### CASE NO. 22425

# APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, ETC. EDDY COUNTY AND LEA COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

### EXHIBIT LIST

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- 4. Affidavits of Mailing
- 5. Publication Affidavit
- 6. Pooling Checklist

## 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:

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

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# SELF-AFFIRMED STATEMENT OF BRAXTON BLANDFORD

Braxton Blandford deposes and states:

1. I am a landman for Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne"), and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein. I have previously testified before the Division and have been qualified by the Division as an expert petroleum landman.

2. Pursuant to Division Rules, the following information is submitted in support of the compulsory pooling application filed herein:

3. The purpose of this application is to force pool working interest owners into the Bone Spring horizontal spacing unit described below, and in wells to be drilled in the unit.

4. No opposition is expected because the interest owners being pooled have been contacted regarding the proposed wells, but have failed or refused to voluntarily commit their interests to the well.

5. A plat outlining the units being pooled is submitted as Attachment A. Mewbourne seeks orders pooling all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2 SE/4 of Section 11 and N/2 S/2 of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM (Eddy County) and Lot 3 and the NE/4 SW/4 and N/2 SE/4 of Section 7, Township 18 South, Range 32 East, NMPM (Lea County). The unit will be dedicated to the Iron Islands 11/7 B2JI Fed Com Well No. 1H, with a first take point in the NW/4 SE/4 of Section 11 and a last take point in the NE/4 SE/4 of Section 7. There is no depth severance in the Bone Spring formation.

A form C-102 for the well is also submitted as part of Attachment A.

6. The parties being pooled, and their interests, are set forth in Attachment B. Attachment C is a summary of communications and a sample copy of the proposal letters sent to the uncommitted working interest owners.

EXHIBIT 2

Some interest owners may be unlocatable. In order to locate the interest owners 7. Mewbourne examined the records of Eddy and Lea Counties, State Land Office records, and the Bureau of Land Management records. In addition, we conducted internet searches using Drilling Info, Accurint, and generic name searches on Google.

Mewbourne has made a good faith effort to locate and obtain the voluntary joinder of the working interest owners in the proposed well.

Mewbourne has the right to pool the overriding royalty owners in the well unit. 8.

Attachment D contains the Authorization for Expenditure for the proposed well. 9 The estimated costs of the wells set forth therein are fair and reasonable, and comparable to the costs of other wells of similar depth and length drilled in this area of Eddy and Lea Counties.

Mewbourne requests overhead and administrative rates of \$8000/month for a 10. drilling well and \$800/month for a producing well. These rates are fair, and comparable to the rates charged by other operators for wells of this type in this portion of Eddy and Lea Counties. They are also the rates set forth in the Joint Operating Agreement for the well unit. Mewbourne requests that these rates be adjusted periodically as provided in the COPAS Accounting Procedure.

Mewbourne requests that the maximum cost plus 200% risk charge be assessed 11. against non-consenting working interest owners.

12. Mewbourne requests that it be designated operator of the well.

The attachments to this affidavit were prepared by me, or compiled from company 13. business records.

14. The granting of this application is in the interests of conservation and the prevention of waste.

I understand that this Self-Affirmed Statement will be used as written testimony in this case. I affirm that my testimony in paragraphs 1 through 14 above is true and correct and is made under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico. My testimony is made as of the date handwritten next to my signature below.

Date: 4/4/2023

Braxton Blandford



ATTACHMENT A

District I 1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 88240 Phone: (575) 393-6161 Fax: (575) 393-0720 District II 811 S. First St., Artesia, NM 88210 Phone: (575) 748-1283 Fax: (575) 748-9720 District III 1000 Rio Brazos Road, Aztec, NM 87410 Phone: (505) 334-6178 Fax: (505) 334-6170 District IV 1220 S. K. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505 Phone: (505) 476-3460 Fax: (505) 476-3462 State of New Mexico Energy, Minerals & Natural Resources Department OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION 1220 South St. Francis Dr. Santa Fe, NM 87505 Form C-102 Revised August 1, 2011 Submit one copy to appropriate District Office

AMENDED REPORT

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No allowable will be assigned to this completion until all interest have been consolidated or a non-standard unit has been approved by the division.



