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OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION

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IN THE MATTER OF THE HEARING CALLED BY THE OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION FOR THE PURPOSE OF CONSIDERING:

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR APPROVAL OF A NON-STANDARD OIL SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 14,801

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order approving a 160-acre non-standard oil spacing and proration unit (project area) in the Yeso formation comprised of the W/2W/2 of Section 13, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, NMPM. Applicant further seeks the pooling of all mineral interests in the Yeso formation underlying the W/2W/2 of Section 13 to form a non-standard 160 acre oil spacing and proration unit (project area), for all pools or formations developed on 40 acre spacing within that vertical extent. The unit is to be dedicated to the Wyatt Draw 13 MD Well No. 1, a horizontal well with an unorthodox surface location 250 feet from the north line and 350 feet from the west line of Section 24, Township 19 South, Range 25 East, NMPM, and a

terminus at an orthodox location in the NW/4NW/4 of Section 13. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing 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 and completing the well.

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PROPOSED EVIDENCE

<u>APPLICANT</u>

WITNESSES	<u> </u>	EST. TIME	EXHIBITS
Corey Mitch (landman)	ell	15 min.	Approx. 6
Jason Lodge (geologist)		15 min.	Approx. 4
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PROCEDURAL MATTERS

-None-

Respectfully submitted,

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