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

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING AND AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.	Case No. 15,547
APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR A NON-STANDARD OIL SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT AND COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.	Case No. 15,548
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APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR A NON-STANDARD SPACING AND PRORATION UNIT, COMPULSORY POOLING, AND AN UNORTHODOX GAS WELL LOCATION EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.	Case No. 15,562
AFFIDAVIT OF NOTICE	

COUNTY OF SANTA FE ) ) ss. STATE OF NEW MEXICO )

EXHIBIT

James Bruce, being duly sworn upon his oath, deposes and states:

1. I am over the age of 18, and have personal knowledge of the matters stated herein.

2. I am an attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company.

3. Mewbourne Oil Company has conducted a good faith, diligent effort to find the names and correct addresses of the interest owners entitled to receive notice of the applications filed herein.

4. Notice of the applications was provided to the interest owners, at their last known addresses, by certified mail. Copies of the notice letters and certified return receipts are attached hereto as Attachment A.

Applicant has complied with the notice provisions of Division Rules NMAC 5. 19.15.4.9 and 19.15.4.12.C.

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SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN TO before me this 24day of May, 2017 by James

Bruce.

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# CERTIFIED MAIL - RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

To: Persons listed on Exhibit A

Ladies and gentlemen:

Enclosed are copies of the following seven (7) applications filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Mewbourne Oil Company:

1. Case No. 15490, for a non-standard spacing and proration unit, compulsory pooling, and an unorthodox gas well location, regarding the Owl Draw 27/22 W2NC Fed. Com. Well No. 2H, a Wolfcamp well in the W/2 of Section 22 and the W/2 of Section 27, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

2. Case No. 15547, for compulsory pooling and an unorthodox gas well location, regarding the Owl Draw 22 W1AP Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, a Wolfcamp well in the E/2 of Section 22, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

3. Case No. 15548, for a non-standard oil spacing and proration unit and compulsory pooling, regarding the Owl Draw 22/27 B2AP Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, a Bone Spring well in the E/2E/2 of Section 22 and the E/2E/2 of Section 27, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

4. Case No. 15549, for compulsory pooling and an unorthodox gas well location, regarding the Owl Draw 23 DM Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, a Wolfcamp well in the W/2 of Section 23, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

5. Case No. 15550, for a non-standard oil spacing and proration unit and compulsory pooling, regarding the Owl Draw 23 Fed. Com. Well No. 2H, a Bone Spring well in the W/2W/2 of Section 23, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.



6. Case No. 15551, for a non-standard oil spacing and proration unit and compulsory pooling, regarding the Owl Draw 22/27 B2BO Fed. Com. Well No. 2H, a Bone Spring well in the W/2E/2 of Section 22 and the W/2E/2 of Section 27, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

7. Case No. 15552, for a non-standard oil spacing and proration unit and compulsory pooling, regarding the Owl Draw 27/22 B2MD Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, a Bone Spring well in the W/2W/2 of Section 22 and the W/2W/2 of Section 27, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico.

These matters are scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, September 29, 2016, in Porter Hall at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest (both as mineral interest owners in all of the well units, and as offsetting interest owners in Case Nos. 15490 and 15552) who may be affected by the applications, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

A party appearing in a Division case is required by Division Rules to file a Pre-Hearing Statement no later than Thursday, September 22, 2016. This statement must be filed with the Division's Santa Fe office at the above address, and should include: The names of the party and his or her attorney; a concise statement of the case; the names of the witnesses the party will call to testify at the hearing; the approximate time the party will need to present its case; and identification of any procedural matters that need to be resolved prior to the hearing. The Pre-Hearing Statement must also be provided to the undersigned.

