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## ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATION CHECKLIST

THIS CHECKLIST IS MANDATORY FOR ALL ADMINISTRATIVE APPLICATIONS FOR EXCEPTIONS TO DIVISION RULES AND REGULATIONS WHICH REQUIRE PROCESSING AT THE DIVISION LEVEL IN SANTA FE

### Application Acronyms:

[NSL-Non-Standard Location] [NSP-Non-Standard Proration Unit] [SD-Simultaneous Dedication]  
 [DHC-Downhole Commingling] [CTB-Lease Commingling] [PLC-Pool/Lease Commingling]  
 [PC-Pool Commingling] [OLS - Off-Lease Storage] [OLM-Off-Lease Measurement]  
 [WFX-Waterflood Expansion] [PMX-Pressure Maintenance Expansion]  
 [SWD-Salt Water Disposal] [IPI-Injection Pressure Increase]  
 [EOR-Qualified Enhanced Oil Recovery Certification] [PPR-Positive Production Response]

### [1] TYPE OF APPLICATION - Check Those Which Apply for [A]

[A] Location - Spacing Unit - Simultaneous Dedication  
☒ NSL ☐ NSP ☐ SD

Check One Only for [B] or [C]

[B] Commingling - Storage - Measurement  
☐ DHC ☐ CTB ☐ PLC ☐ PC ☐ OLS ☐ OLM

[C] Injection - Disposal - Pressure Increase - Enhanced Oil Recovery  
☐ WFX ☐ PMX ☐ SWD ☐ IPI ☐ EOR ☐ PPR

[D] Other: Specify \_\_\_\_\_

### [2] NOTIFICATION REQUIRED TO: - Check Those Which Apply, or Does Not Apply

[A] ☐ Working, Royalty or Overriding Royalty Interest Owners

[B] ☒ Offset Operators, Leaseholders or Surface Owner

[C] ☐ Application is One Which Requires Published Legal Notice

[D] ☐ Notification and/or Concurrent Approval by BLM or SLO  
 U.S. Bureau of Land Management - Commissioner of Public Lands, State Land Office

[E] ☒ For all of the above, Proof of Notification or Publication is Attached, and/or,

[F] ☐ Waivers are Attached

### [3] SUBMIT ACCURATE AND COMPLETE INFORMATION REQUIRED TO PROCESS THE TYPE OF APPLICATION INDICATED ABOVE.

[4] CERTIFICATION: I hereby certify that the information submitted with this application for administrative approval is **accurate and complete** to the best of my knowledge. I also understand that **no action** will be taken on this application until the required information and notifications are submitted to the Division.

Note: Statement must be completed by an individual with managerial and/or supervisory capacity.

James Bruce

Print or Type Name

*James Bruce*  
 Signature

Attorney

Title

Date

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Lea Bone Springs

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March 30, 2012

David Brooks  
Oil Conservation Division  
1220 South St. Francis Drive  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Dear Mr. Brooks:

Pursuant to NMAC 19.15.15.13, Mewbourne Oil Company applies for approval of an unorthodox oil well location for the following well:

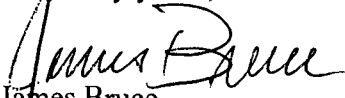
<u>Well:</u>	Marathon Road 14 Fed. Com. Well No. 2
<u>Surface location:</u>	330 feet FSL & 510 feet FEL
<u>Penetration point:</u>	Same as surface location
<u>Beginning of producing interval:</u>	335 feet FSL and 1082 feet FEL
<u>Bottom hole location:</u>	370 feet FSL & 330 feet FWL
<u>Well unit (project area):</u>	S½S½ of Section 14, Township 20 South, Range 34 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico

The well will be drilled to a depth sufficient to test the Bone Spring formation (Lea-Bone Spring Pool). Under Order No. R-1827-A, the pool has 80 acre spacing, with wells to be located within 150 feet of the center of a quarter-quarter section. A form C-102 is attached as **Exhibit A**.

The surface location was selected to accommodate the fee surface owner. The well is essentially being drilled on statewide location rules to maximize the productive length of the wellbore.

A land plat identifying offset working interest owners/operators to the west, southwest, and south is attached as **Exhibit B**. Notice was given to the offsets by the letter attached as **Exhibit C**.

