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From: MARY FAGER <mafager@comcast.net>
Sent: Thursday, July 30, 2020 2:11 PM
To: Hearings, OCD, EMNRD
Subject: [EXT] Pre-hearing Statement - Case No. 21365

Pre-hearing Statement
Case No. 21365
Application of Mewbourne Oil Company

July 30, 2020

Dear OCD Hearing Examiner,

This pre-hearing statement is in reference to Case No. 21365.
Application of Mewbourne Oil Company for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Wolfcamp formation underlying Lots 3, 4, S/2NW/4, and SW/4 (the W/2) of Section 2. Township 24 South. Range 28 East. N.M.P.W.. Eddy County, New Mexico. Submitted by James Bruce, Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company.

I was recently notified and named as an owner of interest in the above matter via a letter from James Bruce (attached) dated July 16, 2020 . I received the letter on July 27, 2020. I have no knowledge of ownership or interest in property in New Mexico. I have not been provided supporting documentation of title or findings of such ownership. Furthermore, I have not been contacted in the effort to obtain voluntary agreements as indicated in paragraphs 3 and 4 of the application.

I am requesting my name be removed as an owner of interest. As I have no reason to believe I am an owner of interest, have no supporting documentation of title or interest, and have not been afforded adequate time to obtain counsel or other resources to assist me to properly address the matter, it seems a prudent and reasonable request.

I called Mr. Bruce on July 28 and July 29, 2020, leaving messages on his office and cell phone numbers. I have not received a return call. I contacted your office and Mewbourne Oil on July 29. I have forwarded Mr. Bruce's letter to your office and Mewbourne Oil requesting assistance. I have copied that correspondence below.

I intend to join the hearing by phone on August 6, 2020.

Thank you.
Mary Fager
(916) 224-0633

----- Original Message -----

From: MARY FAGER <mafager@comcast.net>
To: "bskeen@mewbourne.com" <bskeen@mewbourne.com>
Date: 07/29/2020 11:38 AM
Subject: Fwd: Re: Hearing - Case 21365 Correspondence

Hi Barbara -

I am forwarding the message that I sent to Lois at New Mexico Oil Conservation District this morning. The scribbles on the cover letter are mine, keeping track of when I received the documents and my call attempts.

My concern is not knowing details of how I could possibly be involved in this and how best to respond to the hearing next week, if even needed.

This is all very new to me.

Thank you very much for your help.

Mary Fager
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From: MARY FAGER <mafager@comcast.net>
To: "Pedro, Lois C, EMNRD" <LoisC.Pedro@state.nm.us>
Date: 07/29/2020 9:13 AM
Subject: Re: Hearing - Case 21365 Correspondence

Hi Lois -

Thank you very much for your time on the phone.

I am attaching the correspondence I received from James Bruce, Attorney at Law, representing Mewbourne Oil Company.

I received it at my place of employment, which is a California Public School, Office of Education, on Monday, July 27. The address is my employer's PO Box. I have never used the PO Box for personal matters nor have I ever received personal

mail at the PO Box prior to this.

It's all very curious how James Bruce has associated me with this matter. I am certain I have no interest in any property in New Mexico and should not be listed as an owner of interest . I have left messages for James Bruce at the numbers listed on his cover letter as his office and cell number. I also contacted Mewbourne Oil and left a message for Katie Brown in Mewbourne's legal office.

I appreciate any guidance you are able to provide on how to remove myself from this matter.

Thanks again.

Mary Fager
(916) 224-0633

On 07/29/2020 8:32 AM Pedro, Lois C, EMNRD
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