Tract 1 Tract 2 Section 7 ATTACHMENT BTract 3 Section Plat Iron Islands 11) B2J1 Fed Com #1H Lot 3, NE/4 SW/4, NW/4 SE/4, and NE/4 SE/4 of Section 71, NZ SZ of Section 12, and NZ SE/4 of Section 11 T18S-R31E, Eddy County, New Mexico & T18S-R32E, Lea County, New Mexico Tract 4 Tract 5 Section 12 Tract 4: NE/4 SE/4 of Section 12-Federal Lease 0047800A Tract 2: NW/4 SE/4, NE/4 SW/4 of Section 7-Fee Lease Mewbourne Oil Company Bagwell No. 1 Family Limited Partnership D.M. Alpha, Inc. Tract 6 Mystique Management Corporation Mewbourne Oil Company Charlesworth Enterprises Chi Energy Inc Colkelan Corp HEYCO Employees Ltd Jalapeno Corporation Jarmes H Yates Inc Gahr Energy Company Stelaron, Inc. Tract 7 J.R. Norton Co. Tract 8 Tract 9 Section 11 Tract 1: nKlA SE/A of Section 7-Fee Lease Mewbourne Oil Company DM. Abha Jmc. Gaht Energy Company Bagwell No.1: Family Limited Partnership Stelaron, Inc. Tract 3: Lot 3 of Section 7-Fee Lease Mewbourne OI Company D.M. Alpha, Inc. Galir Energy Company Begwell No. 1 Family Limited Partnership Stelatory, Inc. J.R. Norton Co. Mystique Management Corporation J.R. Norton Co. Mystique Management Corporation

Tract 5: NW/4 SE/4 of Section 12-Federal Lesse 0047800A Mewbourne Oil Company

Tract 6: NE/4 SW/4 of Section 12-Federal Lease 0058709A Chevron U.S.A. Inc.

The Tommye G Ewing Limited Partnership

Yates Energy Corporation

Durango Production Corporation

Nadel & Gussman Captian LLC

Patricia Ann Brunson

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Tract 7: NW/4 SW/4 of Section 12-Federal Lease 0058709A Mewbourne Oil Company

Tract 8: NE/4SE/4 of Section 11-Federal Lease 00293888 Mewbourne Oil Company

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9/9/2021: Mailed Working Interest Unit, Well Proposal and Joint Operating Agreement to all of the below parties, unless mentioned otherwise in Summary of Communications below.

### MRC Delaware Resources, LLC

MRC Spiral Resources, LLC

#### MRC Explorers Resources, LLC

10/1/2021: Mailed Working Interest Unit, Well Proposal and Joint Operating Agreement to the above listed party.

Multiple phone calls, email, and discussions since April 2022.

#### Marathon Oil Permian, LLC

12/16/2021: Phone correspondence left a Voicemail.

12/27/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

1/25/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

6/16/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

6/27/2022: Phone correspondence left a Voicemail.

7/7/2022: Phone correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

9/14/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

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10/14/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

12/7/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

2/1/2023: Email and Phone correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

#### **Devon Energy Production Company, LP**

12/15/2021: Phone correspondence left a Voicemail.

12/27/2021: Phone correspondence left a Voicemail. Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

1/25/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

6/16/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

#### **Occidental Permian, Ltd**

9/14/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

12/16/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

6/27/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

#### Patricia Ann Brunson

3/3/2022: Mailed Working Interest Unit, Well Proposal and Joint operating Agreement to the above listed party. Email Correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

9/14/2022: Phone & Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

#### **Charlesworth Enterprises**

#### The Tommye G Ewing Limited Partnership

9/14/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

9/16/2021: Phone correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

9/29/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

10/6/2021: Phone & Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

11/10/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

12/14/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

12/27/2021: Called above listed party and left a voicemail.

1/6/2022: Called above listed party and left a voicemail.

#### Bank of America, N.A., successor Trustee of the Delmar H. Lewis Living Trust

10/18/2021: Phone correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

11/10/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

12/20/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

 $1/11/2022\colon$  Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

1/26/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

#### Chevron USA, Inc

9/29/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Working interest unit.

10/26/2021: Phone correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Working interest unit.

1/12/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Working interest unit.

3/21/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Working interest unit.

#### J.R. Norton Company

10/11/2021: Mailed another Working Interest Unit, Well Proposal and Joint operating Agreement to the above listed party. Proof of delivery is attached.

