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June 23, 2009

Florene Davidson Oil Conservation Division 1220 South St. Francis Drive Santa Fe, New Mexico 87505

Dear Florene:

Enclosed for filing, on behalf of Mewbourne Oil Company, are an original and one copy of an application for compulsory pooling, together with a proposed advertisement. The advertisement has also been e-mailed to the Division. Please set the application for the July 23, 2009 Examiner hearing. Thank you.

Very truly yours,

James Bruce

Attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company

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Parties Being Pooled

1) Georgia Needham

Last known address: c/o Lewis R. Needham
8345 Cherokee Road
Lake Arthur, New Mexico 88253

2) Billy Joe Green

Last known address: 4514 S.W. 169 Pl.
Ocala, Florida 34473

3) Harold Parrish

Last known address: 2106 Richey

Artesia, New Mexico 88210

4) Wray J. Shildneck

Last known address: P.O. Box 111

Faywood, New Mexico 88034

5) Heirs or Devisees of Robert Richard Green, deceased

Last known address: 105 Dolphin Court

Aransas Pass, Texas 78336

6) Larry Edward Fanning

Last known address: 1413 W. Mermod

Carlsbad, New Mexico 88220

7) Jack Brock and his wife, Bobbie N. Brock Last known address: 1180 W. Bluff Road

Orange, Texas 77632

8) Margaret R. Sheldon

Last known address: P.O. Box 404

Kingsland, Texas 78639

9) J.C. Sims, Jr. and his wife, Phyllis Sims

Last known address: P.O. Box 260884

Lakewood, Colorado 80226

10) Bill R. Needham and his wife, Helen M. Needham

Last known address: 9756 Blazing Star

La Porte, Texas 77571

11) M. LaVerne Drew

Address Unknown

12) Ben Richard Green

Address Unknown

13) Heirs or Devisees of Martin Douglas Hardcastle, deceased

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14) Martin Douglas Hardcastle, Jr.

Address Unknown

- 15) Heirs or Devisees of Evelyn Barnett, deceased Address Unknown
- 16) Heirs or Devisees of Torita Ross, deceased Address Unknown
- 17) Heirs or Devisees of Leola Needham Watson, deceased Address Unknown
- 18) Ruth E. Hinman Address Unknown
- 19) Jean E. Doud Address Unknown
- 20) Ella J. Owens Address Unknown
- 21) Eva D. Donaldson Address Unknown
- 22) Georgia E. Kotlinski Address Unknown

BEFORE THE NEW MEXICO OIL CONSERVATION DIVISIONRECEIVED OCD

APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO.

APPLICATION

Mewbourne Oil Company applies for an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Yeso formation underlying the SE¼SW¼ of Section 15, Township 20 South, Range 25 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico, and in support thereof, states:

- 1. Applicant is an interest owner in the SE¼SW¼ of Section 15, and has the right to drill a well thereon.
- 2. Applicant proposes to drill its Limousine "15" N Well No. 1, at an orthodox location in the SE¼SW¼ of Section 15, to a depth sufficient to test the Yeso formation, and seeks to dedicate the SE¼SW¼ of Section 15 to the well to form a standard 40 acre oil spacing and proration unit for all pools or formations developed on 40-acre spacing within that vertical extent, including the Undesignated North Seven Rivers Glorieta-Yeso Pool.
- 3. Applicant has in good faith sought to obtain the voluntary joinder of all other mineral interest owners in the SE½SW¼ of Section 15 for the purposes set forth herein.
- 4. Although applicant attempted to obtain voluntary agreements from all mineral interest owners to participate in the drilling of the well or to otherwise commit their interests to the well, certain interest owners have failed or refused to join in dedicating their interests. Therefore, applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interest owners in the SE¼SW¼ of Section 15, pursuant to NMSA 1978 §70-2-17.

5. The pooling of all mineral interests underlying the SE¼SW¼ of Section 15 will prevent the drilling of unnecessary wells, prevent waste, and protect correlative rights.

WHEREFORE, applicant requests that, after notice and hearing, the Division enter its order:

- A. Pooling all mineral interests in the SE½SW¼ of Section 15, from the surface to the base of the Yeso formation;
- B. Designating applicant as operator of the well;
- C. Considering the cost of drilling and completing the well, and allocating the cost among the well's working interest owners;
- D. Approving actual operating charges and costs charged for supervision, together with a provision adjusting the rates pursuant to the COPAS accounting procedure; and
- E. Setting a 200% charge for the risk involved in drilling and completing the well in the event a working interest owner elects not to participate in the well.

Respectfully submitted,

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PROPOSED ADVERTISEMENT

Case No. 14348:

Application of Mewbourne Oil Company for compulsory pooling, Eddy County, New Mexico. Applicant seeks an order pooling all mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Yeso formation underlying the SE/4SW/4 of Section 15, Township 20 South, Range 25 East, NMPM, to form a standard 40-acre oil spacing and proration unit for all pools or formations developed on 40-acre spacing within that vertical extent, including the Undesignated North Seven Rivers Glorieta-Yeso Pool. The unit will be dedicated to the proposed Limousine "15" N Well No. 1, to be drilled at an orthodox location in the SE/4SW/4 of Section 15. 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. The unit is located approximately 3-1/2 miles southwest of Seven Rivers, New Mexico.

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