. BRUCE: Before you is four exhibits, the
- 9 landman's affidavit, the geologist's affidavit, my affidavit
- 10 of notice, and then the publication notice. The only thing
- 11 to note that is useful information is that at this point the
- 12 only person being force pooled, even though I notified five
- 13 entities or people of the application, the only person being
- 14 force pooled is Donna Bliven, B-l-i-v-e-n, who is believed
- 15 to be deceased. The other four parties have joined in the
- 16 well in one form or another, so they should be dismissed
- 17 from this application.
- 18 And this is regards to the forced pooling of one
- 19 Bone Spring well. And with that, I would move the admission
- 20 of Exhibits 1 through 4 and ask that the case being taken
- 21 under advisement.
- 22 (Exhibits 1 through 4 offered.)
- 23 HEARING EXAMINER COSS: Does it state in this
- 24 packet that those pooled entities have been removed or --
- 25 MR. BRUCE: It does not state that, but I ask on

Page 4 the record that the entities who no longer need to be pooled are Dorado Petroleum LLC, King Resources LLC, Shirley McGeherty, and the estate of Gladys N. Hoots, those may be dismissed from this application. 5 HEARING EXAMINER COSS: Would you be able to 6 supplemental the pleading --MR. BRUCE: Sure. 7 HEARING EXAMINER COSS: -- clarifying that. 8 Could you please submit that? 9 MR. BRUCE: Will do. 10 HEARING EXAMINER COSS: With that, we will take 11 20975 under advisement. 12 13 (Case 20975 taken under advisement. Adjourned.) 14 15 16 17 18 19 20 21 22 23 24 25

Page 5 STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF BERNALILLO 3 REPORTER'S CERTIFICATE 5 6 I, IRENE DELGADO, New Mexico Certified Court 7 Reporter, CCR 253, do hereby certify that I reported the foregoing proceedings in stenographic shorthand and that the 8 9 foregoing pages are a true and correct transcript of those proceedings that were reduced to printed form by me to the 10 best of my ability. 11 I FURTHER CERTIFY that the Reporter's Record of 12 13 the proceedings truly and accurately reflects the exhibits, if any, offered by the respective parties. 14 I FURTHER CERTIFY that I am neither employed by 15 16 nor related to any of the parties of attorneys in this case and that I have no interest in the final disposition of this 17 18 case. 19 Dated this 12th day of December 2019. 20 21 Irene Delgado, NMCCR 253 22 License Expires: 12-31-19 23 24 25