Did not find a good contact.

#### Laurelind Corporation

12/13/2021: Phone correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

12/28/2021: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the Well Proposal and Working interest unit.

1/12/2022: Phone correspondence left a Voicemail.

6/16/2022: Phone correspondence left a Voicemail.

#### Patti Jeanine Fletcher Letcher

9/27/2021: Mailed another Working Interest Unit, Well Proposal and Joint operating Agreement to the above listed party.

1/3/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the working interest unit.

3/3/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the working interest unit.

6/20/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the working interest unit.

#### Amanda L Fletcher-Furbee

9/27/2021: Mailed another Working Interest Unit, Well Proposal and Joint operating Agreement to the above listed party.

1/3/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the working interest unit.

1/5/2022: Phone correspondence with the above listed party regarding the working interest unit.

1/31/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the working interest unit.

6/20/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the working interest unit.

#### Christopher R. Fletcher

9/27/2021: Mailed another Working Interest Unit, Well Proposal and Joint operating Agreement to the above listed party.

1/3/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the working interest unit.

3/3/2022: Email correspondence with the above listed party regarding the working interest unit.

#### James H. Yates, Inc

10/1/2021: Mailed Working Interest Unit, Well Proposal and Joint operating Agreement to the above listed party.

Did not find a good contact.

#### **Colkelan Corporation**

10/1/2021: Mailed Working Interest Unit, Well Proposal and Joint operating Agreement to the above listed party.

Did not find a good contact.

### **HEYCO Employees, Ltd.**

Did not find a good contact.

Frost Bank trustee of the Joesphine T. Hudson Testamentary Trust FBO J. Terrell Ard

Did not find a good contact.

MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FASKEN CENTER 500 WEST TEXAS, SUITE 1020 MIDLAND, TX 79701

TELEPHONE (432) 682-3715

October 1, 2021

#### Via Certified Mail

MRC Delaware Resources, LLC 5400 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1500 Dallas, Texas 75240

Re:	Iron Islands 11/7 B2BC Fed Com #1H
	820' FNL & 2010' FWL (Section 11)
	660' FNL & 2540' FWL (Section 7)

and

and

Iron Islands 11/7 B2GF Fed Com #1H 850' FNL & 2010' FWL (Section 11) 1980' FNL & 2540' FWL (Section 7)

Iron Islands 11/7 B2JI Fed Com #1H 850' FSL & 2550' FEL (Section 11) 1980' FSL & 100' FEL (Section 7) Iron Islands 11/7 B2OP Fed Com #1H 820' FSL & 2550' FEL (Section 11) 660' FSL & 100' FEL (Section 7)

Section 7, T18S, R32E, Lea County, New Mexico Sections 11 & 12, T18S, R31E, Eddy County, New Mexico

#### Ladies and Gentlemen,

Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne") as Operator hereby proposes to form a 1443.84 acre Working Interest Unit ("WIU") covering the E/2 of Section 11, All of Section 12, and the NW/4 & S/2 of Section 7 for oil and gas production. The targeted interval for the proposed unit is the Bone Spring formation.

In addition, Mewbourne as Operator hereby proposes to drill the captioned Iron Islands 11/7 B2BC Fed Com #1H well at the above referenced surface location (SL) to the referenced bottom hole location (BHL). The proposed well will be drilled to an approximate true vertical depth (TVD) of 8,705 feet subsurface to evaluate the Second Bone Spring Sand Formation. The proposed well will have a measured depth (MD) of approximately 19,580 feet. The N/2NE/4 of Section 11, the N/2N/2 of Section 12, and the N/2NW/4 of Section 7 will be dedicated to the well as the proration unit.

In addition, Mewbourne as Operator hereby proposes to drill the captioned Iron Islands 11/7 B2GF Fed Com #1H well at the above referenced surface location (SL) to the referenced bottom hole location (BHL). The proposed well will be drilled to an approximate true vertical depth (TVD) of 8,800 feet subsurface to evaluate the Second Bone Spring Sand Formation. The proposed well will have a measured depth (MD) of approximately 19,631 feet. The S/2NE/4 of Section 11, the S/2N/2 of Section 12, and the S/2NW/4 of Section 7 will be dedicated to the well as the proration unit.

