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

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

Case No. 24381

### PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

This pre-hearing statement is submitted by applicant as required by the Oil Conservation Division.

#### **APPEARANCES**

APPLICANT

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Attention:

Hudson Brunson

OPPONENT

OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY

#### STATEMENT OF THE CASE

## <u>APPLICANT</u>

Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order pooling all uncommitted mineral interest owners in the Bone Spring formation underlying a non-standard horizontal spacing unit comprised of the W/2 of Section 25 and the W/2 of Section 24, Township 18 South, Range 32 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico. Applicant proposes to drill the following wells to depths sufficient to test the Bone Spring formation:

- (a) the Kings Landing 25/24 Fed. Com. Well Nos. 511H, with a first take point in the SW/4SW/4 of Section 25 and a last take point in the NW/4NW/4 of Section 24; and
- (b) the Kings Landing 25/24 Fed. Com. Well Nos. 531H, with a first take point in the SE/4SW/4 of Section 25 and a last take point in the NE/4NW/4 of Section 24.

Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling, completing, testing, and equipping the wells and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for

supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling, completing, testing and equipping the wells.

# **OPPONENT**

#### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

# **APPLICANT**

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	<u>EXHIBIT</u>
Hudson Brunson (landman)	15 min.	Approx.10
Charles Crosby	10 min.	Approx. 6

## **OPPONENT**

WITNESSES	EST. TIME	<b>EXHIBITS</b>

#### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Applicant requests that the case be presented by affidavit if uncontested.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

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#### **QUESTIONS**

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#### QUESTIONS

Testimony		
Please assist us by provide the following information about your testimony.		
Number of witnesses	Not answered.	
Testimony time (in minutes)	Not answered.	