Very truly yours, Kulle

Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company

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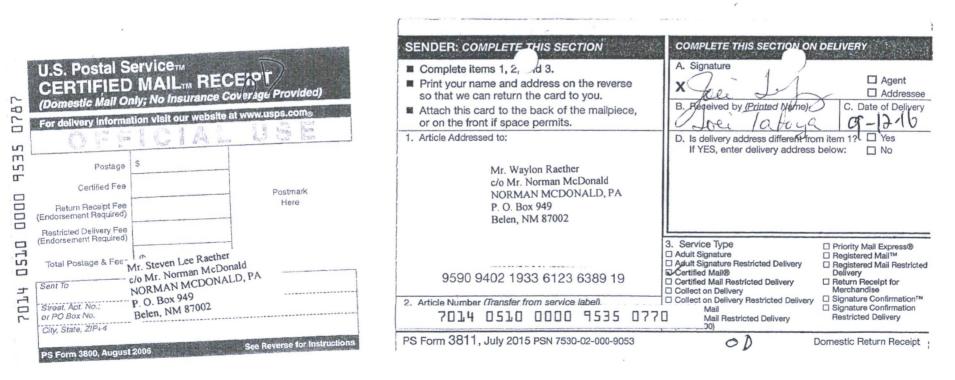
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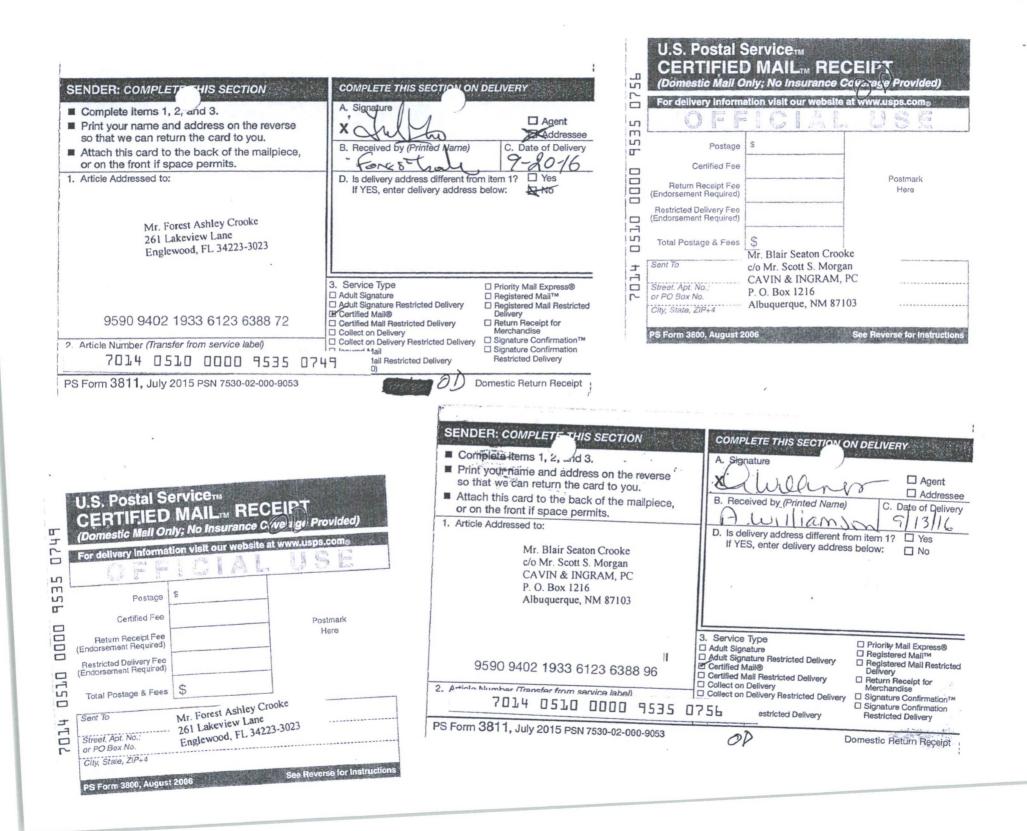
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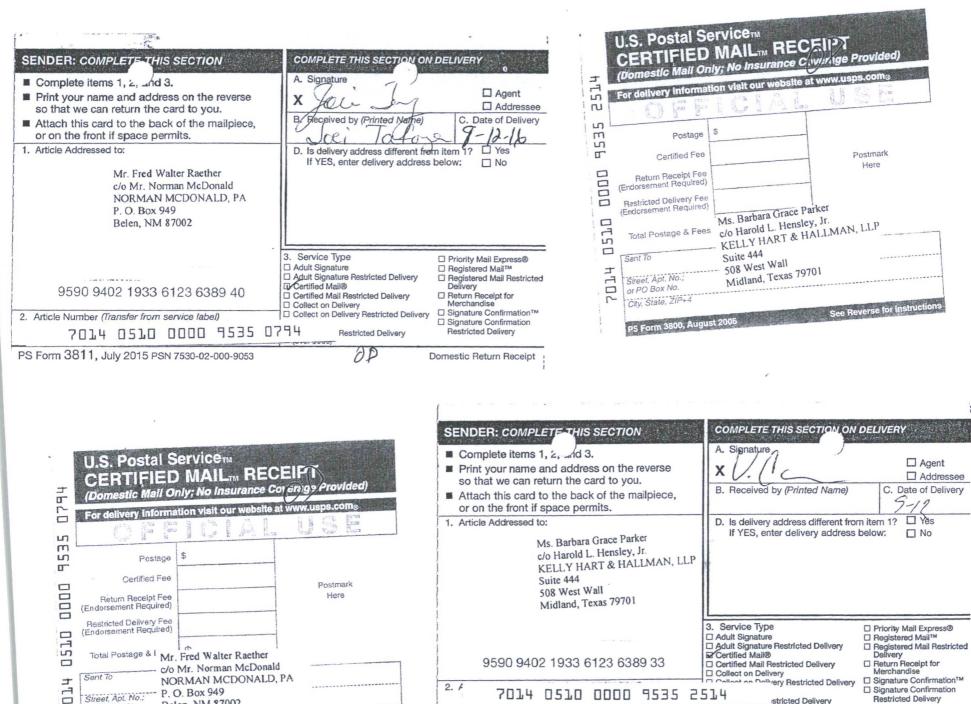
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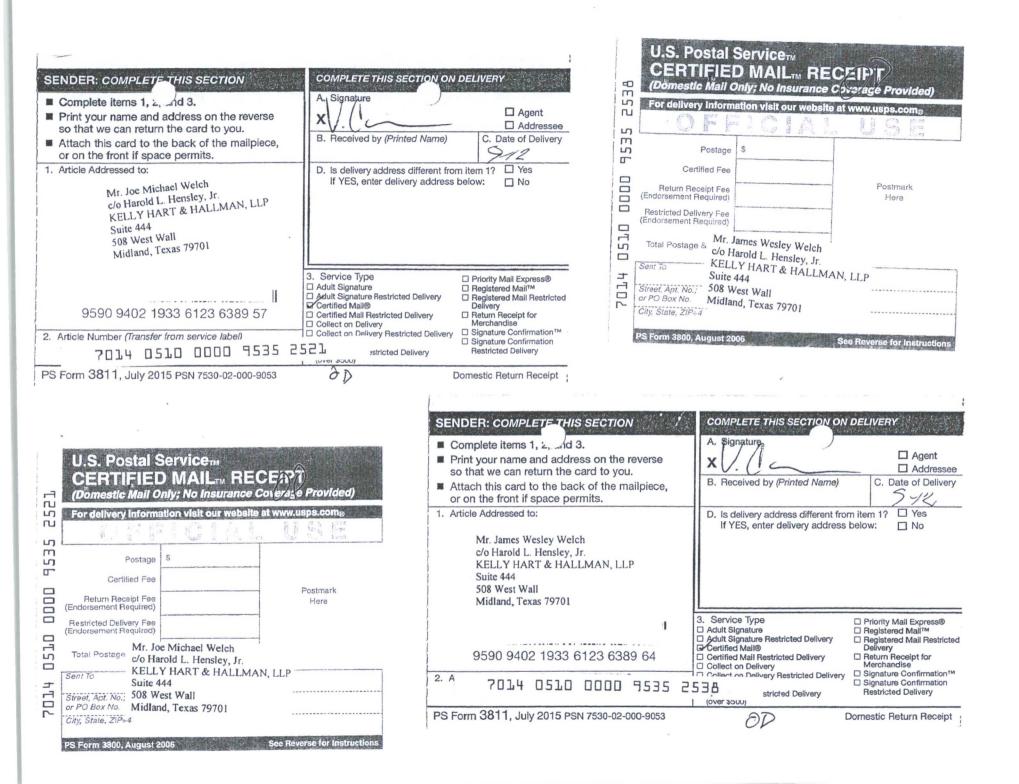
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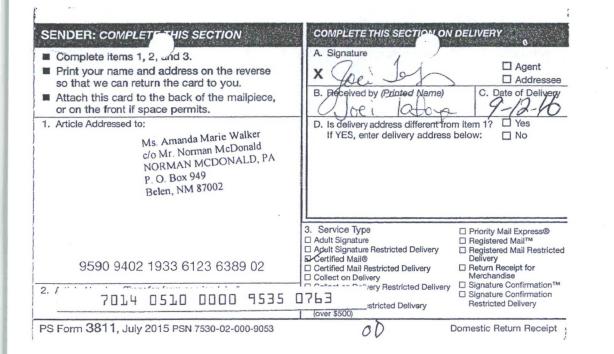
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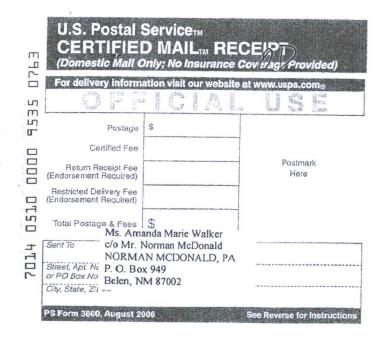
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Ladies and gentlemen:

Enclosed is a copy of an application for a non-standard unit, compulsory pooling, and an unorthodox well location, filed with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division by Mewbourne Oil Company, regarding a Wolfcamp well in the W/2 of Section 22 and the W/2 of Section 27, Township 26 South, Range 27 East, NMPM, Eddy County, New Mexico. This application is a substitute application for Case No. 15490, of which you were previously notified. Case No. 15490 was dismissed in order to comply with Division procedural requirements.

This matter is scheduled for hearing at 8:15 a.m. on Thursday, October 27, 2016, in Porter Hall at the Division's offices at 1220 South St. Francis Drive, Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest who may be affected by the application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from contesting this matter at a later date.

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