Mewbourne as Operator hereby proposes to drill the captioned Iron Islands 11/7 B2JI Fed Com #1H well at the above referenced surface location (SL) to the referenced bottom hole location (BHL). The proposed well will be drilled to an approximate true vertical depth (TVD) of 8,850 feet subsurface to evaluate the Second Bone Spring Sand Formation. The proposed well will have a measured depth (MD) of approximately 21,550 feet. The N/2S/2 of the captioned Sections 7 & 12 and the N/2SE/4 of the captioned Section 11 will be dedicated to the well as the proration unit.

Finally, Mewbourne as Operator hereby proposes to drill the captioned Iron Islands 11/7 B2OP Fed Com #1H well at the above referenced surface location (SL) to the referenced bottom hole location (BHL). The proposed well will be drilled to an approximate true vertical depth (TVD) of 8,890 feet subsurface to evaluate the Second Bone Spring Sand Formation. The proposed well will have a measured depth (MD) of approximately 21,510 feet. The S/2S/2 of the captioned Sections 7 & 12 and the S/2SE/4 of the captioned Section 11 will be dedicated to the well as the proration unit.

Regarding the above, enclosed for your further handling is our Operating Agreement dated September 1, 2021, along with an extra set of signature pages and our AFEs dated August 17, 2021, for the captioned proposed wells. Please sign and return said AFEs and extra set of signature pages at your earliest convenience if you elect to participate in the captioned wells and WIU and return to me within thirty (30) days.

If you have any questions regarding the above, please email me at <u>bblandford@mewbourne.com</u> or call me at (432) 682-3715.

Sincerely,

#### **MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY**

Braxton Blandford Landman

# MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY

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Nisc. Air & Pumping Services		0180-0	154		0180-0254		
esting & Flowback Services		0180-0	158	\$12,000	0180-0258		
Completion / Workover Rig					0180-0260	\$10,5	
Rig Mobilization		0180-0		\$120,000			
ransportation		0180-0			0180-0265		
Velding Services		0180-0	_	\$4,000	0180-0268		
Contract Services & Supervision		0180-0			0180-0270		
Directional Services Includes Vertic	al Control	0180-0		\$491,700			
Equipment Rental		0180-0		\$268,200			
Vell / Lease Legal		0180-0		\$5,000	0180-0284		
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### STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

## APPLICATIONS OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY AND LEA COUNTIES, NEW MEXICO.

Case Nos. 22423 - 22426

# SELF-AFFIRMED STATEMENT OF CHARLES CROSBY

COUNTY OF MIDLAND

STATE OF TEXAS

Charles Crosby deposes and states:

1. I am over the age of 18, and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.

2. I am a geologist for Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne"), and I am familiar with the geological matters involved in these cases. I have been qualified by the Division as an expert petroleum geologist.

3. The following geological plats are attached hereto:

) ) ss.

(a) Attachment A is a structure map of a portion of 18S-31E and 18S-32E on the base of the Second Bone Spring Sand. It shows that structure dips gently to the south-southeast. It also shows Second Bone Spring wells in the area, and a line of cross-section.

(c) Attachment B is a cross section showing the Second Bone Spring Sand, the target zones for the proposed Iron Island wells. The well logs on the cross-section give a representative sample of the Second Bone Spring Sand in this area. The sand is continuous and uniformly thick across the well units.

4. I conclude from the maps that:

(a) The horizontal spacing units are justified from a geologic standpoint.

(b) The target zone is continuous and of relatively uniform thickness across the well units.

(c) Each quarter-quarter section in each well unit will contribute more or less equally to production.

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(d) There is no faulting or other geologic impediment in the area which will affect the drilling of the subject wells.

5. Attachment A shows other Second Bone Spring Sand wells drilled in this area. There is a substantial preference for laydown wells.

6. Attachment C contains horizontal drilling plans for the proposed wells. The producing intervals of the wells will be orthodox.

I understand that this Self-Affirmed Statement will be used as written testimony in these cases. I affirm that my testimony in paragraphs 1 through 6 above is true and correct and is made under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico. My testimony is made as of the date handwritten next to my signature below.

