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**Via Fax**

David Catanach  
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Dear Mr. Catanach:

Enclosed is the pre-hearing statement of Mewbourne Oil Company in  
Case No. 12238.

Very truly yours,



James Bruce

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Oil Company

cc: William F. Carr (w/encl. - via Fax)

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 COMPULSORY POOLING, EDDY COUNTY,  
NEW MEXICO.

CASE NO. 12,238

PRE-HEARING STATEMENT

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

APPEARANCES

APPLICANT

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STATEMENT OF THE CASE

APPLICANT

Applicant seeks an order pooling all formations spaced on 40,  
160, and 320 acres, from the surface to the base of the Morrow  
formation, underlying the W $\frac{1}{4}$  S28 - T21S - R27E. There are several  
interest owners who have not agreed to voluntarily join in  
applicant's proposed well.

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