Very truly yours,

  
James Bruce

Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company

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1625 N. French Dr., Hobbs, NM 58240

DISTRICT II  
1301 W. Grand Avenue, Artesia, NM 88210

DISTRICT III  
1000 Rio Brazos Rd., Aztec, NM 87410

DISTRICT IV  
1220 S. St. Francis Dr., Santa Fe, NM 87505

State of New Mexico  
Energy, Minerals and Natural Resources Department

Form C-102  
Revised July 16, 2010

Submit one copy to appropriate  
District Office

OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

1220 South St. Francis Dr.  
Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

WELL LOCATION AND ACREAGE DEDICATION PLAT

☐ AMENDED REPORT

API Number	Pool Code 37570	Pool Name undesignated Lea Bone Spring
Property Code	Property Name MARATHON ROAD "14" FEDERAL COM	Well Number 2H
OGRID No. 14744	Operator Name MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY	Elevation 3656'

Surface Location

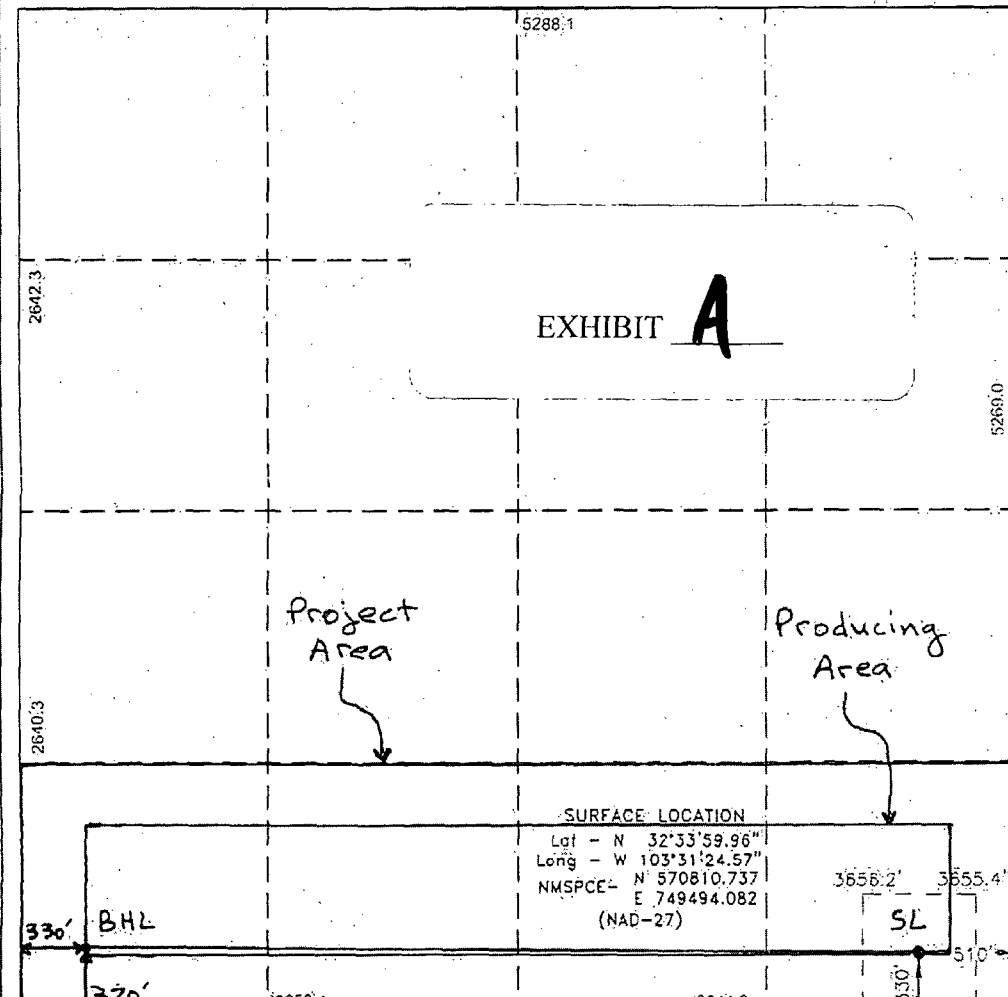
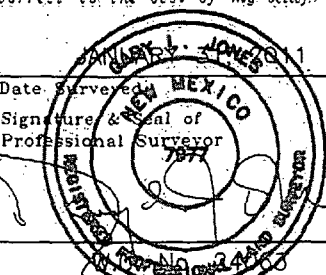
UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
P	14	20 S	34 E		330	SOUTH	510	EAST	LEA

