# STATE OF NEW MEXICO ENERGY, MINERALS AND NATURAL RESOURCES DEPARTMENT OCCUPANTION DIVISION 2812 007

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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 COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

Case No. 15861

#### **PRE-HEARING STATEMENT**

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

#### **APPEARANCES**

**APPLICANT** 

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**OPPONENT** 

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### STATEMENT OF THE CASE

### **APPLICANT**

Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order approving a 479.88 acre non-standard gas spacing and proration unit in the Wolfcamp formation underlying Lots 1 and 2, S/2NE/4, and SE/4 (the E/2) of Section 6 and the NE/4 of Section 7, Township 24 South, Range 28 East, NMPM, and pooling all mineral interests in the Wolfcamp formation underlying the non-standard spacing and proration unit. The unit will be dedicated to (i) The Motley 6/7 W0AH Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, to be drilled to a depth sufficient to test the Wolfcamp formation. The well is a horizontal well, with a surface location in Lot 1 of Section 6 and a terminus in the SE/4NE/4 of Section 7. The beginning and end of the producing interval will be orthodox; and (ii) The Motley 6/7 W2AH Fed. Com. Well No. 2H to be drilled to a depth sufficient to test the Wolfcamp formation. The

well is a horizontal well, with a surface location in Lot 1 of Section 6 and a terminus in the SE/4NE/4 of Section 7. The beginning and end of the producing interval will be orthodox. Also to be considered will be the cost of drilling and completing the wells and the allocation of the cost thereof, as well as actual operating costs and charges for supervision, designation of applicant as operator of the wells, and a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the wells.

## **OPPONENT**

#### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

## **APPLICANT**

WITNESSES

Ray Winkeljohn 10 min. Approx. 5 (landman)

Charlie Crosby 15 min. Approx. 4 (geologist)

### **OPPONENT**

<u>WITNESSES</u> <u>EST. TIME</u> <u>EXHIBITS</u>

# **PROCEDURAL MATTERS**

Respectfully submitted,

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