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

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

Case No. 22425

### SELF-AFFIRMED STATEMENT OF NOTICE

James Bruce deposes and states:

1. I am over the age of 18, and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.

2. I am an attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company.

3. Mewbourne Oil Company has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct addresses of the interest owners entitled to receive notice of the application filed herein.

4. Notice of the application was provided to the interest owners, at their last known addresses, by certified mail. Copies of the notice letter and certified return receipts are attached hereto as Attachment A.

5. Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rules.

6. I understand that this Self-Affirmed Statement will be used as written testimony in this case. I affirm that my testimony in paragraphs 1 through 5 above is true and correct and is made under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of New Mexico. My testimony is made as of the date handwritten next to my signature below.

Date:

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James Bruce

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### JAMES BRUCE ATTORNEY AT LAW

#### POST OFFICE BOX 1056 SANTA FE, NEW MEXICO 87504

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jamesbruc@aol.com

December 16, 2021

### CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

To: Persons on Exhibit A

Ladies and gentlemen:

Enclosed are copies of an application, filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Mewbourne Oil Company, seeking an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation in the horizontal spacing unit described below:

<u>Case 22425</u>: The N/2SE/4 of Section 11 and the N/2S/2 of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM (Eddy County), and Lot 3, NE/4SW/4, and the N/2SE/4 (the N/2S/2) of Section 7, Township 18 South, Range 32 East, NMPM (Lea County). The unit will be dedicated to the Iron Islands 11/7 B2JI Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, with a first take point in the NW/4SE/4 of Section 11 and a last take point in the NE/4SE/4 of Section 7.

These matters are scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, January 6, 2021. During the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency, state buildings are closed to the public and the hearing will be conducted remotely. To determine the location of the hearing or to participate in an electronic hearing, go to <u>emnrd.state.nm.us/OCD/hearings</u> or see the instructions posted on the Division's website, <u>http://emnrd.state.nm.us/OCD/announcements.html</u>. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest who may be affected by the applications, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting these matters at a later date.

A party appearing in a Division case is required by Division Rules to file a Pre-Hearing Statement no later than Thursday, December 30, 2021. This statement may be filed online with the Division at <u>ocd.hearings@state.nm.us</u>, and should include: The name of the party and his or her attorney; a concise statement of the case; the name(s) of the witness(es) the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate time the party will need to present his or her case; and



identification of any procedural matters that need to be resolved prior to the hearing. The Pre-Hearing Statement must also be provided to the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

aures Bruce James Bruce

Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company

### EXHIBIT A

MRC Delaware Resources, LLC MRC Spiral Resources, LLC MRC Explorers Resources, LLC One Lincoln Centre, 5400 LBJ Freeway, Suite 1500 Dallas, Texas 75240 Attn: Land Department

Colkelan Corporation PO Box 25663 Albuquerque, New Mexico 87125 Attn: Land Department

Patricia Ann Brunson 4205 Lankford Avenue Springdale, AR 72762

Francis H Hudson, trustee of the Trustee of Lindy's Living Trust 4200 S. Hulen, Suite 302 Fort Worth, Texas 76109

J.R. Norton Co. 5210 E Palo Verde Place Paradise Valley, Arizona 85252

HEYCO Employees Ltd PO Box 1933 Roswell, New Mexico 88202-1933

James H Yates, Inc PO Box 189 Roswell, New Mexico 88202-0189 Attn: Land Department

Chevron USA, Inc 1400 Smith Street Houston, Texas 77002 Attn: Scott Sabrusula Frost Bank trustee of the Josephine T. Hudson Testamentary Trust u/t/a dated July 8, 1994 PO Box 1600 San Antonio, Texas 78296

Bank of America, N.A., Successor trustee Of the Delmar H Lewis Living Trust PO Box 830308 Dallas, Texas 75283-0308

Vivian Ann Brunson 4205 Lankford Avenue Springdale, AR 72762

Mystique Management Corporation 6528 E 101<sup>st</sup> Street, Suite D1 #425 Tulsa, Oklahoma Attn: Mark Snead

Charlesworth Enterprises PO Box 1 Amarillo, Texas 79105 Attn: Michael Pirtle

The Tommye G Ewing Limited Partnership PO Box 1 Amarillo, Texas 79105

Attn: Michael Pirtle

Yates Energy Corporation PO Box 2323 Roswell, New Mexico 88202 Attn: Becky Pemberton

Marathon Oil Permian, LLC 990 Town and Country Blvd. Houston, Texas 77024 Attn: Land Department

Pear Resources PO Box 11044 Midland, Texas 79702 Attn: Jerry Gahr Received by OCD: 4/5/2023 8:28:45 AM~

# **Affidavit of Publication**

STATE OF NEW MEXICO COUNTY OF LEA

I, Daniel Russell, Publisher of the Hobbs News-Sun, a newspaper published at Hobbs, New Mexico, solemnly swear that the clipping attached hereto was published in the regular and entire issue of said newspaper, and not a supplement thereof for a period of 1 issue(s).

