#### BEFORE THE

### **OIL CONSERVATION DIVISION**

#### NEW MEXICO DEPARTMENT OF ENERGY AND MINERALS

IN THE MATTER OF THE APPLICATION OF MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY FOR COMPULSORY POOLING EDDY COUNTY, NEW MEXICO

CASE NO. 11830

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STATE OF NEW MEXICO	)
	) s:
COUNTY OF SANTA FE	)

J. SCOTT HALL, attorney for Mewbourne Oil Company, the Applicant herein, being first duly sworn, upon oath, states that to the best of his knowledge the notice provisions of Rule 1207 of the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division have been complied with, that Applicant has caused to be conduced a good faith, diligent effort to find the correct address of all interested persons entitled to receive notice, as shown by Exhibit "A" attached hereto, and that pursuant to R: le 1207, notice has been given by certified mail at the correct address provided by such rule.

J. SCOTT HALL

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to before me this <u>K</u> day of October, 1997, by J. Scott Hall.

Michelle M. Dorman Notary Public

My Commission Expires:

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Submitted by: Mewbourne Oil Co.

October 9, 1997

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# CERTIFIED MAIL RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED

Devon Energy Corporation 20 North Broadway Suite 1500 Oklahoma City, OK 73102 Attn: Ken Gray

Re:

Application of Mewbourne Oil Company for Compulsory Pooling, Eddy County,

New Mexico

Dear Mr. Gray:

This letter is to advise you that Mewbourne Oil Company has filed the enclosed application with the New Mexico Oil Conservation Division seeking the force pooling of certain mineral interests from the surface to the base of the Morrow formation, in and under certain described spacing units in the S/2 of Section 15, Township 21 South, Range 26 East, N.M.P.M., Eddy County, New Mexico. Mewbourne Oil Company proposes to dedicate the referenced pooled unit to its Carlsbad "15" Federal Com #1 Well to be located 1980 feet from the South line and 1850 feet from the West line of said Section 15.

This application has been set for hearing before a Division Examiner on August 21, 1997. You are not required to attend this hearing, but as an owner of an interest that may be subject to pooling, or otherwise affected by this application, you may appear and present testimony. Failure to appear at that time and become a party of record will preclude you from challenging the matter at a later date.

Parties appearing in cases have been requested by the Division (Memorandum 2-90) to file a Prehearing Statement substantially in the form prescribed by the Division. Prehearing statements should be filed by 4:00 o'clock p.m. on the Friday before a scheduled hearing.

Very truly yours,

WILLIAM H. CARR

ATTORNEY FOR MEWBOURNE OIL COMPANY

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