

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

**APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL
COMPANY TO AMEND ORDER R-23640 TO
ADD ADDITIONAL POOLED PARTIES, LEA
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 25279
(formerly Case No. 24845)**

**APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL
COMPANY TO AMEND ORDER R-23641 TO
ADD ADDITIONAL POOLED PARTIES, LEA
COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.**

**CASE NO. 25280
(formerly Case No. 24846)**

**APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL
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**CASE NO. 25281
(formerly Case No. 24847)**

MEWBOURNE'S CONSOLIDATED PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

Mewbourne Oil Company ("Mewbourne" or "Applicant"), the applicant in the above-referenced matters, submits this Consolidated Pre-Hearing Statement pursuant to the rules of the Oil Conservation Division.

APPEARANCES**APPLICANT**

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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT OF THE CASE

Under these consolidated cases, Mewbourne seeks to reopen the existing orders and pool additional mineral owners underlying the referenced acreage, all in Township 20 South, Range 36 East, NMPM, Lea County, New Mexico, as follows:

- In **Case 25279**, Mewbourne seeks to amend pooling Order No. R-23640 ("Pooling Order"). On January 15, 2025, the Division entered Order No. R-23640 in Case No. 24845, pooling the uncommitted interest owners in the Bone Spring formation (Featherstone; Bone Spring, East Pool [24270]) underlying a standard 315.08-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing unit comprised of Lots 1-4 (W/2 W/2 equivalent) of irregular Sections 7 and 18. Mewbourne is the designated operator under the Pooling Order and the pooled spacing unit is initially dedicated to the **Goat Rope 7/18 State Com #521H** (API: 30-025-53329) well.
- In **Case 25280**, Mewbourne seeks to amend pooling Order No. R-23641 ("Pooling Order"). On January 15, 2025, the Division entered Order No. R-23641 in Case No. 24846, pooling the uncommitted interest owners in the Bone Spring formation (Featherstone; Bone Spring, East Pool [24270]) underlying a standard 320-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing unit comprised of the E/2 W/2 of Sections 7 and 18.

Mewbourne is the designated operator under the Pooling Order and the pooled spacing unit is initially dedicated to the **Goat Rope 7/18 State Com #523H** (API: 30-025-53330) well.

- In **Case 25281**, Mewbourne seeks to amend pooling Order No. R-23642 (“Pooling Order”). On January 15, 2025, the Division entered Order No. R-23642 in Case No. 24847, pooling the uncommitted interest owners in the Bone Spring formation (Featherstone; Bone Spring, East Pool [24270]) underlying a standard 320-acre, more or less, horizontal well spacing unit comprised of the W/2 E/2 of Sections 7 and 18. Mewbourne is the designated operator under the Pooling Order and the pooled spacing unit is initially dedicated to the **Goat Rope 7/18 State Com #525H** (API: 30-025-53331) well.

Applicant has discovered additional mineral owners in the pooled acreage that were not subject to the pooling proceedings giving rise to Order Nos. R-23640-23642. Applicant has sought and been unable to obtain voluntary agreement for the development of these lands from these additional mineral owners.

APPLICANT’S PROPOSED EVIDENCE


WITNESS Name and Expertise	ESTIMATED TIME	EXHIBITS
Hudson Brunson, Landman	Self-Affirmed Statement	Approx. 3

PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Mewbourne requests that these matters be consolidated for hearing and intends to present these cases by self-affirmed statement if there is no opposition at the time of hearing.

Respectfully submitted,

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QUESTIONS

Action 448179

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Testimony	
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Number of witnesses	Not answered.
Testimony time (in minutes)	Not answered.