> Beginning with the issue dated December 26, 2021 and ending with the issue dated December 26, 2021.

Publisher

Sworn and subscribed to before me this 26th day of December 2021.

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**Business Manager** 



This newspaper is duly qualified to publish legal notices or advertisements within the meaning of Section 3, Chapter 167, Laws of 1937 and payment of fees for said

#### LEGAL NOTICE December 26, 2021

To: MRC Delaware Resources, LLC, MRC Spiral Resources, LLC, MRC Explorers Resources, LLC, Resources, LLC, MRC Explorers Resources, LLC, Colkelan Corporation, Frost Bank as Trustee of the Josephine T. Hudson Testamentary Trust, Bank of America, N.A. as Trustee of the Delmar H. Lewis Living Trust, Vivian Ann Brinson, Mystique Management Corporation, Charlesworth Enterprises, The Tommye G. Ewing Limited Partnership, Yates Energy Corporation, Marathon Oil Permian LLC, Pear Resources, Patricia Ann Brunson, Francis H. Hudson, Trustee of Lindy's Living Trust, J.R. Norton Co., HEYCO Employees Ltd., and James H. Yates, Inc., or your heirs, devisees, successors, or assigns: Mewbourne Oil Company has filed an application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the underlying a horizontal spacing unit comprised of the N/2SE/4 of Section 11 and the N/2S/2 of Section 12, Township 18 South, Range 31 East, NMPM (Eddy County), and Lot 3, NE/4SW/4, and the N/2SE/4 (the N/2S/2) of Section 7, Township 18 South, Range 32 East, NMPM (Lea County). The unit will be dedicated to the Iron Islands 11/7 B2JI Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, with a first take point in the NW/4SE/4 of Section 11 and a last take point in the NE/4SE/4 of Section 7 (Case No. 22425). Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing, and equipping the 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 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling, completing, and equipping the well. This matter is scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, January 6, 2022. During the COVID-19 Public Health Emergency, state buildings are closed to the public and the hearing will be conducted remotely. To determine the location of the hearing or to participate in an electronic hearing, go to <u>emrd.state.nm.us/OCD/hearings</u> or see the instructions posted on the Division's website, Instructions posted on the Division's website, http://emnrd.state.nm.us/OCD/announcements.html. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be affected by the application, you may appear and present testimony. A party appearing in a Division case is required by Division Rules to file a Pre-Hearing Statement no later than Thursday, December 30, 2021. This statement may be filed online with the Division at that ocd.hearings@state.nm.us. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date. The attorney for applicant is James Bruce, P.O. Box 1056, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87504, jamesbruc@aol.com. The unit is located approximately 10-1/2 miles southeast of Loco Hills, New Mexico New Mexico. #37176

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JAMES BRUCE JAMES BRUCE, ATTORNEY AT LAW P.O. BOX 1056 SANTA FE, NM 87504

# Carlsbad Current Argus.

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#### JAMES BRUCE ATTORNEY AT LAW **POBOX 1056**

#### SANTA FE, NM 87504

I, a legal clerk of the Carlsbad Current Argus, a newspaper published daily at the City of Carlsbad, in said county of Eddy, state of New Mexico and of general paid circulation in said county; that the same is a duly qualified newspaper under the laws of the State wherein legal notices and advertisements may be published; that the printed notice attached hereto was published in the regular and entire edition of said newspaper and not in supplement thereof in editions dated as follows:

#### 12/26/2021

licell Legal Clerk

Subscribed and sworn before me this December 26, 2021:

State of WI, County of Brown NOTARY PUBLIC

My commission expires

KATHLEEN ALLEN Notary Public State of Wisconsin

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