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

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

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

Case No. 16185

## 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** 

OPPONENT'S ATTORNEY

### STATEMENT OF THE CASE

### **APPLICANT**

Mewbourne Oil Company seeks an order approving a 240-acre non-standard oil spacing and proration unit (project area) in the Bone Spring formation comprised of the N/2NW/4 of Section 29 and the N/2N/2 of Section 30, Township 18 South, Range 29 East, NMPM. Applicant further seeks the pooling of all mineral interests in the Bone Spring formation underlying the non-standard unit. The unit will be dedicated to the Pavo Frio 29/30 B2CD Fed. Com. Well No. 1H, a horizontal well with a surface location in the NW/4NE/4 of Section 29, and a terminus in the NW/4NW/4 of Section 30. 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.

## **OPPONENT**

### PROPOSED EVIDENCE

### **APPLICANT**

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

Paul Haden 10 min. Approx. 6

(landman)

Charlie Crosby 10 min. Approx. 4 (geologist)

**OPPONENT** 

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### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

Respectfully submitted,

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