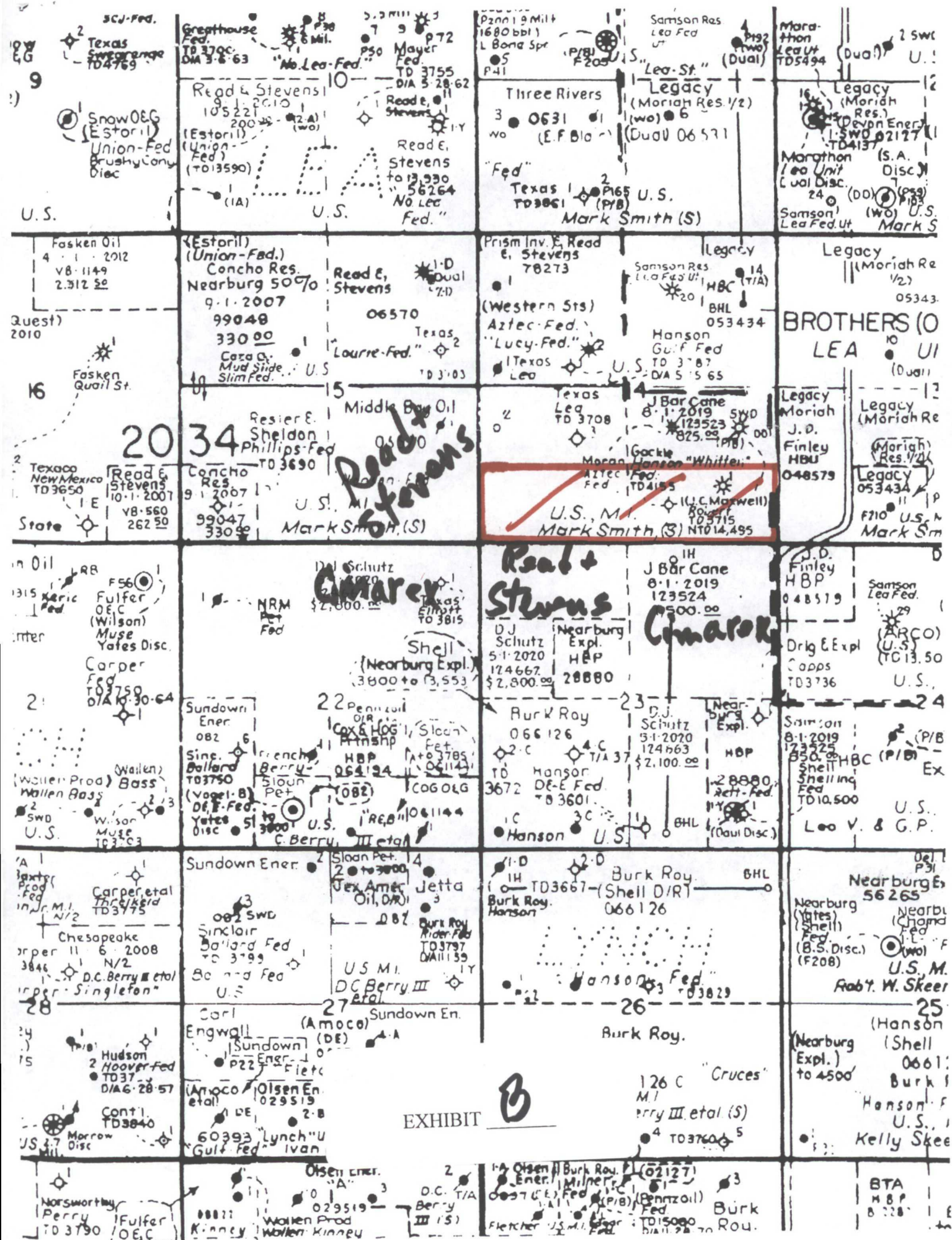
Bottom Hole Location If Different From Surface

UL or lot No.	Section	Township	Range	Lot Idn	Feet from the	North/South line	Feet from the	East/West line	County
M	14	20 S	34 E		370	South	330	West	Lea

Dedicated Acres 160	Joint or Infill	Consolidation Code	Order No.
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NO ALLOWABLE WILL BE ASSIGNED TO THIS COMPLETION UNTIL ALL INTERESTS HAVE BEEN CONSOLIDATED  
OR A NON-STANDARD UNIT HAS BEEN APPROVED BY THE DIVISION

	<b>OPERATOR CERTIFICATION</b> I hereby certify that the information contained herein is true and complete to the best of my knowledge and belief, and that this organization either owns a working interest or unleased mineral interest in the land including the proposed bottom hole location or has a right to drill this well at this location pursuant to a contract with an owner of such a mineral or working interest, or to a voluntary pooling agreement or a compulsory pooling order heretofore entered by the division.  Signature: <u>Brett Bednarz</u> Date: <u>3-27-12</u>  Printed Name: <u>Brett Bednarz</u>  Email Address: _____
	<b>SURVEYOR CERTIFICATION</b> I hereby certify that the well location shown on this plat was plotted from field notes of actual surveys made by me or under my supervision, and that the same is true and correct to the best of my belief.  Date Surveyed: <u>3-27-12</u> Signature & Seal of Professional Surveyor:   Certificate No. Gary L. Jones: <u>7977</u>  BASIN SURVEYS: <u>24063</u>



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Ladies and gentlemen:

Mewbourne Oil Company has filed an application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking an unorthodox oil well location in the S½S½ of Section 14, Township 20 South, Range 34 East, N.M.P.M., Lea County, New Mexico. A copy of the application is enclosed. You are an offset interest owner. If you object to the application, you must notify the Division in writing no later than 20 days from the date of this letter (the Division's address is 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505). Failure to object will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

Very truly yours,

  
James Bruce

Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company

EXHIBIT C